



## Lesson 21 /Homophones

Homophones are words that sound the same but mean different things.

We spell many homophones the same way. But some homophones we spell differently.

### 1 Listen and read.

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| there , their, they're | They're confused about "there", "their", and "they're", but their cat doesn't care.      |
| here, hair, hear       | I was fixing my hair and didn't hear you come in. I spend a lot of time on my hair here. |
| for, four              | I need to go shopping for food, but I'll be back in about four hours.                    |
| poor, pour             | The poor waiter spilled the drinks and had to pour more.                                 |
| see, sea               | I can't wait to see the sea on my next vacation, the sound of the waves is so calming.   |
| by, buy, bye           | I need to buy some food by five, so I have to say bye for now and go to the store.       |
| I, eye                 | I see with my little eye   |
| mail, male             | A male postman brought my mail today   |

their  
there  
they<sup>a</sup>re

### 2 Watch and learn.