



Provincial Department of Education – Sabaragamuwa – Week School

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Grade -10

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Umlaut and Eszette

- ❖ German language has three extra vowels.

ä ö ü

- ❖ The double dots over the vowel is called **Umlaut**. These sound have no equivalent in English language.

How to pronounce these letters,

ä (long) → ai → (nächste)

ä (short) → e → (fällen)

ö → er (without „r“ sound) (schön)

ü → ue → (Tür)

- ❖ There is another different letter in German language.

ß Eszette

- ❖ **ß** is written after long vowels or double vowels.

Ex : Straße

Fließen

- Activity
- Find the german words with Umlaut and Eszette in your text book.