

# American Idioms

I. Watch the video and connect the idioms with their meaning.

It is raining cats and dogs

Going the extra mile

It's a small world

The apple of my eye

Go back to square one

Mum's the word

To work a lot for something

A very loud and big storm

To say who is my favorite

To start something again

To be quiet

To frequently see people  
unexpectedly

## II. Complete the sentences using the correct american idioms

1. My mother loves me very much. I am the \_\_\_\_\_.
2. If you want to be the best, you need to \_\_\_\_\_.
3. You shouldn't go out. \_\_\_\_\_.
4. I have seen you frequently this month. \_\_\_\_\_.
5. I am dissapointed because I didn't plan well my homework, so now I have to \_\_\_\_\_.
6. You need to protect your sister's secret, so \_\_\_\_\_.

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A: You have worked a lot on your Project. You have \_\_\_\_\_.

B: Yes, but \_\_\_\_\_. I don't want anybody to talk about it

A: I will take a taxi because \_\_\_\_\_.

B: Let me make a delicious dinner for you. You are the \_\_\_\_\_.

A: Oh no, I put sugar on the steak! Now I have to \_\_\_\_\_.

B: By the way, have I told you I have seen Mathew many times in the mall, and the gym? \_\_\_\_\_.



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IV. Complete the paragraph using the correct american idiom.

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Dear Diary, today the weather was terrible. It was \_\_\_\_\_. My mother put my raincoat and hat on to keep me dry. She loves me so much and says I am \_\_\_\_\_. Today I made a mistake doing my project and I had to \_\_\_\_\_. I wanted to \_\_\_\_\_ so I could get an A. After school I went to the mall with my sister. I have seen a friend unexpectedly this month. \_\_\_\_\_ and it was very nice to see her. Ok it is bedtime, and I will write in my diary tomorrow.