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<i>Confusables</i>	<i>Meanings</i>
accept except	to agree to receive or do not including
adverse averse	unfavourable, harmful strongly disliking; opposed
advice advise	recommendations about what to do to recommend something
affect effect	to change or make a difference to a result; to bring about a result
aisle isle	a passage between rows of seats an island
all together altogether	all in one place, all at once completely; on the whole
along a long altar alter	moving or extending horizontally on referring to something of great length a sacred table in a church to change
amoral immoral	not concerned with right or wrong not following accepted moral standards
appraise apprise	to assess to inform someone
assent ascent	agreement, approval the action of rising or climbing up
aural oral	relating to the ears or hearing relating to the mouth; spoken
balmy barmy	pleasantly warm foolish, crazy
bare bear	naked; to uncover to carry; to put up with
bated baited	in phrase 'with bated breath', i.e. in great suspense with bait attached or inserted

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climactic climatic	forming a climax relating to climate
coarse course	rough a direction; a school subject; part of a meal
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complement compliment	to add to so as to improve; an addition that improves something to praise or express approval; an admiring remark
council counsel	a group of people who manage or advise advice; to advise
cue queue	a signal for action; a wooden rod a line of people or vehicles
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curb kerb	to keep something in check; a control or limit (in British English) the stone edge of a pavement
currant current	a dried grape happening now; a flow of water, air, or electricity
defuse diffuse	to make a situation less tense to spread over a wide area
desert dessert	a waterless, empty area; to abandon someone the sweet course of a meal
discreet discrete	careful not to attract attention separate and distinct
disinterested uninterested	impartial not interested
draught draft	a current of air a first version of a piece of writing
draw drawer	an even score at the end of a game a sliding storage compartment
dual duel elicit illicit	having two parts a fight or contest between two people to draw out a reply or reaction not allowed by law or rules
ensure insure	to make certain that something will happen to provide compensation if a person dies or property is damaged
envelop envelope	to cover or surround a paper container for a letter
exercise exorcise	physical activity; to do physical activity to drive out an evil spirit
fawn faun	a young deer; light brown a mythical being, part man, part goat
flaunt flout	to display ostentatiously to disregard a rule
flounder founder	to move clumsily; to have difficulty doing something to fail
forbear forebear	to refrain an ancestor
foreword forward	an introduction to a book onwards, ahead

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freeze	to turn to ice
frieze	a decoration along a wall
grisly	gruesome, revolting
grizzly	a type of bear
hoard	a store
horde	a large crowd of people
imply	to suggest indirectly
infer	to draw a conclusion
loath	reluctant, unwilling
loathe	to hate
loose	to unfasten; to set free
lose	to be deprived of; to be unable to find
meter	a measuring device
metre	a metric unit; rhythm in verse
militate	to be a powerful factor against
mitigate	to make less severe
palate	the roof of the mouth
palette	a board for mixing colours
pedal	a foot-operated lever
peddle	to sell goods
pole	a long, slender piece of wood
poll	voting in an election
pour	to flow or cause to flow
pore	a tiny opening; to study something closely
practice	the use of an idea or method; the work or business of a doctor, dentist, etc.
practise	to do something repeatedly to gain skill; to do something regularly
prescribe	to authorize use of medicine; to order authoritatively
proscribe	to officially forbid something
principal	most important; the head of a school
principle	a fundamental rule or belief
sceptic	a person inclined to doubt
septic	infected with bacteria
sight	the ability to see
site	a location