

American Idioms

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

It is raining cats and dogs

To work a lot for something

Going the extra mile

A very loud and big storm

It's a small world

To say who is my favorite

The apple of my eye

To start something again

Go back to square one

To be quiet

Mum's the word

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 disappointed because I didn't plan well my homework, so now I have to _____.
6. You need to protect your sister's secret, so _____.

III. Complete the sentences using the correct american idioms.

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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.

raining cats and dogs

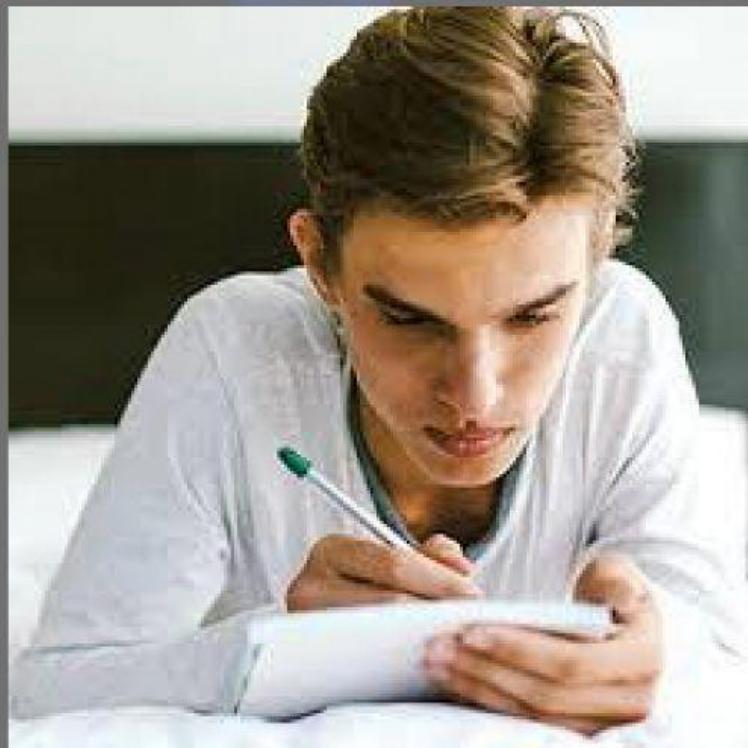
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Dear Diary, today the weather was terrible. It was _____. My mother put my raincoat and hat on to keep me dry. She loves me so much and says I am _____. Today I made a mistake doing my project and I had to _____. I wanted to _____ so I could get an 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.