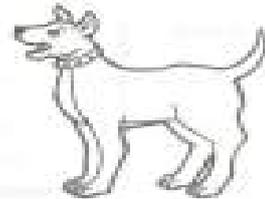


Tied in Knots

Homophones are words that sound alike, but have different spellings and meanings. Below you will find a pair of homophones followed by sentences. Fill in the blank in each sentence with the correct homophone. Use your dictionary for help.

1. **piece** or **peace**

- A. Can I borrow a _____ of paper?
B. There was finally _____ and quiet when the dog stopped barking.



2. **principle** or **principal**

- A. The _____ decided to have a school pizza party.
B. It was a matter of _____ that she return the money she found.

3. **roll** or **role**

- A. My sister got the lead _____ in the play.
B. I ate a delicious _____ at dinner last night.

4. **pear** or **pair**

- A. Grandma has a _____ tree in her back yard.
B. Dad lost his favorite _____ of socks.

5. **plane** or **plain**

- A. Without the decorations, the room looked _____.
B. They boarded the _____ 20 minutes early.

6. **reed** or **read**

- A. The _____ of grass tickled my bare feet.
B. I _____ every night before I go to bed.

7. **scent**, **cent** or **sent**

- A. The package was _____ through the mail.
B. The _____ helped the dog find the missing bone.
C. I didn't spend one _____ at the mall.