

CONFUSING WORDS

THERE	Refers to a place	The playground is over there .
THEIR	Indicates possession	Their dog has fluffy hair.
THEY'RE	Contraction of "they are"	They're going to the movies tonight.
TO	Indicates direction or movement	Should we go to the library?
TOO	Means also or very	It is too cold to play outside.
TWO	The number 2	I have two pairs of glasses.
WERE	The past tense of "are"	We were playing at the park.
WE'RE	Contraction of "we are"	We're going to swim in the lake.
WHERE	Refers to location	Where is the tallest building?
ACCEPT	To receive or agree	I accept your party invitation.
EXCEPT	Apart from or not including	They are open every day, except Friday.
ARE	A form of "to be"	These grapes are sweet.
OUR	Shows possession	Those toys belong in our room.
ITS	Shows possession	Its teeth are very sharp.
IT'S	A contraction of "it is" or "it has"	It looks like it's going to rain.
THAN	Compares two things	I am shorter than my sister.
THEN	Shows a sequence of events, or "next"	First I will read, then I will write.
YOUR	Shows ownership	I like the pattern on your shoes.
YOU'RE	A contraction of "you are"	You're going on the bus today.

