ChanieEnglish

/ɔː/ ball

Minimal pair words

A60a a Listen and repeat the words.

Sound 1 /ɒ/	Sound 2 /ɔː/
Don Is your name Don?	**Dawn** Is your name Dawn?
cod This cod was in the sea.	**cord** This cord was in the sea.
shot He was shot.	**short** He was short.
pot It's a small pot.	**port** It's a small port.
fox Look for the fox.	**forks** Look for the forks.
spot I don't like these spots.	**sport** I don't like these sports.

A62 f Tick the words a) or b) that you hear in the sentences.

1 a) spots ☐ b) sports ☐
2 a) pots ☐ b) ports ☐
3 a) cod ☐ b) cord ☐
4 a) shot ☐ b) short ☐
5 a) Rod ☐ b) roared ☐
6 a) what a ☐ b) water ☐

LIVEWORKSHEETS

/e/ pen

A29a a Listen and repeat the words.

Sound 1 /ɪ/	Sound 2 /e/
pin I need a pin.	**pen** I need a pen.
bin That's my bin.	**Ben** That's my Ben.
tin It's a big tin.	**ten** It's a big ten.
pig Where's the pig?	**peg** Where's the peg?
bill There's the bill.	**bell** There's the bell.
chick She wants a chick.	**cheque** She wants a cheque.

A22 f Tick the words a) or b) that you hear in the sentences.

1 a) pin	☐	b) pen	☐
2 a) pig	☐	b) peg	☐
3 a) tins	☐	b) tens	☐
4 a) sit	☐	b) set	☐
5 a) disk	☐	b) desk	☐
6 a) pick at	☐	b) peck at	☐

LIVEWORKSHEETS

/æ/ man

A27a **a** Listen and repeat the words.

	Sound 1 /e/	Sound 2 /æ/
	x Put the 'x' here.	**axe** Put the axe here.
	pen Can I borrow a pen?	**pan** Can I borrow a pan?
	men Look at the men.	**man** Look at the man.
	send I'm sending the table.	**sand** I'm sanding the table.
	gem It's a lovely gem.	**jam** It's a lovely jam.
	bread We had bread for lunch.	**Brad** We had Brad for lunch.

A29 **f** Tick the words a) or b) that you hear in the sentences.

1 a) pen	☐	b) pan	☐
2 a) men	☐	b) man	☐
3 a) end	☐	b) and	☐
4 a) feta	☐	b) fatter	☐
5 a) pet	☐	b) pat	☐
6 a) bed	☐	b) bad	☐

LIVEWORKSHEETS

/ɑː/ heart

A44a **a** Listen and repeat the words.

Sound 1 /æ/	Sound 2 /ɑː/
cap What a lovely cap!	**carp** What a lovely carp!
hat He touched his hat.	**heart** He touched his heart.
cat It's a farm cat.	**cart** It's a farm cart.
ban There's a ban on it.	**barn** There's a barn on it.
pack I'll pack the car.	**park** I'll park the car.

A40 **f** Tick the words a), b) or c) that you hear in the sentences.

1 a) hat	☐	b) hut	☐	c) heart	☐
2 a) cat	☐	b) cut	☐	c) cart	☐
3 a) cap	☐	b) cup	☐	c) carp	☐
4 a) bun	☐	b) barn	☐		
5 a) come	☐	b) calm	☐		
6 a) Patty's	☐	b) parties	☐		

LIVEWORKSHEETS