

FUMC ESL 12-7-2017 Advanced Lesson

Homophones are words that sound the same, but are spelled differently and have different meanings. These sentences have a homophone that is incorrect. Correct them.

1. Please turn off your sell phone.
2. We keep our wine in the seller where it is cool.
3. That guy put tax under my saddle to make my horse jump when I got on.
4. Whose sighed are you on?
5. The meeting between the two sides was very tents.
6. The tied rolled in a little after sundown.
7. We warned the government not to sleigh the prisoners.
8. The old woman rung out the laundry and hung it on the line.
9. I'd love to visit your rows garden.
10. The wrapped listeners sat on the edge of their seats as the mountaineer described climbing to the summit.
11. The burglar pride open the window and slipped inside.
12. We ate the candy bar peace by peace.
13. The nurse attends all her patience with the same loving care.
14. The dogs pause were bruised and cut after his long walk home.
15. The family was in morning for their lost dog.
16. If you based the turkey all night, it will be tender.
17. The wild bore ravaged the flower beds of the homes nearest the woods.
18. Our seats are the ones closest to the isle.
19. If the government builds a wall on the border, we will seed territory to Mexico.
20. The weather got chili after the cold front moved in.
21. Put the dirty clothes down the laundry shoot.
22. The cruise on the crews were professional and polite.
23. The fair to ride the train is too expensive. It's just not fare.
24. I no of know reason to let our insurance coverage laps.
25. The martial enforced marshall law.

Discuss:

1. Some cities have curfews for teens to encourage them stay at home and avoid trouble on the streets. Do you think this is fair?
2. Once your children have reached the age of 18, their health info belongs to them. A parent may not get information about their child's health unless the child has agreed to release it to them. Example: A couple's 18 year old daughter was admitted to the hospital after

threatening to commit suicide. Because she was 18, the hospital did not contact the parents. Only after several days in the hospital, did the daughter finally agree that the hospital could contact her parents. Do you think this is fair to the parents? Is this rule in effect in your country?

3. Can you think of a situation where it might be fair to give someone an unequal advantage? For example: Affirmative action is a policy to redress past discrimination by giving an advantage to persons who have been discriminated against. Is this fair?
4. Some cities tax soda to make it expensive. The rationale is that soda, because of its extremely high concentration of sugar, is a contributing factor to diabetes and other health issues, thus it should be taxed like alcohol and tobacco. Do you agree? Is it fair that some items are taxed more heavily than others, i.e. alcohol and tobacco?
5. Do you think merit based raises are more fair than length of service raises? How do you determine merit for occupations like nursing and teaching?