Spelling list: Non-statutory words: homophones and near-homophones

accept I accept your apology.

except I'll eat anything **except** bananas.

affect The government cuts will **affect** everyone.

A rhetorical device, such as a question, is used for **effect** rather than to get effect

an answer.

bawl The upset baby did nothing but **bawl** all night.

bury My dog likes to **bury** bones.

brake The car had to **brake** hard.

break Be careful not to **break** that glass.

fair Jane has **fair** hair.

fare He lost his bus **fare** and had to walk all the way home.

grate Grate some cheese to go in the sauce.

great There was **great** relief at the rescue.

groan She keeps moaning and groaning.

grown I have **grown** tomatoes for ten years.

hear Shout across the valley to **hear** the echo.

ball He kicked the **ball** through the window.

berry The holly **berry** is bright red.

here Wait here until I get back.