Homophones are words that are spelled differently but pronounced the same (such as no and know). Each clue below leads to an answer that is a pair of homophones. Here is an example:

unmoving personalized paper  stationary  stationery

Can you think of homophones that match each of these clues?

1. reasonable ticket price  ____________  ____________
2. an ordinary aircraft  ____________  ____________
3. notice the ocean  ____________  the  ____________
4. naked large mammal  ____________  ____________
5. hit a red vegetable  ____________  a  ____________
6. damage the car’s stopping device  ____________  the  ____________
7. two pieces of green/yellow fruit  a  ____________  of  ____________s
8. express on paper correctly  ____________  ____________
9. pink lines of chairs  ____________  ____________
10. look at the long dock  ____________  at the  ____________
11. beloved doe or buck  ____________  ____________
12. corn labyrinth  ____________  ____________

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1. fair fare
2. plain plane
3. see the sea
4. bare bear
5. beat a beet
6. break the brake
7. a pair of pears
8. write right
9. rose rows
10. peer at the pier
11. dear deer
12. maze make