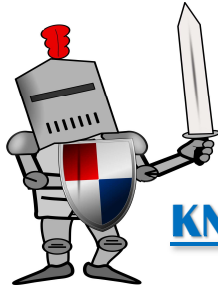


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Homophones

Words that sound the same but are not spelled the same and have different meanings.



KNIGHT



NIGHT

EXAMPLES:

Tale – a story	Tail – hindmost part of an animal
Main – chief in purpose or importance	Mane – long growth of hair on an animal's neck
Week – a period of seven days	Weak – lacking strength or energy
Hair – fine strands growing from skin	Hare – rabbit
Sale – selling something	Sail – wind-catching cloth, travel on water
Maid – female servant	Made – built constructed
Wait – stay where you are, delay	Weight – how heavy an object is.
Hole – hollow space	Whole – complete, all of something
Medal – an award	Metal – solid object, typically hard and shiny
Fur – short hair on some animals	Fir – a type of evergreen tree
Knight – man who served royalty	Night – period of darkness, opposite of day
Right – good, direction one takes	Write – mark on surface with pen, pencil, etc
Steel – hard alloy made of iron	Steal – take something not yours
Feet – more than one foot	Feat – achievement with courage, skill, or strength
Flee – run away	Flea – small, wingless, jumping insect
Fare – money paid for transportation	Fair – according to the rules, light in color
Mail – things sent through postal system	Male – one of two sexes, not female
Pale – light colored	Pail – object for carrying things, bucket
Raise – lift up	Rays – beams of light or heat
Son – male child	Sun – star around which the Earth orbits
Vein – tube in the body that carries blood	Vane – Blade attached to wheel used in wind
Pear – a type of fruit	Pair – two of something
Flour – powder from grinding wheat	Flower – seed-bearing plant with colorful petals
Toe – digit on the foot	Tow – pull object behind