

Supplemental Material S3. Examples of treatment stimuli implemented in the current study.

Target sounds	Examples of treatment stimuli					Treated
Consonants (C): b, m, n, t	<i>Variation level 1</i> C1 V1 C1 V+	bɒbi	mumi	nini	tɛti	Yes
		bɒbu	mumu	ninu	tɛtu	
Vowels (V): i, u, ɔ, ɛ, æ		bɒbɔ	mumɔ	ninɔ	tɛtɔ	
		bɒbɛ	mumɛ	ninɛ	tɛtɛ	
		bɒbæ	mumæ	ninæ	tɛtæ	
	<i>Variation level 2</i> C1 V1 C2 V+	bæmi	muti	nɛbi	tɔni	
		bæmu	mutu	nɛbu	tɔnu	
		bæmɔ	mutɔ	nɛbɔ	tɔnɔ	Yes
		bæmɛ	mutɛ	nɛbɛ	tɔnɛ	
		bæmæ	mutæ	nɛbæ	tɔnæ	
	<i>Variation level 3</i> C1 V1 C+ V1	bɛbɛ	mæbæ	nubu	tibi	
		bɛmɛ	mæmæ	numu	timi	
		bɛnɛ	mænæ	nunu	tini	No
		bɛtɛ	mætæ	nutu	titi	
	<i>Variation level 4</i> C1 V+ C2 V1	bɪnɔ	mitɛ	nibi	timæ	
		bunɔ	mutɛ	nubi	tumæ	
		bɔnɔ	mɔtɛ	nɔbi	tɔmæ	No
		bɛnɔ	mɛtɛ	nɛbi	tɛmæ	
		bænɔ	mætɛ	næbi	tæmæ	
	<i>Variation level 5</i> C1 V+ C+ V+	bɛtu	mænu	nuti	tɛbæ	
		bɔmɛ	muni	nitɔ	tænɔ	
		bæmi	mumɛ	nɔmɛ	tɔtæ	No
		bɛtæ	mɔti	nɛnɛ	tibɛ	
		bubɔ	mɛbɔ	nætu	tæmu	

Note. Treatment stimuli for the participant in this study were generated in series of CVCV nonwords. Phonetic variation increases hierarchically from Variation Level 1 (only the final vowel varies) to Variation Level 5 (both vowels and the second consonant vary). Only Variation Level 1 and 2 were treated in the 9-week treatment period. Plus (+) indicates variation of sounds across a series of nonwords.