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### Homophones

Select the correct **HOMOPHONES** in the following sentences. You can use your dictionaries to help you.

Example: The (**sight, site**) of the bone made the dog dribble. **sight**

1. The actress decided not to play the (**roll, role**) because it was too embarrassing. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Mother had to (**wring, ring**) the clothes before hanging them out on the line. \_\_\_\_\_
3. The pupil first planned out his letter and then began to (**write, right**). \_\_\_\_\_
4. Zaire became startled when he heard the (**wrap, rap**) on the door. \_\_\_\_\_
5. The (**reign, rain**) of the king lasted ten years. \_\_\_\_\_
6. Elijah is a well-known (**prophet, profit**) from the bible. \_\_\_\_\_
7. The lion sat quietly by the river waiting for its (**prey, pray**). \_\_\_\_\_
8. The doctors visited the (**patients, patience**) yesterday. \_\_\_\_\_
9. The manager did not (**ascent, assent**) to the employer's proposal. \_\_\_\_\_
10. Every morning the (**principal, principle**) visits the class. \_\_\_\_\_

11. Roses are (**sweet, suite**) smelling flowers. \_\_\_\_\_

12. The farmer placed the (**yolk, yoke**) on the bison's neck. \_\_\_\_\_

13. The (**week, weak**) man needed help to climb the stairs. \_\_\_\_\_

14. The (**weight, wait**) of the man caused the chair to break. \_\_\_\_\_

15. The team had to (**practise, practice**) regularly in order to keep fit.  
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16. Adanni did not listen to his father's (**advice, advise**) and found himself in trouble. \_\_\_\_\_

17. The workers needed more time to (**devise, device**) a plan of action.  
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18. Out of all those interviewed, Shamario was the only one (**eligible, illegible**) for the job. \_\_\_\_\_

19. Many fans visited the airport to welcome the (**eminent, imminent**) singer. \_\_\_\_\_

20. The mayor visited Nathan's home to (**compliment, complement**) him on his success. \_\_\_\_\_