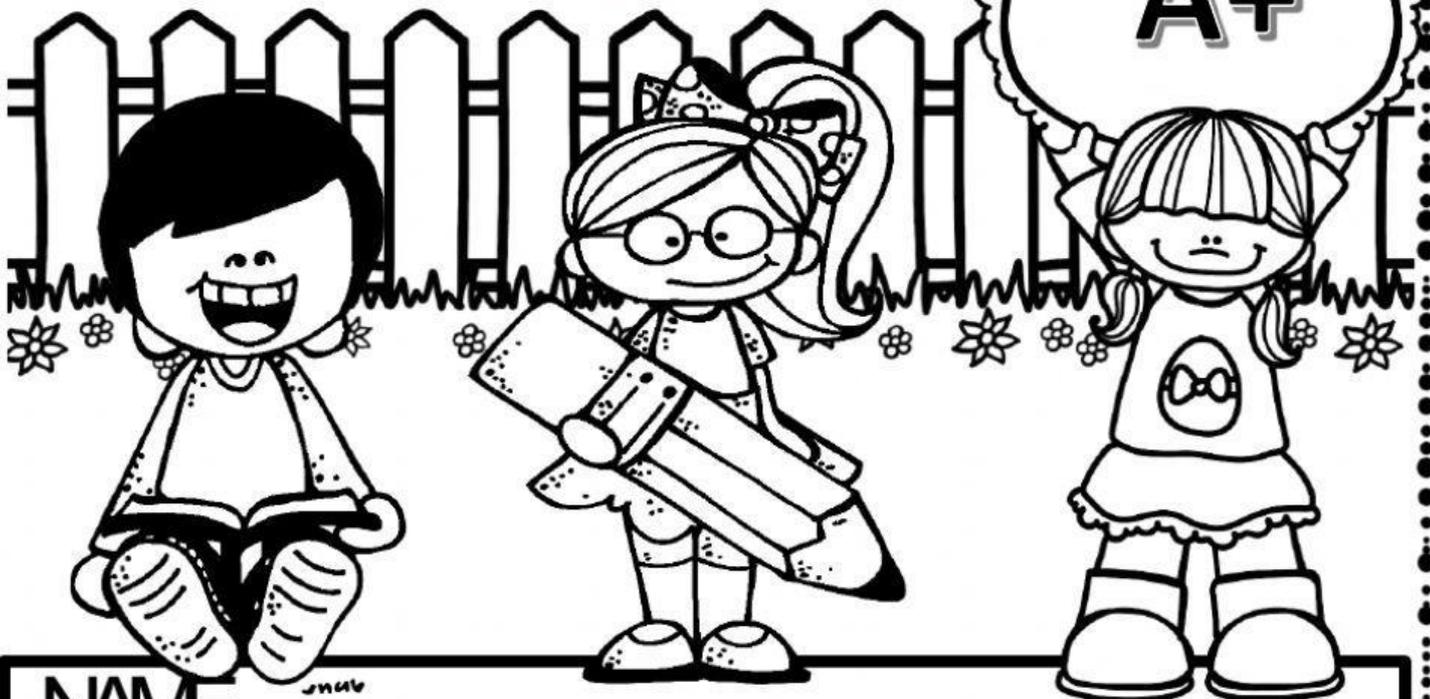
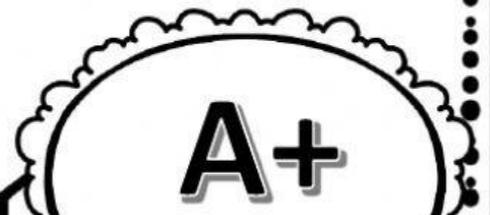


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51	<p>Let's us help you plan your birthday party. You can't do everything on your own. After all, _____.</p> <p>A. more haste, less speed B. make hay while the sun shines C. many hands make light work D. it never rains but it pours</p>	52	<p>There are many part time jobs at he mall so _____. Go to the mall an apply one.</p> <p>A. take the initiative B. actions speak louder than words C. put something on ice D. make hay while the sun shines</p>
53	<p>His English had improved _____.</p> <p>A. inside out B. in leaps and bounds C. in cahoots D. above broad</p>	54	<p>My sister was upset because she had burnt her toast, so I told her that _____ and to just throw it away.</p> <p>A. it's no use crying over spilt milk B. take the initiative C. all skin and bones D. any time means no time</p>
55	<p>_____. Let's try the food before you form any opinions.</p> <p>A. Don't judge a book by its cover B. Judge not of men and things at first sight C. Jump to conclusion D. Jump for joy</p>	56	<p>We haven't heard his side of the story yet so let's not _____.</p> <p>A. jump the gun B. jump out of your skin C. jump to conclusion D. jump for joy</p>
57	<p>Sheila _____ when she was announced the winner.</p> <p>A. jump out of your skin B. jump to conclusion C. jump the gun D. jump for joy</p>	58	<p>We _____ to make the flood victim's stay at the relief centre more comfortable.</p> <p>A. have the magic touch B. went the extra mile C. made of money D. ask for the moon.</p>
59	<p>This brownie is moist. It _____ melts in your mouth.</p> <p>A. melts in your mouth B. make up your mind C. next best thing D. asking for trouble</p>	60	<p>I go to the airport just _____.</p> <p>A. around the clock B. in the nick of time C. as and when D. out and about</p>

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<p>61 I work better in the evenings than in the mornings. My friends say I'm a _____.</p> <p>A. night owl B. nice as pie C. nice one D. next to nothing</p>	<p>62 You can't rebuild the house all by yourself; _____. The villagers will help you.</p> <p>A. accidents will happen B. no man is an island C. act of god D. no smoke without fire</p>
<p>63 I don't like to exercise but I really need to lose weight. As the saying goes, _____.</p> <p>A. a barking dog seldom bites B. blessing in disguise C. no sweat D. no pain, no gain</p>	<p>64 I'm sure your parents will forgive you. Everyone makes mistakes, _____.</p> <p>A. nobody is perfect B. not born yesterday C. a bad workman always blames his tools D. all bets are off</p>
<p>65 I don't like watching reality show. They are _____.</p> <p>A. not my cup of tea B. backseat driver C. bad egg D. nothing doing</p>	<p>66 We need to discuss the _____ of the proposal before going any further.</p> <p>A. null and void B. against all odds C. nuts and bolts D. pain in the neck</p>
<p>67 You can't fool me again! _____.</p> <p>A. Off the record B. Ants in one's pants C. Any time means no time D. Once bitten twice shy</p>	<p>68 The English test was a _____!</p> <p>A. bouncing of the walls B. piece of cake C. full of beans D. piece by piece</p>
<p>69 You'll get the dance routine as long as you keep practicing. As the saying goes, _____.</p> <p>A. practice makes perfect B. prevention is better than cure C. pride comes before a fall D. put best foot forward</p>	<p>70 Don't invest all your money in one company. Never _____.</p> <p>A. pull your socks up B. put all eggs in one basket C. pull somebody's leg D. put your shoulder to the wheel</p>

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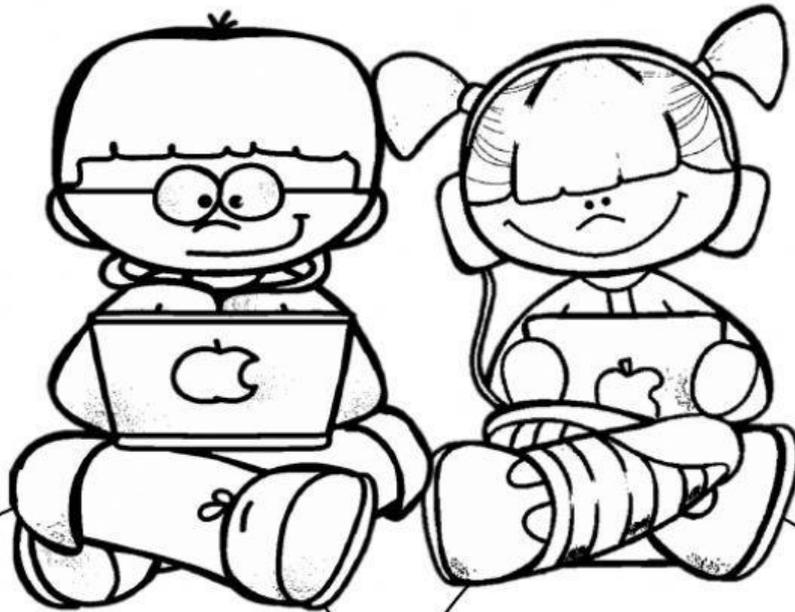
<p>71 You should always _____ during a job interview.</p> <p>A. put your shoulder to the wheel B. call it quits C. put best foot forward D. quick fix</p>	<p>72 We're all exhausted. Let's _____.</p> <p>A. cut somebody to the quick B. have a quick temper C. quick off the mark D. call it quits</p>
<p>73 When my mother is really angry, she has a _____.</p> <p>A. a feather in your cap B. face like thunder C. face off D. face to face</p>	<p>74 I felt _____ at the banquet because I did not know anyone there.</p> <p>A. icing on the cake B. in cahoots C. ill at ease D. afraid of one's own shadow</p>
<p>75 I'm going for a job interview tomorrow. _____ for me!</p> <p>A. Keep fingers crossed B. Keep finger on pulse C. Keep a low profile D. Keep a level head</p>	<p>76 John learned the words to his part in the play while peeling potatoes. He was _____.</p> <p>A. kill one to warn a hundred B. kill two birds with one stone C. like a knife through butter D. kindred spirit</p>
<p>77 Although they had only just met, they immediately felt they were _____ and soon became close friends.</p> <p>A. a new broom sweeps clean B. like a knife through butter C. knight in shining armour D. kindred spirit</p>	<p>78 What you learn now will never be wasted. _____.</p> <p>A. Knowledge is power B. Knowledge in youth is wisdom in age C. A leopard cannot change its sports D. A little bird told me</p>
<p>79 Anis always make me feel better because she is so hilarious. It's like they say, _____.</p> <p>A. laughter is the best medicine B. laugh your head off C. learn to walk before you run D. least said, soonest mended</p>	<p>80 When I need someone to talk to, I always call my Maya. She is ready to _____.</p> <p>A. learn the ropes B. lend an ear C. let the cat out of the bag D. let the chips fall where they may</p>

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<p>81 He _____ when he told her about the party. It was supposed to be a surprise.</p> <p>A. let the cat out of the bag B. let sleeping dogs lie C. lie through teeth D. fly off the handle</p>	<p>82 You'd better check out all the costs before you buy a cellular phone, _____.</p> <p>A. live to fight another day B. look before you leap C. go the extra mile D. make up your mind</p>
<p>83 She's got a _____. She can tell you the name of all the countries in the world.</p> <p>A. mind of information B. magic touch C. matter of opinion D. memory like an elephant</p>	<p>84 I'm having a party tomorrow. Please come and invite your friends too. The _____!</p> <p>A. more the merrier B. ten to one C. next best things D. hat in hand</p>
<p>85 One person can do the job as well. As they say, _____.</p> <p>A. too many cooks spoil the broth B. no man can serve to masters C. you can't keep a good man down D. hand in hand</p>	<p>86 This is a beautiful watch. It must have cost a _____.</p> <p>A. golden age B. green light C. pretty penny D. falls in a heap</p>
<p>87 _____. Remember to keep your garden and drains clean so they do not become breeding grounds for the Aedes mosquitoes.</p> <p>A. Practice what you preach B. Play by the rule C. Play by ear D. Prevention is better than cure</p>	<p>88 _____ I will make it to the reunion dinner, I promise.</p> <p>A. Race against time B. Rain or shine C. Raining cats and dogs D. Hit the road</p>
<p>89 We'll have to cancel the picnic as it is _____.</p> <p>A. raining cats and dogs B. reach for the stars C. ring off the hook D. asking for trouble</p>	<p>90 The doctor said that with some rest, my knee should heal nicely and be _____ in a few weeks.</p> <p>A. riding high B. right as rain C. ring off the hook D. up and running</p>

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91	<p>The _____ of the daily traffic congestion is construction work along the road.</p> <p>A. rule of thumb B. above board C. root cause D. salt of the earth</p>	92	<p>She searched the cupboard _____ but still couldn't find her watch.</p> <p>A. go down a treat B. ten to one C. through tick and thin D. from top to bottom</p>
93	<p>You should not _____ going out in public wearing so much jewellery.</p> <p>A. take a back seat B. take chances C. take a fancy D. take for a ride</p>	94	<p>She has been there for me _____. She's a true friend.</p> <p>A. week in, week out B. year by year C. through thick or thin D. you and yours</p>
95	<p>"I can't believe it's time to go home. _____ and it feels like we just arrived at grandma's place".</p> <p>A. Time flies B. Only time will tell C. Time is money D. Truth has no answer</p>	96	<p>The test was _____ for me.</p> <p>A. waiting game B. walk of life C. a walk in the park D. walk and chew gum</p>
97	<p>We have to take some food home as I don't want it to _____.</p> <p>A. be weak in the knees B. walk on eggshells C. out of your way D. go to waste</p>	98	<p>It was a strenuous climb but I stayed strong and did it. As the saying goes, _____.</p> <p>A. when in Rome, do as the Romans do B. where there's a will, there's a way C. every which way D. win or lose</p>
99	<p>Even though he did wrong, you shouldn't think about getting back at him. _____.</p> <p>A. Two wrongs don't make a right B. You are what you eat C. You are only young once D. You are never too old to learn</p>	100	<p>The children misbehaved when the teacher left the classroom. _____.</p> <p>A. Where there's life there's hope B. When the cat's away, the mice will play C. Work your way up D. Worm's eye view</p>



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