

## **Homophones / Homographs - Practice**

**DIRECTIONS :** Fill in the blanks using the right choice given in brackets.

1. Get up my (sun / son).
2. You (ought / aught) to have said it long ago.
3. (Buoys / Boys) float on the sea to warn ships of danger.
4. He skidded because he did not apply the (brake / break).
5. We must try our best to (caste / cast) away all prejudices.
6. I do not have your (hart / heart).
7. The (hair / hare) has a short tail.
8. The flesh of Kangaroo sells very (deer / dear).
9. He told me the (tail / tale) of a fox.
10. The travelers had a terrible journey through the (torturous / tortuous) road.
11. The children have been playing for (two / too) hours.
12. What is the (prize / price) of it.
13. Please (pray / prey) for me.
14. We (peel / peal) the orange with a knife.
15. Please (pass / pause) for a while.
16. The time is half (passed / past) ten.
17. Her face became (pale / pall) because of fear.
18. (Ore / Oar) is used to row the boat.
19. (Led / Lead) is a heavy metal.
20. Every airport has a (hanger / hangar).
21. There is a (whole / hole) in the bucket.
22. The strength for Achilles was on his (heal / heel).

23. If you want to reach God you have to (forgo / forego) worldly pleasures.

24. (Fowl / Foul) bird does not fly in the air.

25. She narrated a series of (discrete / discreet) events.

**DIRECTIONS: The word below the blank in each sentence is a homonym for the word that belongs in the blank. Write the correct homonym in the blank.**

1. He \_\_\_\_\_ his food with his mouth open. (choose)

2. The \_\_\_\_\_ fabric was not my style. (course)

3. John struck the \_\_\_\_\_ with a mallet. (symbol)

4. The \_\_\_\_\_ book started a protest. (band)

5. I \_\_\_\_\_ these horrible roads, but I love the places they take you. (loath)

6. The \_\_\_\_\_ on my toe didn't sting me. (be)

7. We had a \_\_\_\_\_ survey done before building. (sight)

8. Hippies used to \_\_\_\_\_ their own colourful shirts. (die)

9. The man was \_\_\_\_\_ one hundred dollars. (find)

10. The \_\_\_\_\_ is really contagious around this year. (flew)