

This is the letter **VAV**: ו (וּ)

It is **V**ery narrow and **V**ery straight.

It represents the number 6. It sounds like **V**.

You will notice that the VAV often comes at the beginning of words. It is a prefix that serves as a conjunction, and means, “and.” When used to mean “and” the most common vowel symbol you will see under it is וְ with a sh’va.

Practice reading the letter VAV with all the vowels. Use the sound file from the website to hear the sounds:

וּ וֹ וְ וַ וִ וֵ וֶ וִּ וֵּ וֶּ וֶּ <Vav