

Homophones
Word Meanings

sail - part of a boat, to travel by boat

sale - when things are sold

pear - a tasty fruit

pair - two things

steal - to take someone's property

steel - a strong metal

waist - the middle of your body

waste - things left over, rubbish

hair - grows on an animal's body

hare - a furry animal

tale - a story

tail - part of an animal

ant - an insect

aunt - Mum or Dad's sister

pain - when something hurts

pane - glass in a window frame

hole - you dig a hole with a spade!

whole - I ate a whole cake!

cereal - you eat this for breakfast

serial - part of a series of TV programmes

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(1) pear pair

(a) You should wear your new _____ of shoes.

(b) A _____ tree is growing in my garden.

(2) waist waste

(a) Always put _____ paper in the recycling box.

(b) Wear this belt round your _____

(3) hair hare

(a) Many animals have _____ to keep warm.

(b) I read the story "The Tortoise and the _____"

(4) steal steel

(a) A burglar broke into the house to _____ money.

(b) Cars and ships are built from _____

(5) sail sale

(a) Every year we have a bun _____ at Brooklands.

(b) Every day boats _____ from Belfast to Scotland.

(6) tale tail

(a) "Jack and the Beanstalk" is a well-known _____

(b) A squirrel has a thick, furry _____

(7) pain pane

(a) If you are in _____ you can take Calpol.

(b) The ball went through a _____ of glass.

(8) ant aunt

(a) A tiny _____ is crawling over my hand!

(b) My _____ bought me a lovely birthday present.

(9) hole whole

(a) We spent the _____ day at the beach.

(b) There's a little _____ in your jumper.

(10) cereal serial

(a) My favourite breakfast _____ is Rice Krispies.

(b) I love watching that new _____ on the television.