# WORD STORE 6C
## Body Idioms

### Exercise 1. Match the idioms (1–6) with their meanings (A–F).

| Idioms | | Meanings | |
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| 1. I laughed my head off. | ☐ | A I'm joking. | |
| 2. It's on the tip of my tongue. | ☐ | B She really upset him. | |
| 3. Can you give me a hand? | ☐ | C I was extremely surprised. | |
| 4. I'm pulling your leg. | ☐ | D I know it but can't remember it now. | |
| 5. He broke his heart. | ☐ | E I laughed very loudly. | |
| 6. I couldn't believe my eyes. | ☐ | F Can you help me? | |

### Exercise 2. Complete the idioms with the missing words. Use the meanings to help you.

1. I laughed my _____ off. *(I laughed very loudly.)*
2. It's on the _____ of my tongue. *(I know it but can't remember it now.)*
3. Can you give me a _____ ? *(Can you help me?)*
4. I'm pulling your _____ . *(I'm joking.)*
5. She broke his _____ . *(She really upset him.)*
6. I couldn't believe my _____ . *(I was extremely surprised.)*

### Exercise 3. Listen to six dialogues. Complete the typical English idioms with the correct body part.

1. I'm pulling your _____ .
2. She broke his _____ .
3. I laughed my _____ off.
4. Can you give me a _____ ?
5. I couldn't believe my _____ .
6. It's on the tip of my _____ .

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## Exercise 4.

Complete the sentences with the correct idioms from the box. Use each idiom twice.

1. Having spent months preparing for the competition, I had almost given up hope of winning. When the final results appeared on the screen, I whispered, "_____!"
2. My colleague insists that our manager once appeared in a famous television series. When I asked for evidence, he grinned and admitted, "_____!"
3. I was trying to recall the name of the author whose work had sparked so much controversy. "_____," I said, frustrated by my inability to remember.
4. Despite the seriousness of the occasion, the speaker's unexpected comment completely changed the atmosphere. Afterwards, I admitted, "_____!"
5. I had underestimated how demanding the final stage of the project would be. With only two hours remaining, I turned to my colleague and asked, "_____."
6. Everyone assumed that Daniel had recovered from the separation, but his closest friend knew otherwise. When someone asked what had happened, he simply replied, "_____."
7. The building had been abandoned for decades, so I wasn't expecting much. However, when I stepped inside after the restoration, my immediate reaction was, "_____!"
8. During the interview, I was asked to name a philosopher whose theories I had studied extensively. I hesitated before saying, "_____, but I can't quite recall it."
9. When my brother announced that he had sold his car to buy a tiny island, I started questioning his judgement. Seeing my reaction, he smiled and said, "_____!"
10. The comedian's performance was full of subtle references that only a few people in the audience seemed to understand. Fortunately, I recognised most of them, and afterwards I said, "_____!"
11. Although I had prepared thoroughly for the presentation, an unexpected technical problem threatened to ruin everything. I turned to the technician and asked, "_____."
12. Nobody expected their relationship to end so abruptly, especially after everything they had been through together. When someone asked why Michael had become so withdrawn, his sister answered, "_____."

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