



Money Idioms

Choose the correct meaning for each idiom.

1. "Break the bank"
☐ a) to rob a bank ☐ b) to cost too much ☐ c) to save a lot of money
2. "Tighten your belt"
☐ a) to wear tighter clothes ☐ b) to eat less food ☐ c) to reduce spending
3. "Money talks"
☐ a) money can speak ☐ b) money gives power and influence ☐ c) money is noisy
4. "In the red"
☐ a) to be in debt ☐ b) to be angry ☐ c) to wear red clothes
5. "Born with a silver spoon in one's mouth"
☐ a) to be lucky in love ☐ b) to be born in a rich family ☐ c) to eat fancy food
6. "A penny for your thoughts"
☐ a) asking someone to share what they're thinking ☐ b) offering money for advice
☐ c) selling ideas for a penny
7. "Cost an arm and a leg"
☐ a) to be very expensive. ☐ b) to be painful ☐ c) to be worth the sacrifice

8. "To make ends meet"

☐ a) to earn just enough money to cover expenses often implying financial difficulty.

☐ b) to connect two pieces of string

☐ c) to save a large amount of money

9. "On a shoestring"

a) to invest in expensive items b) to tie your shoes tightly c) to live or operate with a very small budget

10. "Cash cow"

☐ a) a bank account with a large balance ☐ b) a business or product that generates a steady and significant profit

☐ c) a person who spends a lot of money