

Which is which?**Challenge 3**

Sometimes two words sound the same but they have different spellings and different meanings. These words are called **homophones**.

e.g. *aisle* (a passage between two rows of seats or pews) and
isle (an island)

1. Circle the homophone that you can eat:

- a)
- b)
- c)
- d)
- e)

2. Choose one of the words in brackets to complete the sentence. Check in your *Oxford School Dictionary* to see if you were right:

- a) The dove is a of peace. (*symbol / cymbal*)
- b) A kestrel is a bird of (*pray / prey*)
- c) You should tie a knot at the end of the (*chord / cord*)
- d) Can we go home, I'm (*bored / board*)
- e) My mother is taking an advanced computing
(*course / coarse*)

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