Primary 5 Grammar: Homophones

Words that sound the same but are spelled differently are called homophones. In our spelling this week we are practising spelling words like

Examples:

new - knew be - bee

flower — flour

<u>Task 1:</u> For each word in **Column A** there is a matching homophone in **Column B**. Can you write or match the correct words?

Column A	Column B
wait	sighed
ceiling	whether
piece	weight
side	choose
threw	sealing
vain	eight
weather	peace
8	heard
chews	break
brake	pear
ate	through
herd	know
hire	vein
pair	higher
bare	bear

Task 2: Can you find 3 more sets of homophones that we have not used in this task or in your spelling words?

1. 2. 3.

Task 3: Choose 5 words from Column A and write 5 sentences using each word and its matching homophone from Column B:

Example:

I used plain flour as in ingredient in my Victoria sponge cake and as a topping I
decorated it with flowers made of icing.

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.