

Chapter Three

The Sounds of Language

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formation
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Phonetics:

The study of physical properties of human speech sounds. The phoneticians study the position of the organs of speech during the production of sounds; they study the position of the tongue , teeth and vocal cords during the production of sounds.

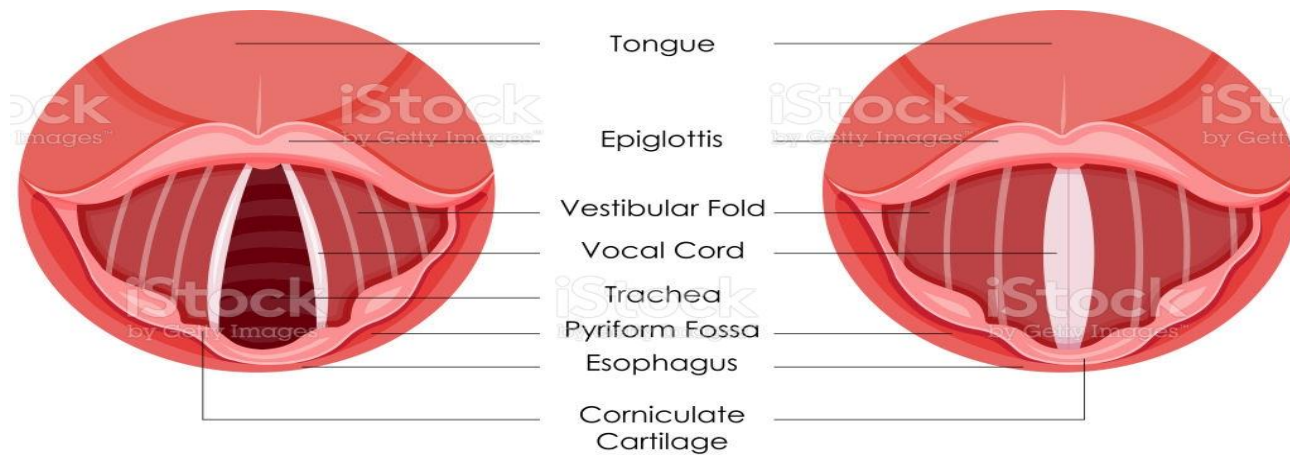
There are three types of phonetics :

Articulatory phonetics: which is the study of how speech sounds are made , or articulated

Acoustic phonetics: which deals with the physical properties of speech as sound waves in the air.

Auditory phonetics: which deals with the perception, via the air, of speech sounds.

Voiced and Voiceless Sounds



VOCAL CORD



Sounds in English can be divided into
two types: *consonants* and *vowel*.

Consonants :

Place of articulation : the location inside the mouth at which the constriction takes place.

Manner of articulation: is the way the airstream is affected as it flows from the lungs and out the nose and mouth.

Voicing: