LING 60 • How Reading Works

 Preparation for class discussion on Tu Jan 23

- Use the phonetic symbols for consonants and vowels (introduced last class) to transcribe how the names of letters of the alphabet are pronounced
 - The first one is done for you: B = [bi]
- After transcribing the letter names in each group, consider these questions:
 - Does the letter's **name** serve as a good example of the letter's **sound**?
 - What is the **relationship** between letter names and letter sounds in each group?

Do these letter names relate to sounds they spell?

| В | [bi] (letter <u>name</u> in IPA) | V |
|---|------------------------------------|---|
| D | | Z |
| J | | C |
| K | | G |
| P | | |
| T | | Q |

- What is the name/sound pattern here?

Do these letter names relate to sounds they spell?

F R
L S
M X
N

- What is the name/sound pattern here?

Do these letter names relate to sounds they spell?

H

W

Y

- What is the name/sound **pattern** here?