

1) Correct the mistakes in the idioms/words from the lesson: write only the correct word

He found that he could make a speech - that is, he could think on his foot, and not be at a loss for words. \_\_\_\_\_

This proposal was rejected by an overwheeling majority of the delegates.  
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These mainor decisions define your work experience, and the more selective you're, the better you will be in the long run. \_\_\_\_\_

Other companies insource product design and development to key suppliers.  
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Flop a coin to see which team receives the ball first. \_\_\_\_\_

We encourage mindful action rather than snap desicions. \_\_\_\_\_

You should have a clear agenda, otherwise be ready for unexperienced outcomes.  
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I don't think this is a fix-or-break moment for this business community as a whole.  
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2) Look at the pictures. Guess 6 phrases or words



3) Use the idioms or new words in the gaps.

**You might need to change the form of the word/phrase!**

**overwhelming / make-or-break / thinking on ... feet / minor / outsourcing /  
snap / outcome / flip**

Every time I tried to dose off, I would get this \_\_\_\_\_ feeling of anxiety.

No-one was injured and only \_\_\_\_\_ damage was caused.

Microsoft has also come under criticism for \_\_\_\_\_ jobs to China and India.

What steps can you take to achieve your desired \_\_\_\_\_?

This is not a government which likes to ask fundamental questions, nor does it like \_\_\_\_\_ and making strategic policy decisions almost overnight.

This apparently \_\_\_\_\_ difference had the potential for a lot of trouble.

Leaving everything to a single \_\_\_\_\_ discussion once a year is asking for trouble

Suffice to say, we often make \_\_\_\_\_ decisions and impulse purchases with certain foods due to an empty stomach while we shop.

The summer that promised so much has produced very little and the manager is facing a \_\_\_\_\_ week .

The chance that anyone's vote will decide an election \_\_\_\_\_ is very small.

We \_\_\_\_\_ the coin and record whether it lands heads or tails.

The first \_\_\_\_\_ step in persuading anyone to do anything is getting them to hear you out.

As an illustration, the US head office of Volvo has been \_\_\_\_\_ the production of components to companies such as Minda HUF, Visteon, Arvin Meritor, and Rico Auto.

The ability to \_\_\_\_\_ is of great benefit to a salesperson, since they will be required to modify their sales presentation to suit the particular needs and problems of their various customers and to respond quickly to unusual objections and awkward questions.

IT executives will do limited hiring again this year and will rely more on cloud services, consulting, and \_\_\_\_\_ services.

'I think it's high time you stopped making \_\_\_\_\_ judgements, Mr Bryce, especially as the conclusions you leap to are invariably the wrong ones.'

The ferry needed only \_\_\_\_\_ repairs and was back in service the next day.

This book is an exciting read with enough complexity, humor and secret surprises to make the reader want to \_\_\_\_\_ the pages to discover more.

Her candidacy received such \_\_\_\_\_ support that her election at the Congress became a formality.

Now research is shedding light on long-term \_\_\_\_\_ for people with this serious illness.

The flashing lights weren't magic but someone was just \_\_\_\_\_ the light switch.

The fact that it is due to his \_\_\_\_\_ desire to help others only makes it worse.

- 4) Look at task #3 again. Write down some collocations with the words. Please, put the words in alphabetical order.

1) snap \_\_\_\_\_

2) to flip \_\_\_\_\_

3) overwhelming \_\_\_\_\_

4) a/an \_\_\_\_\_ outcome

to *achieve , decide* \_\_\_\_\_ an outcome

5) minor \_\_\_\_\_

6) make-or-break \_\_\_\_\_

7) to outsource \_\_\_\_\_