

UNIT 6

HOMONYMS

REVIEW

A Homonyms

If two words have the same pronunciation, but are spelt differently and have different meanings, they are called homonyms.

B Some Common Homonyms

air	—	heir
allowed	—	aloud
bale	—	bail
bare	—	bear
bough	—	bow
boy	—	buoy
by	—	buy
cent	—	scent
dear	—	deer
die	—	dye
fair	—	fare
hair	—	hare
hale	—	hail
heal	—	heel
hour	—	our

key	—	quay
mail	—	male
medal	—	meddle
pail	—	pale
pray	—	prey
principal	—	principle
root	—	route
sale	—	sail
sew	—	sow
sole	—	soul
stair	—	stare
steel	—	steal
tail	—	tale
weak	—	week