

## Pair of words

1.	<b>Accept</b>	Do you accept this pay?
	<b>Except</b>	All except Hamza went to the river.
2.	<b>Access</b>	Have you any access to the Chief Engineer?
	<b>Excess</b>	Excess of anything is bad
3.	<b>Adapt</b>	He can adapt himself to every situation.
	<b>Adopt</b>	We adopted a wrong method.
	<b>Adept</b>	She is an adept at singing.
4.	<b>Advice</b>	My advice fell flat upon him.
	<b>Advise</b>	I advise you not to waste your time.
5.	<b>Affect</b>	The student affected illness.
	<b>Effect</b>	My advice had no effect on him. The officer effected no change.
6.	<b>Altar</b>	The altar was stained with blood.
	<b>Alter</b>	I have altered my plans
7.	<b>Angel</b>	He is an angel, nor a man.
	<b>Angle</b>	A triangle has three angles.
8.	<b>Ant</b>	The ant was going to drown.
	<b>Aunt</b>	My aunt sent me a birthday present.
9.	<b>Apposite</b>	Your reply was quite apposite.
	<b>Opposite</b>	He sat opposite to me.
10.	<b>Ascent</b>	It is a steep ascent from Murree to Nathiagali.
	<b>Assent</b>	He readily assented to my proposal
11.	<b>Aught</b>	Say aught you know about it.
	<b>Ought</b>	You ought to lend him some money.
12.	<b>Bail</b>	The judge refused to release me on bail.
	<b>Bale</b>	Four thousand bales of cotton were burnt in the fire.
13.	<b>Berth</b>	Have you got your berth reserved? Give him a wide berth.
	<b>Birth</b>	The king was overjoyed at the birth of the heir.
14.	<b>Born</b>	Ajmal was born with a silver spoon in his mouth.
	<b>Borne</b>	He has borne his misfortunes like a brave man.
15.	<b>Boy</b>	That was the boy who broke my slate
	<b>Buoy</b>	The bell was placed on a buoy near the Inchcape rock.
16.	<b>Brake</b>	The brake of my cycle is not in order.

18.	Canon	You should not go against the religious canons
	Cannon	Cannon were firing on all sides of our army.
19.	Canvas	I wear canvas shoes as they are comfortable.
	Canvass	For whom are you canvassing?
20.	Cast	He cast the letter away.
	Caste	Islam does not believe in castes.
	Cost	What is the cost of this book?
21.	Cattle	The shepherd was driving the cattle.
	Kettle	Place the kettle on the fire.
22.	Ceiling	The ceiling was painted yellow.
	Sealing	The clerk was sealing the letters.
23.	Cell	We shut the thief up in a cell
	Sell	This book is selling like hot cakes.
24.	Check	Why do you check me from doing this job?
	Cheque	The cheque could not be cashed.
25.	Cite	Can you cite even a single example?
	Sight	It was a sight to see and a scene to enjoy.
	Site	What a lovely site you have selected for your house?
26.	Coarse	I cannot wear this coarse cloth.
	Course	The river has changed its course.
27.	Compliment	Please, pay my compliments to other.
		What would be the complement of this angle?
28.	Corps	A corps of soldiers was marching on the roads.
	Corpse	His corpse could not be recovered.
29.	Council	This matter shall be referred to the council.
	Counsel	He did not pay any heed to my counsel.
30.	Dear	This cloth is very dear.
	Deer	The hunter chased the deer.
31.	Decease	The deceased was a great friend of mine.
	Disease	A deadly disease broke into the city.
32.	Descent	We sided down the descent of the hill.
	Dissent	He dissented from my proposal.
33.	Desert	We lost our way in the desert.
	Dessert	What will be served as dessert?
34.	Die	They never die who die in a noble cause.
	Dye	Has my pullover been dyed as yet?
35.	Dose	How many doses have you taken?
	Doze	My grandma dozed off to sleep.

37.	Dual	Our Head master has ordered 500 dual desks for the school.
	Duel	I challenged him to fight a duel with me.
38.	Envelop	The ship was enveloped in flames.
	Envelope	Can you give me an envelope?
39.	Fair	The fair is in full swing. A fair face needs no ornaments.
	Fare	He is faring very poorly these days. What is the railway fare from Gujranwala to Lahore?
40.	Farmer	The farmer has to work very hard.
	Former	Of Mahmud and Afzal, the former is the more intelligent.
41.	Feat	We were spell-bound by the feats of the juggler.
	Feet	You should wash your feet regularly.
42.	Floor	He threw the book on the floor.
	Flour	This flour is not of a very good quality.
43.	Forth	A stick was brought forth.
	Fourth	We sailed for France on the fourth day.
44.	Gait	What a lovely gait you have?
	Gate	Somebody is knocking at the gate.
45.	Goal	You will find yourself in goal if you do it again.
	Goal	I have reached the goal I set for myself. We were defeated by four goals to nil.
46.	Hail	There was a hailstorm yesterday. Where do you hail from?
	Hale	I found him quite hale and hearty.
47.	Hair	Brush up your hair.
	Hare	The hare and the tortoise had a race.
	Heir	Who is the heir to the throne?
48.	Heal	Time heals all sorrows. My wound has not healed yet.
	Heel	Do you like high-heeled shoes? The thief took to his heels at the sight of a policeman.
49.	Hear	I could not hear your speech.
	Here	Here is your pen.
50.	Heard	I have heard this story before.
	Herd	A dog was shepherding the herd of cattle.
51.	Hoard	Hoarding of wheat is unlawful. He is hoarding money.
	Horde	We were attacked by a horde of thieves.
52.	Idle	An idle brain is the devil's workshop.

	<b>Letter</b>	Did you receive my letter?
54.	<b>Lawyer</b>	You will make a successful lawyer.
	<b>Liar</b>	Anwar is out and out a liar.
55.	<b>Lessen</b>	This medicine has lessened my pain.
	<b>Lesson</b>	He has his lesson at his finger's ends.
56.	<b>Lightening</b>	He was lightening the load of the donkey.
	<b>Lightning</b>	Lightning has fallen on this building.
57.	<b>Lion</b>	Suddenly a lion sprang at me.
	<b>Loin</b>	The Sadhu was clad in a loin cloth. Gird up your loins.
58.	<b>Lose</b>	Don't lose this ring.
	<b>Loose</b>	I do not like a loose dress.
59.	<b>Made</b>	He wade a lame excuse.
	<b>Maid</b>	The maid turned down the offer of marriage.
60.	<b>Mail</b>	I have sent him a letter by air mail.
	<b>Male</b>	The king had no male descendant.
61.	<b>Main</b>	What is the main difficulty in your way?
	<b>Mane</b>	This horse has a beautiful mane.
	<b>Mien</b>	He has a dignified mien.
62.	<b>Marry</b>	I am not going to marry her.
	<b>Merry</b>	He looked very merry today.
63.	<b>Meet</b>	When will you meet me again?
	<b>Meat</b>	Bernard Shaw did not take meat.
	<b>Mete</b>	What a shameful treatment he was meted out.
64.	<b>Metal</b>	Gold is a precious metal.
	<b>Mettle</b>	These boys have no mettle in them.
65.	<b>Naughty</b>	Do not behave like a naughty boy.
	<b>Knotty</b>	I cannot tackle this knotty problem.
66.	<b>Pail</b>	Jack and Jill went up the hill with a pail of water.
	<b>Pale</b>	He turned pale on hearing this news.
67.	<b>Pain</b>	I am feeling pain in my stomach. No pains, no gains.
	<b>Pane</b>	The rain was pattering against the windowpane.
68.	<b>Pair</b>	The boys walked off in paw.
	<b>Pare</b>	Have you pared your nails?
69.	<b>Patrol</b>	Watchmen patrol the streets at night.
	<b>Petrol</b>	We couldn't get any petrol from the city.
70.	<b>Peace</b>	There was peace and prosperity in the country.
	<b>Piece</b>	The crow stole away a piece of meat.

72.	<b>Pore</b>	There are many tiny pore in the skin of our body. Bathe regularly to keep your pores open.
	<b>Pour</b>	She was pouring out some milk into a jug. Hamid was pouring over a book.
73.	<b>Practice</b>	It is by practice that we learn.
	<b>Practise</b>	Do not practise your silly tricks on me.
74.	<b>Pray</b>	I always pray for your success in life.
	<b>Prey</b>	He has fallen a prey to bad habits. The tiger is a beast of prey.
75.	<b>Principal</b>	Who is your principal supporter? Our principal has been transferred to another college.
	<b>Principle</b>	I cannot go against my principles.
76.	<b>Quire</b>	Please give me two quires of paper.
	<b>Choir</b>	The church choir refused to sing.
77.	<b>Quiet</b>	The monitor requested the boys to keep quiet
	<b>Quite</b>	I was quite tired after the long journey.
78.	<b>Rain</b>	We got quite wet in the rain.
	<b>Reign</b>	The king reigned over the country with an iron hand.
	<b>Rein</b>	The reins of the horse slipped through my hands.
79.	<b>Right</b>	He held the book in his right hand. I'll set you right. I am quite right now.
	<b>Right</b>	We could not perform the burial rites of our general.
	<b>Write</b>	He writes a good hand.
80.	<b>Root</b>	He is at the root of the evil.
	<b>Rout</b>	The German armies were completely routed.
	<b>Route</b>	Can we go to Karachi by this route?
81.	<b>Sail</b>	The sails of our ship were turn away The ships set sail.
	<b>Sale</b>	This pen is not for sale.
82.	<b>Soar</b>	I wish to soar high in the sky.
	<b>Sore</b>	His eyes are sore. I have a sore on my hand.
	<b>Sour</b>	This water has a sour taste.
83.	<b>Sole</b>	He is the sole owner of this property. The sole of my shoe came off
	<b>Soul</b>	May his soul rest in peace!
84.	<b>Some</b>	Some of the gills Lagan to sing.
	<b>Sum</b>	I cannot do this sum.
85.	<b>Soot</b>	The chimney is blocked with soot.

86.	<b>Stationary</b>	The earth is not stationary.
	<b>Stationery</b>	I propose to deal in stationery.
87.	<b>Statue</b>	All the statues has been removed from the Mall.
	<b>Status</b>	This statute is no longer in force.
88.	<b>Steal</b>	He tried to steal my watch.
	<b>Steel</b>	The sword was made of steel.
89.	<b>Storey</b>	I live on the third storey of this house.
	<b>Story</b>	He told me a cock and bull story.
90.	<b>Straight</b>	He went straight to the Head master.
	<b>Strait</b>	This boat sails through the Strait of Gibraltar.
91.	<b>Tail</b>	The cow keeps off flies with the help of its tail.
	<b>Tale</b>	It is a sorrowful tale.
92.	<b>Vain</b>	She is vain of her beauty.
	<b>Vein</b>	Blood flows through veins.
93.	<b>Vale</b>	Birds soar over vales and hills.
	<b>Veil</b>	The robbers were wearing black veils.
94.	<b>Waist</b>	Wear a belt round your waist.
	<b>Waste</b>	You should not waste your time like this.
95.	<b>Wait</b>	I am waiting for my guest.
	<b>Weight</b>	I have lost some weight through illness.
96.	<b>Way</b>	The travelers lost their way.
	<b>Weigh</b>	Please, weigh my luggage.
97.	<b>Weak</b>	He is weak in health.
	<b>Week</b>	They will be back in a week.
98.	<b>Weather</b>	I don't like this weather.
	<b>Whether</b>	I don't mind whether you go there or not.
99.	<b>Wine</b>	You should not touch wine.
	<b>Vine</b>	The fox saw some grapes hanging from a vine.
100.	<b>Wring</b>	Will you, please, wring out the wet clothes?
	<b>Ring</b>	She has lost her gold ring. The school bell is ringing.

