



Homophones

Homophones are two (or more) words that sound the same but have different meanings and spellings.

Example: nose (a body part)
 knows (to have information)

PRACTICE

Write the pair of homophones that fit each set of clues.

- Example: The lion has this; it can also be a busy street in town. mane and main
- 1. This is used to hold a plant upright; it is also a type of meat. _____
- 2. This means part of the whole; it can also be the answer in a math problem. _____
- 3. This is delivered each day; it can also be another name for boy. _____
- 4. This is a heavy release of breath; it can also be what clothes you wear. _____
- 5. This means to run away; it can also be a type of bug that lives on dogs. _____
- 6. This is what the king sits on; it also describes what is done with a ball. _____
- 7. This is what you feel when you're hurt; it is also a part of the window. _____
- 8. This is a female deer; it is also what is mixed in a bowl to make cookies. _____
- 9. This means not to live; it also means to color fabric. _____
- 10. This is a measure of time; it can also mean belonging to us. _____
- 11. This is a type of sweet-smelling flower; it can also mean to plant in a straight manner. _____
- 12. This is at the end of a dog; it can also be a type of story. _____
- 13. This is a type of sea bird; it is also what happens when you use a doorknob. _____
- 14. This is what people like to drink in the afternoon; it is also used when playing golf. _____
- 15. This is an actor's part; it is also something eaten at dinnertime. _____

WRITE ON!

On a separate sheet of paper, write pairs of homophone clues for a classmate. Have your classmate write the homophones that fit each clue.