

# Homophones and Near Homophones

Read these extracts from the story 'The Dual World of Anders Arnfield'. Can you select the correct homophone or near homophone for each example?

1. His [father/farther] pushed open the door and poked his head round anxiously.

2. With a [weary/wary] stretch, he rolled over to [look/luck] across towards the beanbag in

the corner of the room.

3. In the opposite corner stood his old oak desk, cluttered with an array of [stationary/stationery], plastic models and unusual objects.



4. Was that the noise he had [herd/heard] in his dream?

5. Anders had already filled his friend in that [morning/mourning] about calling the police out in the middle of the [night/knight].

6. Dashing back into [there/their/they're] own house with renewed urgency, they began [to/

too/two] rummage [threw/through] the [draws/drawers].

7. Charlie leapt over the surprised cat as he [led/lead] the [way/weigh].

8. Anders had [been/bin] [aloud/allowed] to catch the bus [by/buy/bye] himself for the short ride into town.

9. A lady in a smart suit, carrying a briefcase, [wandered/wondered] [past/passed] close to him.