

Business idioms revision

Change the words and phrases below into matching idioms.

1. We need to get environmentalists and businesses **to agree** to improve things in the future.

We need to get environmentalists and businesses _____ to improve things in the future.

2. You have to go through endless **bureaucracy** to get a residence permit.

You have to go through endless _____ to get a residence permit.

3. The best time for you to **stay quiet** is the time you feel you must say something or bust.

The best time for you to _____ is the time you feel you must say something or bust.

4. She's just started. It'll take her a week or two to **know how to do her job**.

She's just started. It'll take her a week or two to _____.

5. We have to **make a start** on this project soon.

We have to _____ on this project soon.

6. I hate going to the dentist, but I suppose I'll just have to **force myself**.

I hate going to the dentist, but I suppose I'll just have to _____.

7. It's **unlikely**, but someone might recognise her from the photo and be able to tell us where she lives.

It's _____, but someone might recognise her from the photo and be able to tell us where she lives.

8. **The key thing** is that we need another ten thousand dollars to complete the project.

_____ is that we need another ten thousand dollars to complete the project.

9. To be competitive, they paid low wages and **cut costs** on health and safety.

To be competitive, they paid low wages and _____ on health and safety.