

Puns with Homophones #1



A **pun** is a form of wordplay that uses multiple meanings of a word or phrase for a humorous effect. Some puns use homophones to give a statement double meaning.

Remember, **homophones** are words that sound the same but have different meanings and different spellings, like 'there' and 'their'.

Directions: Circle the homophone in each pun. Then, on the line, write the corresponding homophone that gives the pun its double meaning.

Example: This bread recipe is a family secret. I can only share it on a knead to know basis. **need**

1. When a clock is hungry, it goes back four seconds. _____
2. When Kelly got married, she got a new name and a dress. _____
3. Did you hear about the guy whose whole left side was cut off? He's all right now. _____
4. My bicycle can't stand on its own. It's two tired. _____
5. The pet store is having a bird contest. No perches necessary. _____
6. Where do polar bears vote? The North Poll. _____
7. Kevin wrote a song about tortillas. Actually, it's more of a rap. _____
8. When Jake found a gray hair, he thought he'd dye. _____
9. My pony has a cough today. He's a little hoarse. _____
10. Did you hear about the cub who wore slippers? He didn't want bear feet. _____

Try it! Write your own pun using a homophone for **hair**.
