**Homophone Fun 1**



See if you can guess the correct words that go in the gaps in the sentences below.

The words are both homophones and heterographs. They are pronounced the same but spelled differently.

Example. I booked a table for four people.

1 He has only **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_** race so far this season.

2. If I won the lottery, I **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** buy a small house next to the beach made completely of **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**.

3. There was a queue in the gym and she had to **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** to check her **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** on the scales.

4. We agreed to **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** at the local butcher’s to buy some **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** for the dinner party.

5. We listened to the radio program together and my husband **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** the name of the mystery **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** straight away, as soon as she spoke.

6. A rose is a beautiful **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** and **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** is an essential ingredient in bread.

7. Queen Elizabeth **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** over a country where it always **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** because of an unlucky local weather system.

8. She **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** her horse along the **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** through the town centre.

9. I live near the ocean and you can **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** the **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** from my house.

10. I **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** to the UK for my summer holiday but caught the **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** and had to stay in bed.

11. It’s a competitive job trying to **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_** phones to people nowadays. .

12. I can **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** you better over **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**.

13. Tell them to park **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** car over **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**.

14. My brother is a nudist and wants to know **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** he can go on holiday and not **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

anyclothes.

15. I hate the noise of the city and long for a **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** of **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** and quiet.

16. She was **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** stealing and had to go to **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** to answer for her crime.

17. I’m going to stay there **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_** days.

18. I spent the whole month in a **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** and did not notice the **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** going by.





Can you do the exercise without looking in the box below?

**caught/court cell/sell days/daze flew/flu flower/flour for/four guessed/guest hear/here meat/meet one/won peace/piece rains/reins road/rode sea/see their/there wait/weight wood/would**

**Answers**

Example. I booked a table for four people.

1 He has only **won one** race so far this season.

2. If I won the lottery, I **would** buy a small house next to the beach made completely of **wood**.

3. There was a queue in the gym and she had to **wait** to check her **weight** on the scales.

4. We agreed to **meet** at the local butcher’s to buy some **meat** for the dinner party.

5. We listened to the radio program together and my husband **guessed** the name of the mystery **guest** straight away, as soon as she spoke.

6. A rose is a beautiful **flower** and **flour** is an essential ingredient in bread.

7. Queen Elizabeth **reigns** over a country where it always **rains** because of an unlucky local weather system.

8. She **rode** her horse along the **road** through the town centre.

9. I live near the ocean and you can **see** the **sea** from my house.

10. I **flew** to the UK for my summer holiday but caught the **flu** and had to stay in bed.

11. It’s a competitive job trying to **sell cell** phones to people nowadays. .

12. I can **hear** you better over **here**.

13. Tell them to park **their** car over **there**.

14. My brother is a nudist and wants to know **where** he can go on holiday and not **wear** clothes.

15. I hate the noise of the city and long for a **piece** of **peace** and quiet.

16. She was **caught** stealing and had to go to **court** to answer for her crime.

17. I’m going to stay there **for four** days.

18. I spent the whole month in a **daze** and did not notice the **days** going by.

Oronym Snap Game

This game can only be played with even numbers. If you have a group of odd numbers then you should join in the game to make up the numbers. Print out the cards and laminate. For a game of two players just give them a pack of 1 colour (blue or red) each. Groups of four shouldn’t be a problem. Players put their cards in front of them face down. Players take it in turns to place a card in the middle, word side up – without looking at it first. When the card lands in the centre of the table, all the players should say the word. If a card lands on top of a card that has the same pronunciation somebody must say “snap!” to win that round. The winner then takes all the cards in the centre and places them next to their pile. The winner of the game is the last person with the most cards.

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