

HOMOGRAPHS

SPELLED THE SAME BUT HAVE DIFFERENT MEANING

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Homograph	Meaning 1	Example sentence 1	Meaning 2	Example sentence 2
Bat	A flying animal	Bat flies at night.	Sports equipment	He hit the ball with a bat.
Bow	A ribbon tied in hair	She tied a bow in her hair.	To bend forward politely	He gave a bow after the play.
Bank	Side of a river	We sat by the bank of the river.	A place to keep money	She put her money in the bank.
Light	Not heavy	The bag is not heavy.	Brightness from a lamp	Turn on the light, please.
Ring	Jewellery for a finger	She is wearing a gold ring.	A sound from a phone/bell	The church's bell will ring soon.
Rock	A hard stone	He threw a rock into the water.	A type of music	They always play rock music loudly.
Watch	A clock on your wrist	Somebody stole my watch yesterday.	To look at something	We watch TV every evening.
Tear	A drop from crying	A tear rolled down her cheek.	To rip something	Don't tear the paper, please.
Lead	A grey metal	Pencils do not contain lead.	To guide someone	The general will lead us to victory.
Match	A sports game	They watched a football match.	A stick to make fire	He lit a match to start the fire.