

Vietnamese speakers

Vowels

ɪ (ship)	confused with i: (sheep) or e (pen)
æ (man)	confused with ʌ (cup)
ʊ (book)	confused with u: (boot)
ɒ (clock)	confused with ɔ: (ball)
ɜ: (girl)	common error ɔ: (ball)
eɪ (tail)	common error e (pen)
əʊ (phone)	common error ɔ: (ball)

Final consonants dropped, especially after diphthongs.

Consonants

Great difficulty with groups of consonants especially finally where one or more may be dropped. Sometimes a final consonant will be replaced by .

θ (thin)	common error t
ð (feather)	common error d
f	confused with p
p	common error b
l	common error n
ŋ (ring)	common error nk
r	common error z
dʒ (jam)	common error ʒ (television)
tʃ (cherry)	may be confused with t or f (shoe)
ʃ (shoe)	common error s
z	pronounced s in final position
s	may be dropped or replaced by t in final position

Intonation

All intonation exercises will be useful.

Stress and rhythm

Sound staccato. Joining words and other stress and rhythm exercises will prove useful.