

Pronunciation

Homophones are words that have the same sound (pronunciation) but different meanings and (usually) different spelling.

Some simple examples are: to = two, see = sea, made = maid

l	tale
here	their
our	two
to	hour
tail	eye
there	hear



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Rhyming words are words that end with the same sound.

Some simple examples are: new/shoe, about/shout,
hunger/younger

bore

flown

brown

fawn

blue

flew

blow

four

born

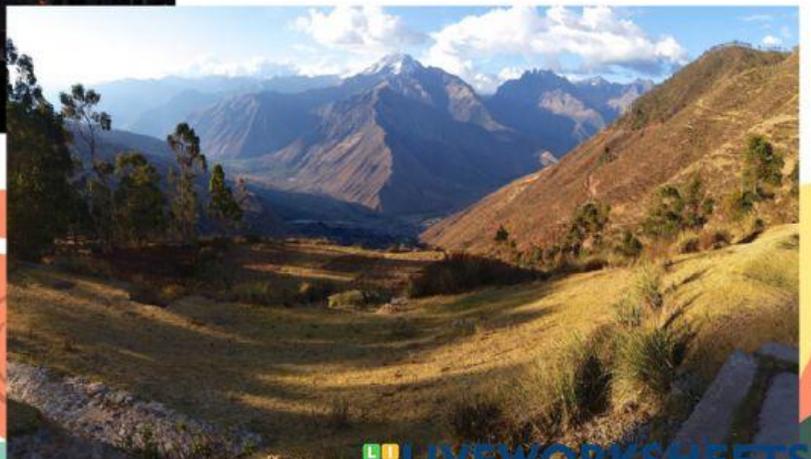
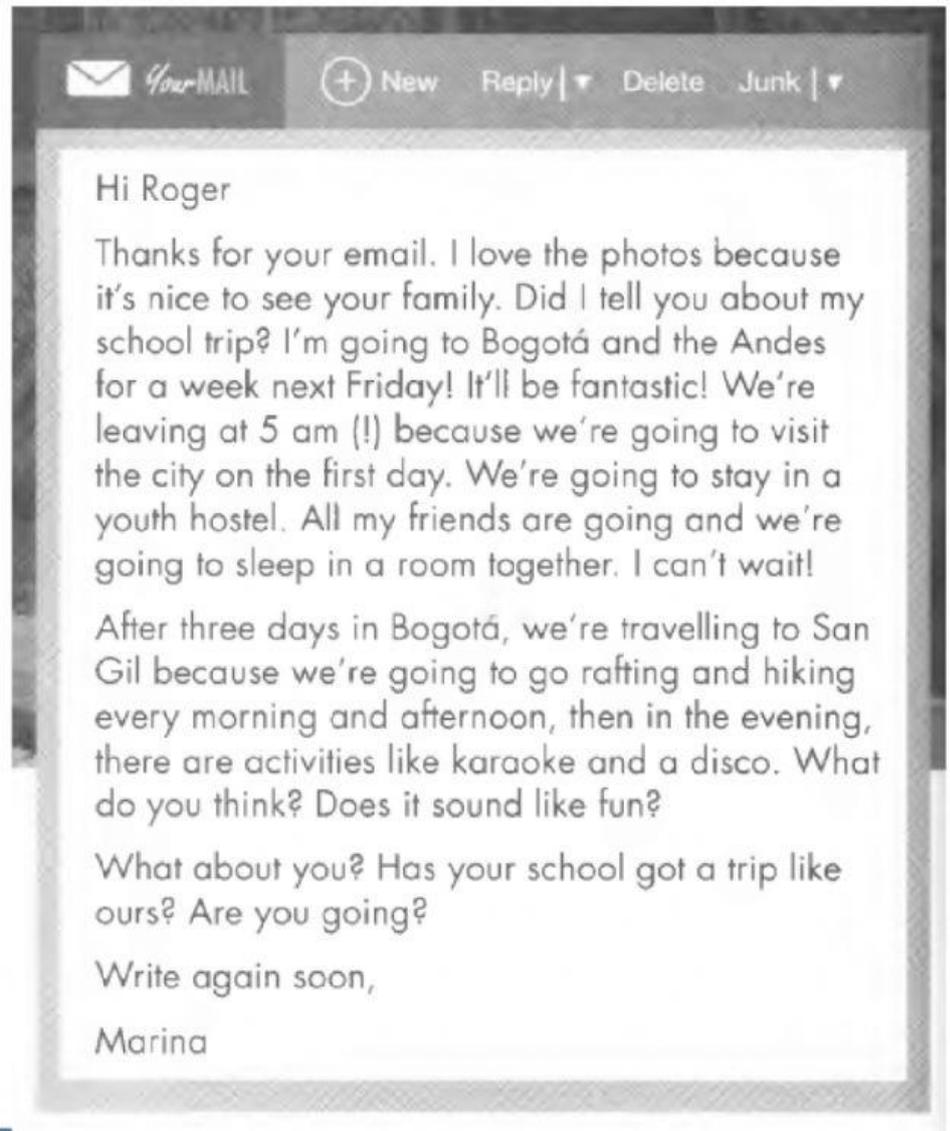
flow

blown

frown



Scan the text and tell: **What is Marina going to do in San Gil?**



Read Marina's email again. What are her answers to these questions?

1. Where are you going to go?



2. Who are you going to go with?



3. When are you going to travel?



4. Where are you going to stay?



5. How long will you be in Bogota?



6. What are you going to do there?



Read the email again. Are the sentences true (T) or false (F)?

1. Marina is going to Bogota with her family.
2. They're leaving very early in the morning.
3. They're going to stay in a hotel in Bogota.
4. There are mountains and a river in San Gil.
5. There's nothing to do in the evening.



How does Marina start and finish her email?

Put the phrases in the correct column above.

Useful language

Starting and finishing an email

Start	Finish
Thanks for your message. How are you? I hope you are well.	Please write soon. Speak soon. Looking forward to hearing from you.

Complete the expressions for starting and finishing an email.

1. I _____ you are well.
2. _____ are you?
3. _____ for your message.
4. _____ soon.
5. Looking _____ to _____ from you.
6. Please _____ soon.



WRITING TIP

Make it better! ✓ ✓ ✓

Use *because* to give a reason.

I love the photos because it's nice to see your family.

Look back at Marina's email. Answer the questions.

1. Why does she love Roger's photos?
2. Why are they leaving at 5 am?
3. Why are they going to San Gil?

Join the sentences with *because*.

1 I'm going to stay in youth hostels. They're really cheap.

2 We're going to the mountains. We want to go skiing.

3 We're going to leave early. We want to visit the museums.

4 I can't wait. All of my friends are coming too.



Read the sentences. Choose opinion (O) or plans (P).

1. This trip will be fantastic. ___

2. We're going to dance at the disco. ___

3. It'll be very relaxing after our visit to Istanbul. ___

4. Send the photos to Sophie - she'll love them! ___

5. My family and I are going to go to Buenos Aires for two weeks. ___

