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Homophone Quiz English

Circle the best homophone to fit the context of the sentence.

1. The people watched in awe as the (knight/night) raced across the (moor/more).
2. The child was upset because he had a (hole/whole) in his (pail/pale).
3. At Christmas, we use a huge (fir/fur) (bough/bow) to decorate the mantle.
4. I hate when my parents refuse to give their (ascent/assent) to my plans or (medal/meddle) in my affairs.
5. On our visit to the (capital/Capitol) in Washington, I was impressed by the beautiful (freezes/friezes).
6. It is difficult to (find/fined) a cure for a disease that originates in the (genes/jeans).
7. I watched the (rain/reign/rein) streaming down the window (pain/pane).
8. My bread (doe/dough) requires three cups of (flour/flower).
9. A (dear/deer) often picks up the (cent/scent/sent) of a hunter.
10. As the doctor stitched up his (toe/tow), Henry let out a (groan/grown).
11. My (son/sun) has difficulty finding the (some/sum) of a column of numbers.
12. A zit on your (knows/nose) is the result of a clogged (poor/pore/pour).
13. Please, go down to the (cellar/seller) and get some (carats/carrots).
14. (Hour/Our) family is in (morning/mourning) for my grandfather.
15. In the silent house the (creak/creek) of the stairs sounded like the crash of (cymbals/symbols).
16. My sister decided to (die/dye) her favorite dress (read/red).

17. I need to (buy/by/bye) an (oar/or/ore) for the boat.
18. The (cereal/serial) killer could not get out on (bail/bale).
19. The woman needed (assistance/assistants) to walk down the (aisle/isle).
20. I don't like to (waist/waste) time arguing about (miner/minor) details.
21. Do you (know/no) (ware/wear/where) we are going?
22. (You're/Your) going to have to ride a (borough/burro/burrow) into the canyon.
23. The (wail/whale) of the wind as it (blew/blue) was very eerie.
24. My (ant/aunt) makes wonderful grape (jam/jamb).
25. I don't know why the dog (chews/choose) his (pause/paws).