

## Homophones and near-homophones

Choose the correct homophone to complete each sentence.

1. “ \_\_\_\_\_ not thinking carefully,” he said.
2. He couldn’t \_\_\_\_\_ any faster than this!
3. In the dead of \_\_\_\_\_ , the horse escaped.
4. “Put the music stand \_\_\_\_\_ ,” she shouted.
5. My dad can’t \_\_\_\_\_ loud music.
6. The bike clearly belonged to her \_\_\_\_\_ .

There Their They’re

be bee

night knight

here hear

bear bare

sun son

Decide whether the homophone in each sentence below has been used correctly. Correct those that are wrong.

Sentence	Correct or incorrect ✓ or X	Correction
They had to watch the replay to check who had <u>won</u> the race.		
He had worked <u>to</u> hard at this to give up now.		
There was a <u>quite</u> and calm atmosphere in the gallery.		
Out of the <u>blew</u> , an exciting parcel arrived.		

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