

Test Your Speaking & Listening Skills

Sound-Alike Words 5

Words which sound the same as each other but have different spellings and meanings are called **homophones**. Read the sentences below. Underline the incorrect word in each sentence and write a sound-alike word (a word that sounds the same but which fits the sentence) in the space provided:

1. Colin tried to worn him about the shark, but he wouldn't listen. _____
2. 'Thank you so much for your help.' 'Your welcome.' _____
3. I had a fantastic time at your wedding. Really, I had a bawl. _____
4. I buy the Sunday Express every weak without fail. _____
5. Do you know where I can buy a cheep PC? _____
6. The forth time I went to Australia I visited Uluru. _____
7. Bertrand cannot weight to get married. _____
8. We applied for permission to billed on land next to our farm. _____
9. Should we tell Andrey that we don't want hymn in the band? _____
10. How much milk wood you like in your coffee? _____
11. I can't find the write words to describe how I feel about you. _____
12. Wear do you think you're going with my jaffa cakes? _____
13. Your cat is so mischievous. He's getting boulder by the day. _____
14. Yew won't believe who I saw at the dentist's yesterday. _____
15. Karen didn't know weather or not to go out with Richard. _____

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Answers:

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| 1. Colin tried to <u>worn</u> him about the shark, but he wouldn't listen. | warn |
| 2. 'Thank you so much for your help.' ' <u>Your</u> welcome.' | you're |
| 3. I had a fantastic time at your wedding. Really, I had a <u>bawl</u> . | ball |
| 4. I buy the Sunday Express every <u>weak</u> without fail. | week |
| 5. Do you know where I can buy a <u>cheep</u> PC? | cheap |
| 6. The <u>forth</u> time I went to Australia I visited Uluru. | fourth |
| 7. Bertrand cannot <u>weight</u> to get married. | wait |
| 8. We applied for permission to <u>billed</u> on land next to our farm. | build |
| 9. Should we tell Andrey that we don't want <u>hymn</u> in the band? | him |
| 10. How much milk <u>wood</u> you like in your coffee? | would |
| 11. I can't find the <u>write</u> words to describe how I feel about you. | right |
| 12. <u>Wear</u> do you think you're going with my jaffa cakes? | where |
| 13. Your cat is so mischievous. He's getting <u>boulder</u> by the day. | bolder |
| 14. <u>Yew</u> won't believe who I saw at the dentist's yesterday. | you |
| 15. Karen didn't know <u>weather</u> or not to go out with Richard. | whether |