

271. When asked about a hot potato at the press conference, the politician was hesitant to give his opinions.

- A. a difficult subject
- B. an interesting topic
- C. a controversial situation
- D. a real problem

272. She's so bigheaded that she's unwilling to eat humble pie.

- A. accept her responsibility
- B. admit her fault
- C. deny that she was wrong
- D. agree to eat a pie

273. Laura went nuts when asked to work on the weekend.

- A. became relaxed
- B. felt sick
- C. became angry
- D. went crazy

274. When you get paid to look after your neighbour's garden while they're on business, it's money for jam.

- A. illegal
- B. easy to get money
- C. rewarding
- D. a difficult way to earn money

275. The project will bear fruit if you apply yourself.

- A. yield desired results
- B. be unlikely to succeed
- C. be possible to attract investors
- D. gain more money

276. I was nervous to go on stage, but I tried to be as cool as a cucumber.

- A. stressed
- B. calm
- C. confident
- D. false

277. As soon as the smartphone was readily available on the market, it sold like hot cakes.

- A. didn't get much attention
- B. was sold out
- C. got cheaper
- D. became more expensive