CHAPTER 7

Pair of Words

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Words which sound alike but have different spellings and meanings are called pair of words or homonyms.

No.	Words	Meanings	Sentences
1.	Access	a way of entering or reaching a place	I have no access to him.
	Excess	more than is necessary	Excess of everything is bad.
2.	Adopt	choose to take up, follow, or use	He decided to adopt a child.
2.	Adapt	become adjusted to new conditions	She has adapted herself to the new situation.
	Admit	to agree that something is true	I admit that he is not honest.
3.	Confess	to admit that you have done something wrong or illegal	We persuaded him to confess his crime.
4.	Advice	guidance or recommendations	He gave me good advice.
	Advise	offer suggestions	I advise you to go for a walk.
	Enmity	feelings of hate towards somebody	Her action earned her the enmity of others.
5.	Amity	a friendly relationship	The two families lived in perfect amity for many years in the same house.
6	Amoral	not following any moral rules	Adnan was greedy, amoral and dishonest.
6.	Immoral	not considered to be good or honest	It is immoral to harm animals for fun.
7.	Appraise	to judge the quality, success, or needs of someone or something	She stepped back to appraise her workmanship.
, ,	Apprise	inform or tell (someone)	He saw no reason to apprise the committee of what had happened.

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	Accede	agree to a demand,	He graciously acceded to our
		request, or a treaty	request.
8.		to be greater than a	The cost must not exceed ten
	Exceed	particular number or	thousand rupees.
		amount	
	Aural	connected with	We need aural help.
9.	714141	hearing and listening	
J.	Oral	spoken rather than	He took an oral test.
		written	
		the act of listening to,	Pay attention to your work.
	Attention	looking at or thinking	
10.		about something	
		carefully	Halian and Calendians
	Intention	a thing intended; an	He has good intentions .
		aim or a plan.	Mar Carlotte anno anti-arriva arriva
	Avocation	a hobby or a minor	My favourite avocation is reading.
11.		occupation	
	Vocation	a person's employment	I'm a carpenter by vocation .
		or main occupation	
	A lot	a large number or	He played tennis a lot last year.
12.		amount	
	Allot	give (something) to	How much money has been
	111100	someone.	allotted to us?
	All ready	completely prepared	They are all ready for the big
	1111 Today	46	meeting.
13.		before now or before a	I've already spent my salary.
	Already	particular time in the	
	10	past	
	10,0	a prize for something	He was awarded a medal.
	Award	that somebody has	
14.	7	done	Vou decense a newand for heire as
	Reward	a thing given in	You deserve a reward for being so
	Kewaru	recognition of service,	helpful.
		effort, or achievement	Dogt in game villeges is distributed
15.	Altomoto	happening or	Post in some villages is distributed
	Alternate	following one after the	on alternate days.
		other regularly	771
		a thing that you can	There is no alternative to hard
	Alternative	choose to do or have	work.
		out of two or more	
		possibilities	

		to produce a change in	Weather affects everything.
	Affect	somebody/something	weather ancers everything.
1.6		a change which is a	His advice cast a great effect on me.
16.	TE OF	result or consequence	
	Effect	of an action or other	
		cause	
	Amiable	pleasant; friendly and	Her parents seemed very amiable.
17.	Aimable	easy to like	
17.	Amicable	done or achieved in a	We decided it amicably .
	74imeable	polite or friendly way	
		the space between two	A triangle has three angles .
	Angle	lines or surfaces that	-01
18.	i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i	join, measured in	
		degrees	
	Angel	a person who is very	Thanks dear father, you are an angel.
		good and kind	Our and the start and a suite latiness in
1.0	Anticipate	to expect something	Our anticipated arrival time is 8:30 pm.
19.		to think or believe that	Texpect to pass the test.
	Expect	something will happen)
	Davidas	in addition to or apart	I have got no family besides my
20.	Besides	from	parents.
20.	Beside	next to or at the side of	The cat was sitting beside her
	Deside		baby.
		in or into the space	He stood between his mother and
	Between	separating two or	father.
21.		more points, objects,	
		people, etc.	We have small law saves
	Among	in the middle	We have great love among ourselves.
	Backwards	towards a place or	I lost my balance and fell
22.	Ducity at us	position that is behind	backwards.
	Backward	directed or moving	I heard a noise behind me and
	~ WULLING U	towards the back	stepped backward.
23.	David	feeling tired and impatient because you	We got bored sitting idle.
	Bored	have lost interest	
		a long thin piece of	He writes on the board .
	Board	strong hard material	The writes on the board.
		to be damaged and	Do not break your promise.
24.	Break	separated into two or	20 not be one your promise.
		more parts	
	l		

	Brake	a device for slowing or	Use the brake to stop it.
	Diake	stopping a vehicle	
		the air that you take	He held his breath .
	Breath	into your lungs and	
		send out again	
25.		to take air into your	He breathed his last yesterday.
	Breathe	lungs and send it out	
		again through your	
		nose or mouth	
	Bridal	connected with a bride	She was dressed in a red bridal
26.		or a wedding	gown.
	Bridle	headgear to control a	Aslam led a horse by the bridle .
		horse	
		a strong heavy rough	Use a canvas to cover the goods.
	Canvas	material used for	101
		making tents, sails,	760
27.		etc.	II would be and also would
		to ask people to	He spent the whole month
	Canvass	support a particular	canvassing for votes.
		person, a political party,	
		etc. to criticize somebody	He was censured for leaking
	Censured	severely	information to the press.
		to remove the parts of	This scene was cut by the censor
28.		a book, film, etc. that	board.
20.	Censor	are considered to be	board.
		offensive or a political	
	•	threat	
		having the qualities	She retained a childlike sense of
	Childlike	that children usually	wonder.
29.		have	
	CL TL L	behaving in a stupid or	I hate her childish habits.
	Childish	silly way	
		the things that you	They wear simple clothes .
30.	Clothes	wear, such as trousers,	- -
		dresses and jackets	
		material made	He sells towels and cloths on the
	Cloths	by weaving or knitting	footpath.
		cotton, wool, silk, etc.	
31.	Coarse	rough or harsh in	His skin was coarse and dry.
		texture	

		a series of lessons or	The course textbook has thirty
	Course	lectures on a particular subject	units.
		tell somebody that you like or admire	She complimented him on his excellent English.
32.	Complimented	something they have done, their appearance, etc.	
	Complement	to add to something in a way that improves it or makes it more attractive	These two ideas complement each other.
33.	Confident	feeling sure about your own ability to do things and be successful	I am confident of my success.
33.	Confidante	a person that you trust and whom you talk to about private or secret things	A wife is the most confidante for a husband.
	Conscious	aware of something, noticing something	She is very conscious of her weakness.
34.	Conscience	the part of your mind that tells you whether your actions are right or wrong	His conscience is not dead but alive.
	Convince	to make somebody/ yourself believe that something is true	She managed to convince even the ones against her.
35.	Persuade	to make somebody do something by giving them good reasons for doing it	The manager persuaded the client to buy his product.
	Counsel	a piece of advice especially given by older people or experts	It is better that you should act upon your father's counsel .
36.	Council	a group of people who are elected to govern an area such as a city or a county	I am a member of the union council.

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		a loud, unpleasant	The children were making an awful
37.	Din	noise that lasts for a	din.
37.		long time	
	Dine	to eat dinner/ food	She likes to dine at restaurants.
		the fact of having or	I have no dissent in this case.
		expressing opinions	
	Dissent	that are different from	
38.		those that are	
		officially accepted	
	Dagaant	an action of coming or	Descent is easier than ascent.
	Descent	going down	
		a book in which you	He lost his diary .
		can write down the	
	Diary	experiences you have	×O [×]
39.	ľ	each day, your private	4
		thoughts, etc.	ר'
	- ·	milk, cheese and other	We buy milk at the dairy.
	Dairy	milk products	
	-	sweet food eaten at the	After dinner, we have ice cream as a
	Dessert	end of a meal	dessert.
40		a large area of land	Deserts are full of sand.
40.	D	that has very little	
	Desert	water and very few	
		plants growing on it	
		to invent something	He devised a new gadget.
	Devise	new or a new way of	
		doing something	
41.	10	an object or a piece of	The internet has complex devices .
	- Q	equipment that has	1
	Device	been designed to do a	
	11.	particular job	
	Die	to stop living	He died yesterday.
42.		to change the colour of	She dyed her hair.
	-	something, especially	€
	Dye	by using a special	
		liquid or a substance	
		connected with the	Our economic condition is not
		trade, industry and	good.
43.	Economic	development of wealth	
		of a country, an area	
		or a society	
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	Economical	providing good service or value in relation to the amount of time or money spent	Be economical in every work.
	Elect	to choose somebody to do a particular job by voting for them	The party elected her leader in 2017.
44.	Select	to choose somebody from a group of people or things, usually according to a system	He selected a good place for a camp.
45.	Elicit	to get information or a reaction from somebody, often with difficulty	My question elicited no response.
	Illicit	not allowed by law	He was involved in an illicit affair.
46.	Eminent	famous and respected, especially in a particular profession	He studies in an eminent university.
	Imminent	likely to happen very soon	His death is imminent .
	Entomology	the scientific study of insects	He decided to specialize in entomology .
47.	Etymology	the study of the origin and history of words and their meanings	She developed an interest in etymology .
48.	Especially	more with one person, thing, etc. than with others, or more in particular circumstances than in others	He was especially concerned about the contract.
	Specially	for a particular purpose, person, etc.	The speech was written specially for the occasion.
49.	Everyday	(adjective) used or happening daily or regularly; ordinary	I learn English everyday .
	Every day	(adverb) used or happening each day	The library is open every day .
50.	Explicit	clear and easy to understand	They were given explicit instructions.

	Implicit	suggested without being directly expressed	There was clearly an implicit criticism.
51.	Farther	at or to a greater distance in space or time	He went farther than I.
	Further	more; additional	He demanded further cash.
52.	Fewer	a small number of people, things or places; some	No fewer than ten men came there.
	Less	a smaller amount of	A bike needs less fuel.
	Formerly	in the past	He was formerly a teacher here.
53.	Formally	in a very correct way that is suitable for official or important occasions	The deal will be formally announced on Tuesday.
	Fourth	ordinal number (4 th)	It's her fourth birthday.
54.	Forth	(from a place) out or away, or (from a point in time) forward	He went forth to spread the news.
55.	Heard	be told or informed of	He heard the news of his failure.
	Herd	a large group of animals	He owned a herd of cattle.
	Healthful	good for your health	Eat healthful food.
56.	Healthy	having good health and not likely to become ill	He looked handsome and healthy .
	Heroine	a girl or a woman who is admired by many for doing something brave or good	The hero married the heroine .
57.	Heroin	a powerful illegal drug made from morphine, that some people take for pleasure and can become addicted to it	Heroin is harmful to life.
58.	Horde	a large crowd of people	A horde of tourists entered the museum.

		a collection of money,	He kept a little hoard of
	Hoard	food, valuable objects,	chocolates.
		etc.	
		60 minutes; one of the	An hour has sixty minutes.
	Hour	24 parts that a day is	
59.		divided into	
	Our	belonging to us;	This is our school.
		connected with us	
		a false idea or belief,	This movie is full of illusions .
	Illusion	especially about	
		somebody or about a	\
		situation	-01
60.		something that is said	He made an allusion to his
		or written that refers to	lameness.
	Allusion	or mentions another	4
		person or subject in an	×0'
		indirect way	.03
		to come and live	He immigrated to Pakistan.
	Immigrate	permanently in a	
	8	country after leaving	
61.		your own country	
		to leave your own	My grandfather emigrated from
	Emigrate	country to go and live	Pakistan.
	8	permanently in another country	
		not willing or not able	I don't trust incredulous fellow.
		to believe something;	1 don't trust mercuulous lenow.
	Incredulous	showing a lack of	
62.	incredutous	ability to believe	
02.		something	
		impossible or very	The movie tells an incredible story
	Incredible	difficult to believe	of survival.
		to make somebody	The suffering inflicted on children
63.	Inflicted	suffer something	was unimaginable
		unpleasant	3
		to affect somebody in	Severe illness has afflicted the
	Afflicted	an unpleasant or	region.
		harmful way	
	Ingenuous	honest, innocent and	He seemed too ingenuous for a
64.	ingenuous	willing to trust people	reporter.
04.	Ingenious	very suitable for a	She was ingenious at finding ways
	ingenious	particular purpose and	to work more quickly.

		resulting from clever	
		new ideas	
		involving a lot of work	He is in the intensive care unit.
	Intensive	or activity done in a	
65.		short time	
	Extensive	covering a large area;	He made an extensive study.
	Extensive	great in amount	
		the most recent or the	What is the latest score?
	Latest	newest thing or a piece	
66.		of news	
00.		happening or coming	She died last year.
	Last	after all other similar	
		things or people	
		a flash, or several	Thundering follows lightning.
	Lightning	flashes, of very bright	
	Lightning	light in the sky caused	1. O.T
67		by electricity	
67.		to become or make	Lightening the load causes relief.
	T ! = 1. 4 !	something become	
	Lightening	brighter or lighter in)
		colour	
		growing thickly and	Tall, luxuriant plants grew along
	Luxuriant	strongly in a way that	the river bank.
		is attractive	
68.		very comfortable;	The house is luxuriously
		containing expensive	furnished and carpeted.
	Luxurious	things that give	*
	4	pleasure	
	Martial W	connected with	Martial law has now been lifted.
	Martial	fighting or war	
(0	, N	connected with	What is your marital status?
69.	Marital	marriage or with the	
	Marital	relationship between a	
		married couple	
70.		a flat piece of metal,	I have won many medals .
		usually like a coin in	-
		shape, that is given to	
	Model	the winner of a	
	Medal	competition or to	
		somebody who has	
		been brave, for	
		example in war	

		to involve yourself in	Do not meddle in my affairs.
	Meddle	something that should	·
		not really involve you	
		connected with	What is the moral lesson of this
	Moral	principles of right and	story?
		wrong behaviour	
71.		the amount of	Their morale is high.
/ 1.		confidence and	
	Morale	enthusiasm, etc. that a	
		person or a group has	
		at a particular time	
	Naval	connected with	He is a retired naval officer.
		the navy of a country	
		the small round part in	Navel supplies the children with
72.		the middle of the	food.
, 2.	Navel	stomach, on the front	ר'
	11441	of somebody's body,	00
		where the umbilical	
		cord is cut on birth	
	Now	(at) the present time	I need honey now .
		to have information in	I don't know it.
73.		your mind as a result	
/5.	Know	of experience or	
		because you have	
		learned or been told it	
		something that decides	The parameters of available
	Parameter	or limits the way in	agreement are known.
74.	1 arameter	which something can	
' ' '	30	be done	
	Perimeter	the outside edge of an	The soldiers defended the
	Torrinotes	area of land	perimeter of the camp.
		the ability to stay calm	Have patience to get your share?
	Patience	and accept a delay or	
75.	1 attence	something annoying	
		without complaining	
'		a person who is	The patient died in the hospital.
	Patient	receiving medical	
		treatment, especially	
		in a hospital	W16
76.	Peace	a situation or a period	We stand for peace .
		of time in which there	

		is no war or violence	
		in a country or an area	
		an amount of	Give me a piece of paper.
		something that has	
	D'	been cut or separated	
	Piece	from the rest of it; a	
		standard amount of	
		something	
		the point when	Avoid driving in peak hours.
		somebody/something	
	Peak	is best, most	\
		successful, strongest, etc.	0,
77.		a quick and secret look	I took a peek at the list.
		at something that you	T took a peer at the list.
	Peek	should not be looking at	CIT
			0310-000114
		the people who work	Over 10,000 military personnel
	Personnel	for an organization or	were stationed in the country.
		one of the armed forces	
78.			He is a nauganal friend of mine
		your own; not belonging to or	He is a personal friend of mine.
	Personal	connected with anyone	
		else	
	Pore	a minute opening	Our body has many pores .
		to make a liquid or	Pour water into the glass.
		other substance flow	
70	4	from a container in a	
79.	Pour	continuous stream,	
	7/0,	especially by holding	
		the container at an	
	*	angle	
		connected with real	He lost his practical notebook.
	Practical	situations rather than	
80.		with ideas or theories	
	Practicable	able to be done; likely	This scheme is not practicable .
		to be successful	
	Principal	most important; main	He is the principal of our college.
81.	Principle	a moral rule or a	He was a man of principle .
1	1 i incipic	strong belief that	

	I	. ~	
		influences your	
		actions	
		to speak to Allah	Pray for me, please.
	Dway	(سُبْحَانَهُ وَتَعَالَىٰ),	
	Pray	especially to give	
82.		thanks or ask for help	
		an animal, a bird, etc.	He fell prey to bad company.
	Prey	that is hunted, killed	F
		and eaten by other	
		most important,	It is our premier duty to take care
	Premier	famous or successful	of our health.
83.		the first public	
05.	Premiere	1	The movie will have its premiere
		performance of a film	next week.
<u> </u>		or play	T . (2)
		to continue doing	Let's proceed ahead.
	Proceed	something that has	
	110000	already been started;	(\)
84.		to continue being done	Y
0 1.		to happen before	One precedes two.
	Precede	something or come	
		before something in	
		order	
		without many people	Be quiet, please.
	Quiet	or much noise or	
85.		activity	
	Quit	to leave your job,	He has decided to quit as a
		school, etc.	manager of the team.
	Reign	the period during	People were happy in Akbar's reign.
		which a king,	
		queen, an emperor, etc.	
		rules	
86.		a long narrow leather	She pulled the reins to stop the
		band that is attached to	horse.
		a metal bar in a	
	Rein	horse's mouth and is	
		held by the rider in	
		order to control the	
		horse	
		correct for a particular	You are right .
87.	Right	l *	Tou are right.
8/.		situation or a thing, or	
		for a particular person	

		to make letters or	Write it legibly.
	Write	numbers on a surface,	The second sec
		especially using a pen	
		or a pencil	
	D. I	an actor's part in a	What is your role in this game?
	Role	play, film, etc.	j
		to turn over and over	Tears rolled down her cheeks.
88.		and move in a	
	Roll	particular direction; to	
		make a round object	
		do this	
		a place where a	Workers are working on the site.
	Site	building, town, etc.	, , 0
89.		was, is or will be	,×O
		located	4
	Sight	the ability to see	Out of sight , out of mind.
		materials for writing	They sell stationery.
	Stationery	and for use in an	
		office, for example,	
90.		paper, pens	
		and envelopes	
	Stationary	not moving; not	The sun is stationary .
	z cucronur y	intended to be moved	
	Than	used to introduce the	He is taller than I.
		second part of a	
91.		comparison	
	701	used to refer to a	He lay then slept.
	Then	particular time in the	
	187	past or future	The area is an other asia the section
92.	There	in, at or to that place	There is nothing in the glass.
		or position	Which is their house?
		of or belonging to	winch is their house?
	Their	people, animals or things that have	
		already been	
		mentioned or are	
		easily identified	
93.		used before adjectives	He is too weak to walk.
		and adverbs to say that	11c is too weak to walk.
	Тоо	something is more	
		than is good,	
		man is good,	

		necessary, possible,	
		• • •	
		etc.	
		in the direction of	He is too weak to walk.
	To	something; towards	
		something	
		the act of using	Don't waste your time.
	Waste	something in a	-
		careless or	
		unnecessary way,	
		causing it to be lost or	
		destroyed	\ 1
94.		•	
		the area around the	The coat is belted at the waist.
		middle of the body	
	Waist	between the ribs and	
	waist	the hips, often	C.T.
		narrower than the	XO
		areas above and below	.00
	Wander	to walk slowly around	Do not wander here, please.
		or to a place, often	71
		without any particular	<i>*</i>
	, , minuci	sense of purpose or	
		direction	
95.		to think about	I wonder, how he died at this age.
93.	Wonder		1 wonder , now he died at this age.
		something and try to	
		decide what is true,	
		what will happen,	
	4	what you should do,	
	S	etc.	
	Whether	used to express a	Do it whether you like it or not.
		doubt or choice	
		between two	
		possibilities	
	Weather	the condition of the	The weather is fine today.
96.		atmosphere at a	_
		particular place and	
		time, such as the	
		temperature, and if	
		there is wind, rain,	
		sun, etc.	



1. Make sentences using the following pair of words (homophones) and also write their meanings.

	Words	Meanings	Sentences
a	Cattle		
	Kettle		
b	Cell		
	Sell		
С	Cite		\ L
	Site		0
d	Deer		,,0
	Dear		
e	Council		C.T.
	Counsel		
f	Dairy		/ \$\tag{\tag{\tag{\tag{\tag{\tag{\tag{
	Diary		
g	Check		
	Cheque		
h	Ceiling		
	Sealing		O
i	Berth		
	Birth		
j	Berry		
	Bury	70	
k	Bridal		
	Bridle		
1	Cease		
	Seize		
m	Tale		
	Tail		
n	Yolk		
	Yoke		