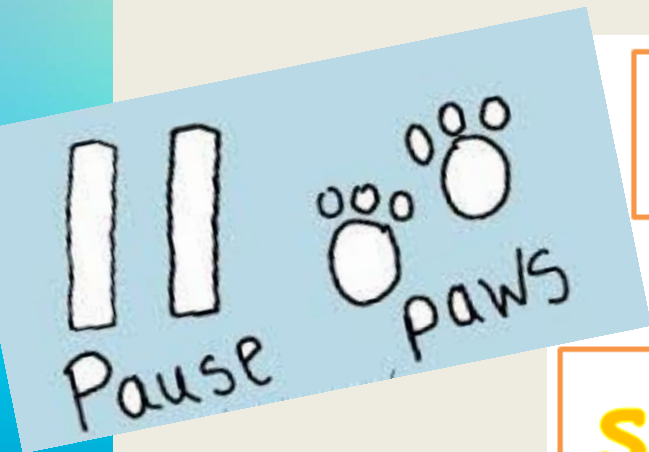


Homophones

What are they?

Homophones are words that **sound the same** but have **different meanings and spellings**:



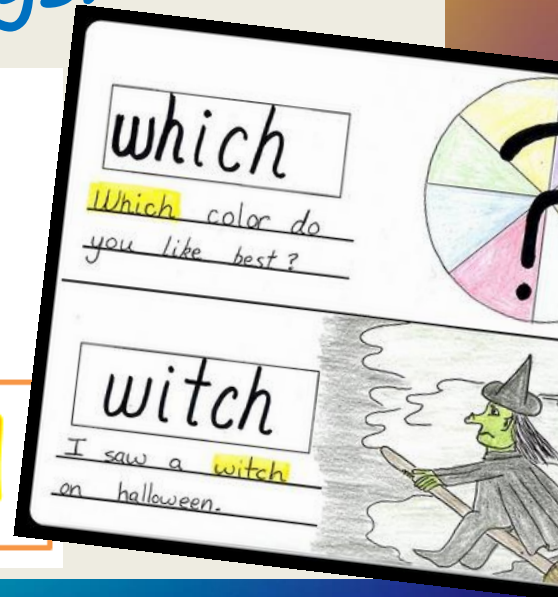
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same



sound



Common Homophones 3

its / it's (pp15)

'Its' means 'belonging to it'

"The tree has lost all of its leaves"

'It's' is short for 'it is' and 'it has'

"It's important to learn the correct spelling of each homophone." (It is)

*"It's taken a while, but finally I understand!"
(It has)*

Common Homophones 3

whose / who's (pp24)

'Whose' means 'belonging to whom'

Whose planner is this?"

'Who's' is short for 'who is' and 'who has'

Who's finished the task?" (Who has)

Who's going to tell me what happens next?" (Who is)