



**1** This refers to the ultimate origin of the words. Even if words can be traced back to the same source, different steps may be involved in how their meaning and form have developed.

**2** This refers to the orthographic form of the words. When restricting this to words that are written *and* pronounced the same, this category, which is not huge, would be much smaller still.

**3** This refers to the primary meaning of the words. It is true that many words have more than one meaning, so there can always be a definition to which the above does not (fully) apply.