

COLOUR IDIOMS

Match the idioms 1-14 to their correct meaning a-n.

RED	
1. see red	
2. paint the town red	
3. catch somebody red-handed	
BLUE	
4. once in a blue moon	
5. have the blues	
6. out of the blue	
BLACK AND WHITE	
7. white lie	
8. in black and white	
9. black sheep	
10. black out	
PINK	
11. tickled pink	
12. in the pink	
GREEN	
13. green eyes	
14. have green fingers	

- a. very rarely
- b. a harmless lie (told to be polite or to do something not seriously wrong)
- c. go out and party and have a good time
- d. to happen very suddenly and unexpectedly
- e. think of everything or judge everything as either good or bad
- f. a person who is a disgrace or embarrassment to a family or group
- g. to catch someone in the act of committing a crime, usually a theft
- h. be skillful at gardening
- i. be sad or depressed
- j. to lose consciousness
- k. in perfect condition, especially of health
- l. to be jealous
- m. very pleased and appreciative
- n. to react with uncontrollable rage against someone or something