

# homophone

↑  
same

↑  
sound

Homophones are words that are spelled differently, have different meanings yet sound the same.

# For example...



pair



pear

male



We have a new **male** teacher.

mail



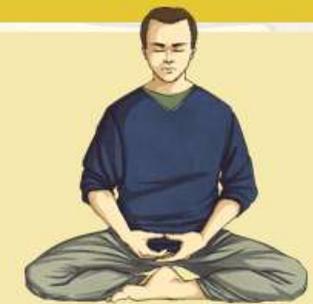
The postman delivered the **mail**.

piece



I just want one **piece** of cake.

peace



I just want some **peace** and quiet.

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### How to Play

Play a game of **Homophone Match**

Click on the squares. Try to find a matching pair. Only turn over **two** cards at a time. Can you match the homophone word to its picture?

?	?	?	?	?
?		?		?
?	?	?	?	?
?	?		?	?

No Match?

If you do not find a matching pair, click the **No Match** button. When you find a matching pair, tick it off from the checklist.

sun



Have you found a matching pair?  
Now, can you use that homophone word within a past tense sentence on your whiteboard?



scent

sent

vain

vein

rode

road

steel

steal

waist

waste

No Match?

Hide Challenge

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# Match the Homophones

Match the homophones by deciding what each word must be based on their meanings.

ball	fare
berry	bury
fair	grate
great	bawl
plain	plane

Can you make one example of your own?

# Spin the Wheel!

Spin the wheel to pick a homophone.

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Wait... It could be the  
reign in Spain!

Is it the rain in Spain or  
the rein in Spain?



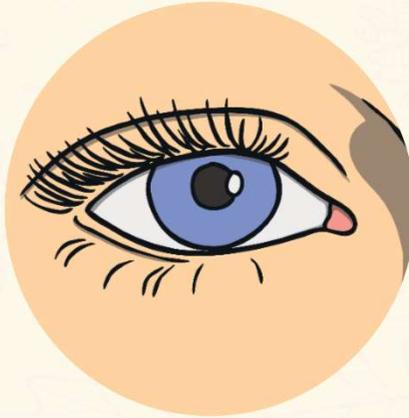
On your whiteboards, write the  
homophone the spinner lands on  
in a sentence.

Do you know what the word means?

To work out the pairs of homophones, I am going to give you some cryptic clues. You will need to work with a partner to figure both words out!

For example a cryptic clue might be...

**To look at the ocean?**



see



sea

Write down the pair of homophones for...

Cryptic Clue 1:

Interfering in an Olympic winner's business?



meddle

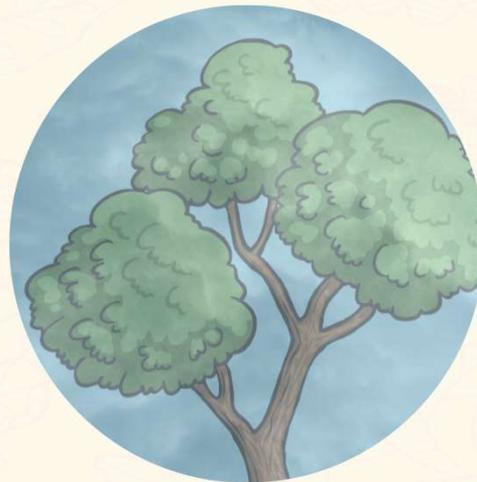


medal

Write down the pair of homophones for...

Cryptic Clue 2:

Late for the train on a foggy morning?



mist

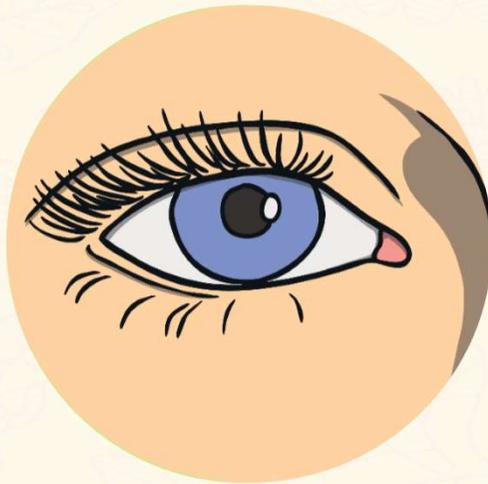


missed

Write down the pair of homophones for...

Cryptic Clue 3:

Looked at a beautiful view?



seen



scene

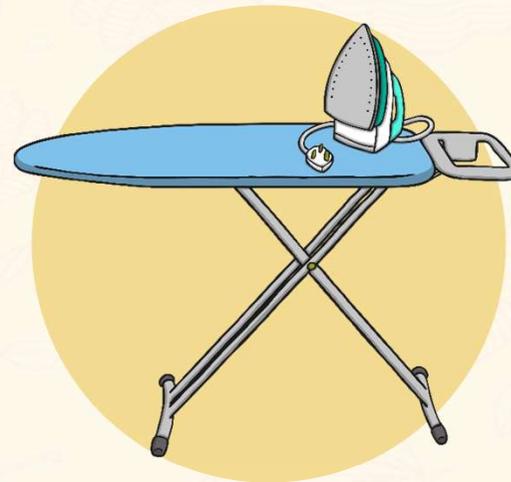
Write down the pair of homophones for...

Cryptic Clue 4:

Feeling fed up of ironing?



**bored**



**board**

Write down the pair of homophones for...

Cryptic Clue 5:

Asking a question to a lady on a broomstick?



which



witch

Write down the pair of homophones for...

Cryptic clue 6:

A fantastic way to separate cheese into small pieces.



Write down the pair of homophones for...

Cryptic clue 7:

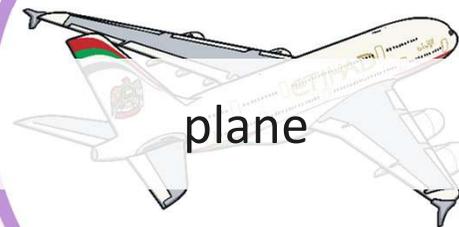
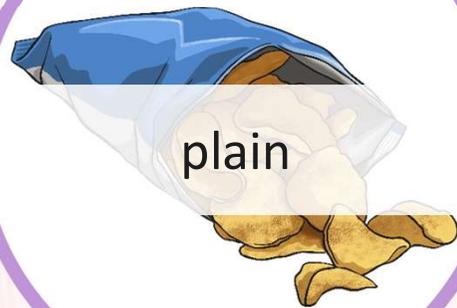
To let out a grunt because you've got taller.



Write down the pair of homophones for...

Cryptic clue 8:

A very simple mode of air travel.



Write down the pair of homophones for...

Cryptic clue 9:

A section of time without war.



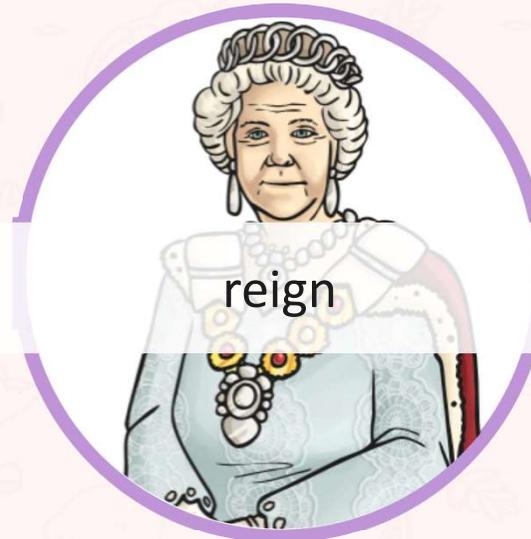
Write down the pair of homophones for...

Cryptic clue 10:

A nasty shower that drenches The Queen on her throne.



rain



reign

Cryptic clue 11:

An animal that grows on your head



hare



hair

Cryptic clue 12:

Swallow a number



ate



eight

Cryptic clue 13:

A boy around whom the planets revolve



sun



son

# Can you think of your own clues for these homophones?

break

brake

here

hear

night

knight

buy

by