

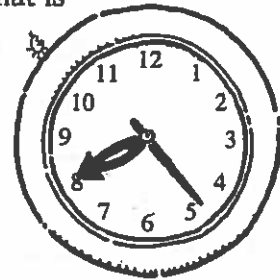
# Homographs

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A **HOMOGRAPH** IS A WORD THAT IS SPELLED THE SAME AS ANOTHER WORD BUT HAS A DIFFERENT MEANING AND SOMETIMES A DIFFERENT PRONUNCIATION.

- If you **present** something, you give it.
- When you are **present**, you are there in person.
- Refuse** is garbage.
- If you **refuse** to do something, you won't do it.
- An **invalid** is someone who is sick.
- Something is **invalid** when it is no longer in force.
- If you **object** to something, you oppose it.
- An **object** is something you can see or touch.

Something that is **minute** is very small.



A **minute** is a measure of time.

**A. Read each sentence. Then circle the correct word.**

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|---|---------------|---------------|
| 1. The invalid was too ill to get out of bed.       | a. in' və ləd | b. in va' ləd |
| 2. Mom does not object to driving us to the movies. | a. əb' jikt   | b. əb jekt'   |
| 3. Every minute counts in a race.                   | a. mī nūt'    | b. mi' nət    |
| 4. Hannah wants to present flowers to the teacher.  | a. pre' zənt  | b. pri zent'  |
| 5. The twins refuse to wear the same clothes.       | a. ri fyüz'   | b. re' fyüs   |
| 6. How many class members are present today?        | a. pre' zənt  | b. pri zent'  |

**B. Write a vocabulary word for each underlined word.**

- 1. This old passport is worthless. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. The man was carrying a large item. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Put your trash in the container. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. The dollhouse had tiny dishes. \_\_\_\_\_

# Word Meaning

Answer these questions using spelling words.

1. Which spelling words rhyme with these words?

a. would \_\_\_\_\_

d. beauty \_\_\_\_\_

b. spool \_\_\_\_\_

e. cookie \_\_\_\_\_

c. flew \_\_\_\_\_

f. booth \_\_\_\_\_

2. Which spelling words have about the same meanings as these words?

a. dreary \_\_\_\_\_

g. select \_\_\_\_\_

b. tossed \_\_\_\_\_

h. hint \_\_\_\_\_

c. beginner \_\_\_\_\_

i. honesty \_\_\_\_\_

d. destroy \_\_\_\_\_

j. announcement \_\_\_\_\_

e. pathway \_\_\_\_\_

k. comprehended \_\_\_\_\_

f. baggy \_\_\_\_\_

l. regularly \_\_\_\_\_

## My Spelling Dictation

Write two sentences using four of this week's spelling words.

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_