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Vocabulary

A. Read the sentences below and circle the correct expression.

1. Even though it was not my fault, I **took the blame / took notice of it** so that my sister wouldn't get into trouble.
2. I **take it for granted / take it by surprise** that if I do the cooking, my husband will do the washing-up.
3. I didn't **take it by surprise / take notice of the fact** that she was upset until I saw her crying.
4. I **take pride / take notice** in my work and always try to do my best.

B. Read the sentences below and circle the correct answer.

1. Sally was **red / green** with envy when I got promoted.
2. Chris was tickled **red / pink** when her husband bought her an expensive leather jacket and boots.
3. I won't believe that James has signed the contract until I see it in **blue and red / black and white**.
4. You can beg me until you are **blue / red** in the face, I'm not going to change my mind.
5. I caught Jackie **red / green** handed taking money from my purse.
6. The boss gave Helen the **orange / green** light to go ahead with her training programme.

Match the phrases with their meaning

1. take an interest in	to happen unexpectedly
2. take by surprise	to think about smth before making a decision
3. take into consideration	to feel pleased from doing smth well
4. take smth for granted	to take responsibility for smth
5. take my breath away	to find smb or smth interesting
6. take notice of	to surprise in a nice way
7. take pride in	to be so used to smb or smth that you don't recognise their value
8. take the blame	to pay attention to smb or smth
9. catch smb red handed	endlessly without achieving the desired result

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10. give the green light	pleased, delighted
11. green with envy	caught in the act of doing smth
12. in black and white	suddenly, without warning
13. out of the blue	in written form
14. tickled pink	give permission
15. till one is blue in the face	lealous

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