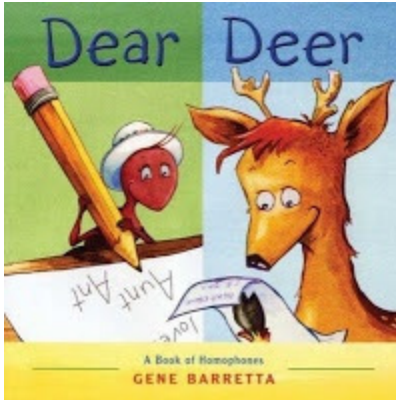


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Compound Words Worksheets

A **homonym** is a word with the **same spelling** as another but with a **different meaning**.



Homophones are words that **sound alike** but have **different meanings**.

Homonyms and homophones can lead to confusion.

Examples:



Example: My friend, Julia, give her best friend a warm **wave** goodbye.



Example: Julia saw the biggest **wave** yesterday at the beach.

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isle



aisle



boy



buoy

Homophone examples

Sun and son

sun- a light in the sky

son – a male child

Examples: The **sun** gives us light during the day.

Lenny's **son** is 12 years old.

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EXERCISE:

Circle the correct word in brackets to complete the sentences.

1. Yesterday, I (**rode, road**) my bicycle to school.
2. I have (**one, won**) sandwich in my lunch kit.
3. Our team (**one, won**) the last game.
4. My sister has long (**hair, here, hare**).
5. Please, stand (**hair, here, hare**) while I fix your lace.
6. The (**hair, here, hare**) ran across the field.
7. I will not swim in the (**see, sea**).
8. Can you (**see, sea**) the boat over there?
9. Daniel told us a (**tail, tale**) about a lizard that lost its (tail, tale).
10. The wind (**blue, blew**) the kite high in the (blue, blew) sky.
11. The man bought a (**sale, sail**) boat that was on (sale, sail).
12. The postman delivered the (**male, mail**) on time on Thursday.
13. Peter is a (**mail, male**).
14. Vanessa does not eat (**meet, meat**).
15. I will (**meet, meat**) you the park tomorrow.
16. He felt (**weak, week**) after an hour of exercise.
17. I need one (**week, weak**) to complete this project.
18. I have (**three, tree**) sisters.
19. A man came to chop down the (**three, tree**) in the yard.
20. I bought (**four, for, fore**) boxes of gloves.