Exercises

4.1 Listen and write the words in the correct column.

A26

~~artist~~ garden March part ~~square~~ talk warm watch

words with /ɑː/	words with other vowel sounds
artist	square

Check with the Key. Then listen again and repeat.

4.2 Listen and write the words in the correct column.

A27

~~business~~ ~~country~~ fun home lots money mother push

words with /ʌ/	words with other vowel sounds
country	business

Check with the Key. Then listen again and repeat.

4.3 Complete the sentences with one /ɑː/ word and one /ʌ/ word.

~~butter~~ carpet dark hard husband love Prague son

1 The butter's too .....
2 I'd ..... to buy that .....!
3 Their .....'s got ..... hair.
4 I first met my ..... in .....

A28 Listen to check your answers. Check with the Key. Then listen again and repeat.

4.4 Listen and circle the word you hear. Check with the Key. If any of these are difficult for you, go to Section E3 *Sound pairs* for more practice.

A29

1 *heart / hat* (⇒ sound pair 7)
2 *far / four* (⇒ sound pair 8)
3 *cat / cut* (⇒ sound pair 9)
4 *look / luck* (⇒ sound pair 5)
5 *luck / lock* (⇒ sound pair 10)
6 *butter / better* (⇒ sound pair 18)

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Exercises

5.1 Write these words.

EXAMPLE /boks/ box

1 /klɒk/ ..... 3 /wɒnt/ ..... 5 /ˈsɒri/ .....
2 /gɒn/ ..... 4 /ˈwɒntɪd/ ..... 6 /wɒt/ .....

A32 Listen to check your answers. Check with the Key. Then listen again and repeat.

5.2 Listen and complete the dialogues with these /ɒ/ words.

A33

box chocolates clock doctor gone got holiday on stopped
~~what~~ what

1 A: What time is it?
B: I don't know. The .....'s .....
2 A: ..... have you .....?
B: A ..... of .....
3 A: Where's the .....?
B: He's ....

Check with the Key. Then listen again and repeat.

What time is it?

5.3 Write the underlined verbs in the past tense.

EXAMPLE
We buy everything at the supermarket. → We bought everything at the supermarket.
1 I think about you every day. → I ..... about you every day.
2 We always walk home from school. → We always ..... home from school.
3 I catch the first bus in the morning. → I ..... the first bus in the morning.
4 My daughter teaches English. → My daughter ..... English.

A34 Check with the Key. Then listen and repeat.

5.4 Write the names of the things in the picture. (They all have /ɒ/ or /ɔː/.)

EXAMPLE 1 bottle

Check with the Key.

5.5 Listen and write the missing /ɒ/ and /ɔː/ words.

A35 This is our kitchen. On the table there's a big ..... full of shopping, a ..... of wine and some ..... and pepper. There's a ..... on the ..... and the ..... 's asleep in the corner behind the .....

Check with the Key. Then listen and speak together with the recording.

5.6 Listen and circle the word you hear. Check with the Key. If any of these are difficult for you, go to Section E3 *Sound pairs* for more practice.

A36

1 *not / note* (⇒ sound pair 11)
2 *luck / lock* (⇒ sound pair 10)
3 *coat / caught* (⇒ sound pair 12)
4 *shot / short* (⇒ sound pair 13)
5 *walk / work* (⇒ sound pair 14)

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