

Lesson 5 Spelling: Homophones

Homophones are words that sound the same but have different spellings and meanings.

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| 1. wait | 8. heal | 15. feat |
| 2. weight | 9. peak | 16. vain |
| 3. heard | 10. peek | 17. vane |
| 4. herd | 11. sent | 18. vein |
| 5. days | 12. cent | 19. miner |
| 6. daze | 13. scent | 20. minor |
| 7. heel | 14. feet | |

Challenge Words

21. raise
22. raze
23. rays
24. principal
25. principle

Dictation sentences:

1. I had to **wait** for the bus.
2. My cat is gaining **weight**.
3. Tom **heard** the doorbell ring.
4. A **herd** of cows ate the grass.
5. There are five **days** in a week.
6. I walked around in a **daze**.
7. That shoe hurts my **heel**.
8. My broken arm will **heal**.
9. He reached a mountain **peak**.
10. Let's **peek** at the baby.
11. She **sent** me an email.
12. The gum cost just one **cent**.
13. A skunk had a strong **scent**.
14. My **feet** ache from walking.
15. Winning the race was a great **feat**.
16. The handsome man was very **vain**.
17. The weather **vane** was on top of the barn.
18. I can see each **vein** in my arm.
19. The **miner** found gold in the mine.
20. It was just a **minor** error.

Weekly Proofreading Sentences 10/18-10/20

Lesson 5: “Stormalong”

Each morning students begin with morning journal work, which includes 2-3 proofreading sentences. First, students make corrections independently in their journal. Then, we discuss the sentence corrections together, and students add in anything they may have missed. On Friday, two sentences are chosen from the week and students make the corrections independently, recalling the discussion from previously in the week.

Typical corrections include capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.

Weekly Grammar focus: Capitalization with proper nouns

Tuesday

1. Love tall tales lik this one!
2. tall tales are stores the past.

Wednesday

3. In our social studis class, we read the constitution of the United States.
4. We read the stories “john henry” and “Paul bunyan.”

Thursday

5. My mother is brazilian and speaks portuguese.
6. “Marco likes tall tales said isabel.