

Homophone Worksheet 1.8

Here are 10 sentences that contain pairs or groups of homophones when completed. You need to work out which homophone should go in each space in order for the sentence to make sense.

1. " _____ better make sure that we dig up every " _____ " said one gardener to the other.

Words to use: weed / we'd

2. The decorator " _____ up and down the room while waiting for the wallpaper " _____ to dry.

Words to use: paced / paste

3. The " _____ was " _____ tied well, so it came undone

Words to use: not / knot

4. They saw a " _____ on the bed so they decided to " _____ the motel room.

Words to use: flee / flea

5. The mechanic had to " _____ the car's owner that the brake pads were really " _____ down.

Words to use: warn / worn

6. The children couldn't wait to " _____ the " _____.

Words to use: sea / see

7. The gardener had planted the flowers in the " _____ garden in " _____.

Words to use: rose / rows

8. The " _____ in his sock was so bad that the " _____ of his big toe was sticking out.

Words to use: whole / hole

9. " _____ a very friendly dog" said " _____ owner.

Words to use: it's / its

10. The yacht's owner couldn't afford to replace its " _____, so he had to put it on " _____.

Words to use: sail / sale

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1. "**We'd** better make sure that we dig up every **weed**" said one gardener to the other.
2. The decorator **paced** up and down the room while waiting for the wallpaper **paste** to dry.
3. The **knot** was **not** tied well, so it came undone
4. They saw a **flea** on the bed so they decided to **flee** the motel room.
5. The mechanic had to **warn** the car's owner that the brake pads were really **worn** down.
6. The children couldn't wait to **see** the **sea**.
7. The gardener had planted the flowers in the **rose** garden in **rows**.
8. The **hole** in his sock was so bad that the **whole** of his big toe was sticking out.
9. "**It's** a very friendly dog" said **its** owner.
10. The yacht's owner couldn't afford to replace its **sail**, so he had to put it on **sale**.