

FAME IDIOMS

Task 1. Match the idiom with the definition. Write the letter.

1. a short fuse _____
2. let the cat out of the bag _____
3. look like a million dollars _____
4. learn it by heart _____
5. butterflies in my stomach _____
6. fish out of water _____
7. go down in flames _____
8. in the fast lane _____
9. put his foot in his mouth _____
10. straight from the horse's mouth _____

- A. look great
- B a quick temper
- C to fail suddenly
- D let a secret be known
- E to be out of place
- F memorize
- G a life filled with excitement
- H to be nervous
- I directly from the person involved
- J say something he shouldn't

Task 2. Read the text below and write the number of the idiom in exercise above in the correct space below.

MAGGIE SAYS

Hear the latest gossip (1) _____. Maggie knows all and tells all!

Well, it's no surprise that action film star Sean Raven has a (2) _____. He punched another photographer in the nose on Saturday as he was coming out of Linda Trevor's apartment. As we all know, Sean is married to Cindy Diaz and this incident has definitely (3) _____ that he's two-timing her. Friends of Sean agree that he is definitely living (4) _____ and if he keeps this up his career will (5) _____.

Bonnie Schmidt did (6) _____ as she stepped onto the red carpet in a gorgeous low-cut Chanel gown. After she received her reward, she was asked about her acceptance speech. "I was so nervous. I mean with (7) _____! I didn't trust myself to be spontaneous, so as to my speech, I had to (8) _____ before tonight!"

Edgar Lester, however, really (9) _____ yesterday when he declared himself a winner - and then lost! Asked about this experience, Edgar admitted. "I shouldn't have said that. All night long I felt very uncomfortable - like (10) _____.

