

**YEAR 5**

Spelling Patterns and Homophones

Twenty-two questions. Homophones sound the same and mean different things, which is exactly why they are worth marks.

Choose the right word

1 The wind blew ____ the open window.
through / threw **through**

2 She ____ the ball as hard as she could.
threw / through **threw**

3 They left ____ coats in the hall.
their / there / they're **their**

4 Put the box over ____.
there / their / they're **there**

5 I think ____ waiting outside.
they're / their / there **they're**

6 The recipe calls for plain ____.
flour / flower **flour**

7 He was too ____ to reach the shelf.
short / shore **short**

8 We walked along the ____ at low tide.
shore / short **shore**

Adding endings

9 **hope** → add -ing **hoping**

10 **hop** → add -ing **hopping**

11 **carry** → add -ed **carried**

12 **play** → add -ed **played**

- 13 **happy** → add -ly **happily**
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- 14 **gentle** → add -ly **gently**
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- 15 **beauty** → add -ful **beautiful**
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- 16 **courage** → add -ous **courageous**
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Commonly misspelled

- 17 Correct the spelling: **definately** **definitely**
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- 18 Correct the spelling: **seperate** **separate**
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- 19 Correct the spelling: **neccessary** **necessary**
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- 20 Correct the spelling: **embarass** **embarrass**
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- 21 Correct the spelling: **occured** **occurred**
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- 22 Correct the spelling: **begining** **beginning**
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