

EX1:

- Listen to the dialogue, paying attention to the target sound. Then read the dialogue and fill the gaps (1–10) with the correct words from the box. They are all words like *love* spelled with *o* but pronounced /a/.

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JASMINE: Honey, why are you so sad?

(Duncan says **1** _____ .)

JASMINE: **2** _____ , why are you so unhappy? I don't understand.

DUNCAN: You don't love me, Jasmine.

JASMINE: But Duncan, I love you very much!

DUNCAN: That's untrue, Jasmine. You love my cousin.

JASMINE: Justin?

DUNCAN: No, his **3** _____ .

JASMINE: Dudley?

DUNCAN: No. Stop being funny, Jasmine. Not that one. The **4** _____ brother.
Hunter. You think he's **5** _____ and I'm unattractive.

JASMINE: Duncan! That's utter rubbish!

DUNCAN: And Hunter loves you too.

JASMINE: No he doesn't.

DUNCAN: Yes he **6** _____ .

JASMINE: Duncan, just once last **7** _____ , I had lunch with Hunter. You mustn't
8 _____ , I like your **9** _____ much better than Hunter's.
Hunter's ...

DUNCAN: Oh, just shut up. Jasmine!

JASMINE: But honey, I think you're **10** _____ .

DUNCAN: Now that's enough! You're just jealous, Duncan. You shut up!

EX2:

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

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| 1 a) has | ☐ | b) həs | ☐ |
| 2 a) can | ☐ | b) cən | ☐ |
| 3 a) was | ☐ | b) wəs | ☐ |
| 4 a) does | ☐ | b) dəs | ☐ |
| 5 a) am | ☐ | b) əm | ☐ |
| 6 a) them | ☐ | b) thəm | ☐ |