

EXERCISE B

1. John has a **swollen** ego because he won the first prize.

2. Sarah could not wait to leave because Jim was **talking her ear off**.

3. Mary watched while the pile of leaves was **burning up**.

4. The **time** is now 9 AM.

5. John was accused of being **over his head**

6. The boy's left **ear** has a small cut.

7. The **weather** forecast for today is fair.

8. Pollution is killing many **fish** in coastal waters.

9. The manager is a bit of a rough **diamond**, but he gets things done.

10. Tom was asked to take a **rain check** on his meeting.

11. A dog **bit** Sarah as she rode her bike.

12. Jack felt as if he was **walking on air**.