

Choose the Correct Homophone

Name _____



Recall that homophones are words that sound the same, but have different meanings. For example, a home can be for sale, while a boat can have a sail. The context of the word can help you decide which homophone should be used.

Complete each sentence by choosing the correct homophone and writing it in the blank.

1. After he was sick for several days, his face was _____ (pale/pale).
2. She purchased a beautiful new gown _____ (do/due) the dress.
3. Walking down the _____ (st/ste/stale) to get married can be scary.
4. Glass containers have been _____ (band/banned) on the beach.
5. The baker systematically kneaded the _____ (dough/dough) for the bread.
6. I'd rather receive my _____ (mail/mail) electronically than on paper.
7. He was considered _____ (bald/bald) because he had no hair.
8. We searched everywhere, trying to _____ (find/find) our lost dog.
9. His favorite stringed instrument is the _____ (base/bass) because it is so big.
10. The fight _____ (stare/stare) in the movie was extremely exciting!
11. Though he was already tired, the farmer had to _____ (tow/tow) the weeds.
12. Annabella sat on the bottom _____ (stare/stare) without being noticed.
13. After running out of _____ (flour/flower), the baker had to stop baking.
14. Fierce winds _____ (blew/blew) all night during the thunderstorm.
15. Rover sat and scratched the place where the _____ (flea/flea) bit him.
16. The government has the right to _____ (seize/seize) the stolen property.