

## 1. Homographs

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **fly**: to move through the air
- 2) **fly**: a small insect with wings

They **fly** on an airplane to get to Florida.

## 2. Homographs

Read the sentences.  
Is the pronunciation of the homograph in the sentences the same or different?

The **wind** blew the napkin off the table.

If you **wind** up the toy, it will move.



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My paper had a **tear** in it, so I asked for a new one.

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **bark**: the outer covering of a tree
- 2) **bark**: to make a short, loud sound

We heard the neighbor's dog **bark** at the mail carrier.

## 5. Homographs

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **bat**: a long, round stick used to hit a ball
- 2) **bat**: an animal with wings and a furry body

We screamed when we saw a **bat** flying in our house.

## 6. Homographs

Read the sentences.  
Is the pronunciation of the homograph in the sentences the same or different?

The pencil's **lead** keeps breaking, so I will use a pen.

Naja is so excited to be the **lead** in the school musical.



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You are going to **tire** yourself out if you don't take a break.

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **content**: pleased and satisfied
- 2) **content**: the ideas, facts, or images that are in a book, article, movie, etc.

We were **content** after we ate a big meal.

## 9. Homographs

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **dove**: to go head first, past tense of *dive*
- 2) **dove**: a type of bird

Micah was very brave when he dove off the diving board.

## 10. Homographs

Read the sentences.  
Is the pronunciation of the homograph in the sentences the same or different?

Maya and Nico saw a movie last night.

My dad used a saw to build our tree house.



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Mei wiped away a tear from her eye.

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **bass**: a string instrument
- 2) **bass**: a type of fish

Levi plays the bass in the band.

## 13. Homographs

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **train:** to teach the skills needed to do something
- 2) **train:** a kind of vehicle that travels on tracks

Marco took the train to get to the concert.

## 14. Homographs

Read the sentences.  
Is the pronunciation of the homograph in the sentences the same or different?

Omar took a bow after he finished the performance.

The present was tied with a big bow.



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He got a pretty bad wound when he tripped and fell.

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **tear:** to rip or split something open
- 2) **tear:** a drop of liquid that comes from your eyes, especially when you cry

Zara wiped away a tear from her eye.

## 17. Homographs

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **park**: a piece of public land
- 2) **park**: to leave a car, truck, or other vehicle in a particular place

Sarai met her friend at the park.

## 18. Homographs

Read the sentences.  
Is the pronunciation of the homograph in the sentences the same or different?

I could tell he was sad because he had tear in his eye.

My paper had a tear in it, so I asked for a new one.



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Mrs. Cortez asked Mila to go to the back of the line.

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **seal**: to close tightly
- 2) **seal**: an animal that lives in the sea near coasts

Amina made sure to seal the container tightly.

## 21. Homographs

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **pen**: a small, enclosed area for animals
- 2) **pen**: a writing tool that uses ink

Make sure you close the gate to the pen so the pigs don't get out.

## 22. Homographs

Read the sentences.  
Is the pronunciation of the homograph in the sentences the same or different?

Grandma took us to the fair.

It's not fair that we can't get a dog.



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Jamal wanted to skip practice because it was raining.

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **tire**: to lose energy
- 2) **tire**: a rubber ring that usually contains air and fits around a wheel

Mr. Lee's car got a flat tire, so he had to pull over.

## 25. Homographs

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **present:** here
- 2) **present:** a gift

The teacher took attendance to see who was present.

## 26. Homographs

Read the sentences.  
Is the pronunciation of the homograph in the sentences the same or different?

The doctor stitched up the boy's wound.

I wound up the toy and it started moving.



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My mom couldn't find a space to park the car.

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **fan:** a machine that is used to move air and make it cooler
- 2) **fan:** a person who likes and cheers for someone or a team

Zain turned on the ceiling fan.

## 29. Homographs

Write the **number** of the correct definition of the underlined word.

- 1) **crane**: a type of tall bird
- 2) **crane**: to stretch out in order to see better

I had to crane my neck to see over the crowd at the concert.

## 30. Homographs

Read the sentences.  
Is the pronunciation of the homograph in the sentences the same or different?

The tree's root is sticking up through the ground.

The kids root for the winning team.



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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# Task Cards: Homographs

1. \_\_\_\_\_

16. \_\_\_\_\_

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28. \_\_\_\_\_

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29. \_\_\_\_\_

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# ANSWER KEY

## Task Cards: Homographs

1. 1

16. 2

2. different

17. 1

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13. 2

28. 1

14. different

29. 2

15. wound: injury

30. same