

## New Activity

Look at these words that sound the same but are spelt differently and have different meanings.

- **pear** (the fruit) and **pair** (two things the same)
- **hair** (on your head) and **hare** (fluffy animal with long ears)
- **weather** (sun, rain and so on) and **whether** ("I don't know whether or not to eat cake") and **wether** (male sheep that can't father lambs anymore)
- **blew** (she blew the candle out) and **blue** (colour)
- **flour** (ground grain or nut) and **flower** (delightful treasure with petals that grows in the garden)

Now see if you can think of words that sound the same as these but are spelt differently.

Write down what your word means as well.

<i>mine</i>	<i>yours</i>
<b>heir</b> – someone who inherits	
<b>ate</b> – past tense of eat	
<b>cellar</b> – room under the house	
<b>flea</b> – little insect	
<b>flaw</b> – a weakness	
<b>doe</b> – a female deer	
<b>coarse</b> – rough	

Great. Now you are ready for something quite different.

Read these quotes and have a think to yourself about what you think they mean. How might they inspire someone to want to be better at something or make improvements to themselves or in their lives?

*When we strive to become better than we are, everything around us becomes better too.*  
- Paulo Coelho

*A wise man changes his mind; a fool never will.* - Spanish Proverb

*There are far better things ahead than any we leave behind.* - C.S Lewis

*Be the change you want to see in the world.* - Mahatma Gandhi

## Creative Writing Main Lesson

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Now you are going to consider this question and write a response in your draft book.

*What is my wish for how I can improve myself?*

*In thinking about this, someone you admire might come to mind – someone who has done something to improve him or herself. How do they strive to grow as a person? This might provide inspiration for you, in answering the question you are considering...*

Write your ideas in your draft book – about what is YOUR wish for how you can improve YOURSELF.

Great work – enjoy your afternoon.

Love Larissa