

TIP

Homonyms are words that sound alike but have different meanings and different spellings. The words two, to, and too are homonyms. Find the pairs or groups of homonyms in the list words.

LIST WORDS

1. hear	hear
2. here	here
3. tied	tied
4. tide	tide
5. your	your
6. you're	you're
7. hour	hour
8. our	our
9. sail	sail
10. sale	sale
11. two	two
12. too	too
13. to	to
14. pair	pair
15. pear	pear
16. pare	pare
17. maid	maid
18. made	made
19. great	great
20. grate	grate

Spelling Practice

Homonyms

Write the **list words** that contain the vowel sounds given.

long **a** as in say **er** sound as in care

1. _____	12. _____
2. _____	13. _____
3. _____	14. _____

4. _____ **or** sound as in for

5. _____	15. _____
6. _____	16. _____

ir sound as in year long **i** as in side

7. _____	17. _____
8. _____	18. _____

oo sound as in food **ou** sound as in found

9. _____	19. _____
10. _____	20. _____
11. _____	

Definitions

Write the **list word** that matches each meaning.

1. also	_____	2. big	_____
3. cut or trim	_____	4. sixty minutes	_____
5. a sea change	_____	6. twins	_____
7. knotted	_____	8. low prices	_____
9. use ears	_____	10. a contraction	_____
11. boat part	_____	12. house cleaner	_____
13. a fruit	_____	14. a number	_____
15. metal frame	_____	16. toward	_____
17. in this place	_____	18. built	_____

Homonyms

Write two **list words** that are homonyms to answer each riddle.

1. What did the boy say when he saw the fireplace grill?

“What a _____!”

2. What did the girl ask the cook to do?

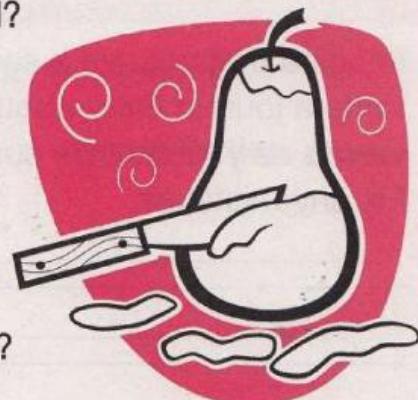
“Please _____ the skin off this _____.”

3. What happened to the messy bed in the hotel room?

The _____ it.

4. What did the people sitting at the concert say?

“We can really _____ well _____.”



Spelling and Writing

Proofreading

This movie poster has eleven mistakes. Use the proofreading marks to fix each mistake. Circle the **list words** that are used incorrectly. Then, write the correct **list words** on the lines.

You wont want to miss hour grate new movie called *Sea Voyage*. Itll have you and you're friends on the edge of your seats. It begins when friends go go for a sale in their new boat. Their trip, which was to only last an our, takes a sudden turn when the tied takes them them far out to sea. After being lost for too weeks, they finally make it back home.

Proofreading Marks

- spelling mistake
- ~~ take out something
- ↓ add apostrophe

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____

