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More Homophones

Remember

Homophones are words that sound the same. They are spelled differently and have different meanings.

Two means "the number 2." To means "toward" or it is used with a verb. Too means "also."

Cameron brought two balloons to the party. He asked Aiko to bring balloons, too.

Its means "belonging to it." It's is a contraction for "it is" or "it has."

The dog left its bone here. It's going to eat the bone later.

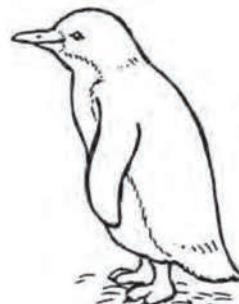
Think About

How can you remember the difference between it's and its?

Read and Apply

Read the sentences. Find the five incorrect homophones. Put a line through each one and write the correct word above it.

The little penguin gets it's name because of its size. It's the smallest penguin. Little penguins lay two eggs at a time. The too parents take turns watching the eggs. A little penguin uses its two flippers to swim fast. Its shape helps it move quickly in the water, too. It swims and dives to catch fish. Its blue and white feathers are waterproof. Its able to stay warm in the cold water. Many people come two Australia and New Zealand to see little penguins. Those are the only two places too see one in its natural home.



Write About

Use the given homophone in a sentence.

1. to

2. two

3. too

4. its

5. it's

Review

Circle the correct homophone to complete each sentence.

1. There are [two to] bottles of water in the bag.

2. The cat was playing with [it's its] toy.

3. Let's go [too to] the park after school.

4. [It's Its] time to go to bed.

5. I want to plant tomatoes and corn in the garden, [two too].

6. I am going [too to] ride my bike in the driveway.