

ENGLISH · GRADES 2–4

# Tricky Homophones

Sound the same — mean different things

## What is a homophone?

Homophones are words that SOUND the same but have different meanings (and usually different spellings). Mixing them up is one of the most common spelling mistakes — even adults make these. Practice spotting the right one.

## 12 tricky pairs

Word	Meaning	Example
there	in that place	It's over there.
their	belonging to them	Their cat is huge.
they're	they are	They're coming over.
your	belonging to you	Is this your bag?
you're	you are	You're early!
its	belonging to it	The dog wagged its tail.
it's	it is	It's raining again.
to	going somewhere; before a verb	I'm going to school. I want to play.
too	also; very	Me too. It's too cold.
two	the number 2	I have two sisters.
here	in this place	Come here.



Word	Meaning	Example
hear	to listen / receive sound	I can hear music.

### Pick the right word

1. (There / Their / They're) is a cat in (there / their / they're) garden.
2. (Your / You're) so good at this!
3. (Its / It's) been a long week.
4. We went (to / too / two) the park, (to / too / two).
5. Can you (here / hear) that noise (here / hear)?

