



MY PART-TIME JOB IS KILLING ME

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PDF 4: Pronunciation Practice

Listen & Repeat

Students clap or tap the table on the stressed syllable.

Word	Sounds Like...	Stress Practice (Clap the stress 🙌)
1. exhausted	ex-AWS-ted	• ex-HAUS-ted
2. stressful	STRESS-ful	• STRESS-ful
3. overwhelming	oh-ver-WEL-ming	• oh-ver-WEL-ming
4. customer	KUS-tuh-mer	• KUS-tuh-mer
5. balance	BAL-uhns	• BAL-uhns
6. energy	EN-er-jee	• EN-er-jee
7. shift	shift	• shift

Pronunciation Challenge (Say it fast!)

- My part-time job is killing me.
- I feel exhausted after my long shift.
- Balancing school and work is stressful!

Say it Slowly → Then Faster

Step 1: I feel exhausted...

Step 2: I feel exhausted after my long shift...

Step 3: (Full sentence, natural speed)

Pair Practice

Student A: How do you feel after your part-time job?

Student B: I feel _____, but I want to have more _____.

(Switch roles)



Fun Challenge 🤪

Say this 3 times fast:

👉 “Busy baristas balance burning burgers badly!”