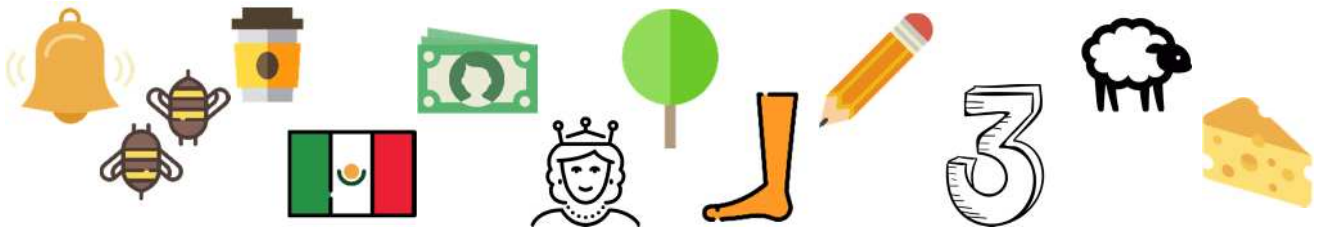


## Exercises for /i:/ and /e/

1. Write the words in the correct column and underline the target sounds. Then listen to the MP3 (2a) and practice saying the words.

/i:/ sound	/e/ sound
<b>sheep</b>	<b>Mexico</b>



2. Write the correct number above the words in blue. Does the word contain the sound 1 /i:/ or 2 /e/? Listen to the MP3 (2b) and write which sound you hear. Underline the part of the word with this sound.

1      2  
Mahatma **Gandhi** **led** India to **independence** from Britain. But **he** wasn't a normal independence fighter. He was **peaceful** in his fight for **freedom**, which gained him **respect** all around the world. **He** studied law in London, and **then** worked as a lawyer in South Africa. He later returned to India where he **achieved** liberation for India. Gandhi died in New **Delhi**. He is **celebrated** today as an inspirational symbol of **liberty**.

3. Listen to the MP3 (2c) and circle which word you hear.

- a)    beat            bet
- b)    cheek            check
- c)    meat             met
- d)    feel              fell
- e)    lead              led

4. Record yourself saying the words in sections 1 and 3, and the passage in section 2. Listen to your recording again in a few days. Can you clearly hear the two target sounds you studied?

