



STUDENT'S NAME..... 10th ..... date.....

**1. Choose the expression to substitute for the **green** word or words in each sentence below. Idioms from previous lessons are indicated by number.**

- a. Nan is **trying to find** the purse that she lost yesterday.
1. finding out
  2. looking at
  3. looking for
- b. **As is typical**, Doug is late for the meeting.
1. At last
  2. All along
  3. As usual
- c. Were you able to **determine** what his occupation is?
1. to find out
  2. to pick up
  3. to call on
- d. I am very **weary** after all that physical exercise today.
1. turned off
  2. tired out
  3. never mind
- e. After a long time my car has begun to **fail**.
1. all along
  2. little by little
  3. break down
- f. If you want to get a good job you must **complete** the application.
1. fill out
  2. called up
  3. to find out



- g. **Eventually**, Mario will be able to speak English better than he does now.
1. Never mind
  2. Sooner or later
  3. At last
- h. Is it **acceptable** for Mary to borrow our car for a few hours?
1. right away
  2. all right
  3. step by step
- i. Would you please **give your attention** to me while I'm talking?
1. dress up
  2. look at
  3. wear out
- j. They waited for forty-five minutes until finally they **stopped trying** and went home.
1. gave up
  2. little by little
  3. tire out

**2. Fill in each blank with the appropriate form of an idiomatic expression from this unit only.**

**Bob:** Jim, should we [ ] for the party tonight?

**Jim:** No, informal clothes are fine I'm [ ] my shoes. Have you seen them?

**Bob:** No. Did you check that closet by the front door?

**Jim:** Of course, I did! Gosh, my legs hurt. I'm really [ ] from playing so much soccer today.

**Bob:** What did you say?



**Jim:** Oh, [redacted]. It wasn't important.

**Bob:** Sorry, I'm [redacted] the TV news. It's about the robbery.

**Jim:** Have the police [redacted] who stole the million dollars?

**Bob:** No, they haven't.

**Jim:** I think I better [redacted] looking. I will have to buy new shoes.