

# Hebrew Vowels

	A-Class	I- Class		U-Class	
	Takes vowel letter א	Takes vowel letter י		Takes vowel letter ו	
<b>Always long</b>	<p>אָה (ah) qames-he [final]</p>	<p>יֵי (ey) sere-yod</p>	<p>יֵי (ee) hireq-yod</p>	<p>וֹ (oh) holem-vav</p>	<p>וֹ (oo) sureq</p>
<b>Changeable long</b>	<p>אֵ (ah) qames</p>	<p>יֵי (ey) sere</p>		<p>וֹ (oh) holem</p>	
<b>Short</b>	<p>אֲ (a) patah</p>	<p>עֲ (e) seghol</p>	<p>יִ (i) hireq</p>	<p>וּ (o) qames-hatuph</p>	<p>וּ (u) qibbus</p>
<b>Composite Shewa (w/gutturals)</b>	<p>אֲ (quick 'uh') hateph-patah</p>	<p>עֲ (quick 'uh') hateph-seghol</p>		<p>וּ (quick 'uh') hateph-qames</p>	
<b>Simple Shewa</b>	<p>שְׁ (quick 'uh') shewa</p>	<p>שְׁ (quick 'uh') shewa</p>		<p>שְׁ (quick 'uh') shewa</p>	