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Group B - Week #4 spelling homework



Directions: Circle the correct homophone for each sentence.

1. The first baseman (threw / through) the ball to home.
2. There is (know / no) way that we can drive to the airport in this terrible weather.
3. I love to go to the (fair / fare) and ride the roller coasters.
4. I like fruit for breakfast, so I usually eat a (pair / pear) or an apple.
5. He drove (threw / through) the crowd slowly, smiling and waving.
6. Katie bought a (pair / pear) of sneakers with her birthday money.
7. He wanted to take his (knew / new) iphone to school.
8. We have to pay the (fair / fare) before we can ride the subway.
9. We went to (their / they're) house for dinner.
10. It is a good thing that I (know / no) where she keeps the bandages.
11. He did not think it was (fair / fare) that his older sister had a phone before he did.
12. Even when she (knew / new) the answer, she would not raise her hand.



Directions: Match the word in Column A to its homonym in Column B. The first one is done for you.

	A	B
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wait	_____	1. sighed
ceiling	_____	2. whether
piece	_____	3. weight
side	_____	4. choose
threw	_____	5. sealing
vain	_____	6. eight
weather	_____	7. peace
no	_____	8. heard
chews	_____	9. break
brake	_____	10. pear
ate	_____	11. through
herd	_____	12. know
hire	_____	13. vein
pair	_____	14. higher
bare	_____	15. bear

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slide	slid	sleep	slept	
draw	drew	shine	shone	
bleed	bled	freeze	froze	
say	said	know	knew	new
drive	drove	throw	threw	through
keep	kept	sweep	swept	no

homophones	homographs	homonyms
<i>Words that sound alike</i>	<i>Same spelling, different pronunciation, different meanings</i>	<i>multiple meaning words</i>
addition for math edition of a book	desert = abandon desert = area of land	the spruce tree... to spruce up...
I want to go I like it too One plus one is two	bass = fish bass = instrument	suit yourself... wore a suit ...
capitol building state capital	close = nearby close = to shut	weigh on the scale ... scale the wall...
pick a flower bake with flour	bow = to bend down bow = ribbon	the price is fair ... go to the fair ...

<http://www.spellingcity.com/homophones-and-homonyms.html>

The words **new** and **knew** are homophones. Both words sound the same but the meaning depends on the spelling.

- His **new** bike was too tall for him.
- She **knew** the answer to the final question.

The word **present** is a homograph. It has a different meaning depending on how it is pronounced or being used in a sentence.

- She opened the birthday **present** in five seconds.
- The coach wanted to **present** him with a trophy in front of the team.

The word **past** is a homonym. It is spelled and pronounced the same way but has multiple meanings.

- In the **past**, students had to write all assignments by hand.
- We drove **past** the exit without realizing it.
- The word **past** is also a homophone. What is the one that sounds the same but is spelled differently that belongs in the sentence below?
 - The teacher _____ out the new spelling lists.

