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## Idioms

*A) Match the idioms with the correct answer.*

1. Wet blanket

2. It's all in a day's work

3. Against the clock

4. Ring out the old and ring in the new

5. To crash a party

6. a bed of roses

7. cock-and-bull-story

8. all ears

Celebrate the end of one year and the start of next one.

In a great hurry to get something done before a particular time.

To attend a party without being invited.

A person who says or does something that stops other people enjoying themselves.

part of someone's normal routine

Ready or eager to hear about something.

A story that is obviously not true, especially one given as an excuse.



An easy, comfortable situation or an easy life

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B) Guess the correct idiom.

feeling blue	give a hand	caught red handed
armed to the teeth	a piece of cake	hit the sack
take to one's heels	cut corners	broken hearted

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*C) Fill in the blanks with correct idioms.*

turn a deaf ear	sit on the fence	under the weather	missed the boat
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1. Sam is feeling a bit \_\_\_\_\_. I think he has caught a cold.
2. The patient always \_\_\_\_\_ to his doctor's advice.
3. Ben \_\_\_\_\_ as he registered too late to join the school trip.
4. We can't \_\_\_\_\_ any longer. We must vote on the issue.

see eye to eye	once in a blue moon	on cloud nine	raining cats and dogs
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5. I cannot go out now. It is \_\_\_\_\_ outside.
6. Adam was \_\_\_\_\_ when he won the chess competition.
7. My brother doesn't \_\_\_\_\_ with me about what to buy for our father's birthday.
8. Our cousins in Ipoh visit us only \_\_\_\_\_.



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**D) Fill in the blanks with correct idioms**

cut corners	a cock-and-bull story	all ears	a bed of roses
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1. "If I had a million ringgit, my life would be \_\_\_\_\_," said the beggar.
2. I don't believe you. You are telling me \_\_\_\_\_.
3. You can't \_\_\_\_\_ if you want good result.
4. The players were \_\_\_\_\_ when the coach was giving his instructions.

in hot water	caught red-handed	broken hearted	give me a hand
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5. Please \_\_\_\_\_. I can't open this door.
6. The snatch thief was \_\_\_\_\_ by the policeman.
7. You'll be \_\_\_\_\_ if you forget to do your homework again.
8. Emily was \_\_\_\_\_ when her pet rabbit died.