

QUIZ PROFICENCY UNIT 5 VOCABULARY

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Complete the sentences with the words (fit as fiddle, as right as rain, take a toll, hang by a thread, bitter pill to swallow, assimilation, spike, induce, shed, alleviate)

1. Poor _____ of vitamins and nutrients can cause health problems.
2. A _____ in the demand for ice can be expected during summer.
3. My grandfather will soon turn 80 and still is _____!
4. When the star player was left out of the team, it was a _____ for him _____.
5. Studying for the exams really _____ on me – I feel as if I could sleep for a week.
6. The doctor told John that he had a bad cold and that he'd be _____ after a few days in bed.
7. Miriam has lost five pounds, but she wants to _____ another two.
8. The doctor prescribed pain pills to _____ Martin's back pain.
9. Does too little sleep _____ stress, or is it stress that causes loss of sleep?
10. Paula is in hospital after a car accident , her life _____.