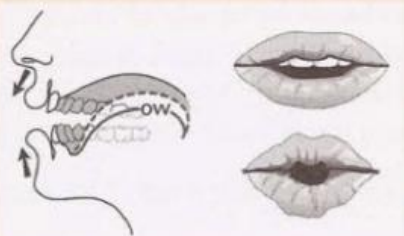


# UNIT 12

## /ow/ • go Linking Vowel Sounds



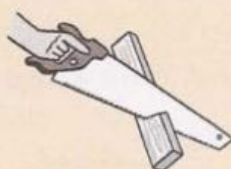
Practice the sound /ɔ/.  
Close your mouth a little for /ow/.  
/ow/ is a long sound.  
As you say it, push your lips forward into a circle.  
Listen and repeat: /ow/.

### A Word Pairs

1 Listen to these word pairs.

Sound 1: /ɔ/\*

Sound 2: /ow/



saw



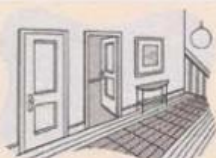
sew



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hall



hole



ball



bowl



walk



woke

2 Listen again and repeat.

\* Many people in the U.S. and Canada use the sound /ɑ/ instead of /ɔ/ in these words.

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