

**Primary 5/6**

**Week 1**

# The Write Tribe

# IDIOMS

LIVEWORKSHEETS

# Write the meanings

| word/phrase | meaning |
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| Wolf in sheep's clothing | |
| Familiarity breeds contempt | |
| Spill the beans | |
| You can't have your cake and eat it too | |
| Don't beat a dead horse | |

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| Give away a secret | Let go of a hopeless situation |
| You must make a choice, you cannot have it both ways. | Someone who hides malicious intent under the guise of kindliness. |
| The better you know someone the less you like him | |

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| Open a can of worms | |
| A snowball's chance in hell | |
| Slow and steady wins the race | |
| Look before you leap | |
| There are other fish in the sea | |

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| No chance at all | Take only calculated risks |
| You will have more success if you take your time rather than rushing ahead to meet your goal | To attempt to solve one problem, or to do something, that creates a whole litany of other problems that were not there in the first place |
| It's ok to miss this opportunity. Others will arise. | |






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# MATCH!

There are other fish in the sea

Look before you leap

Slow and steady wins the race

A snowball's chance in hell

Open a can of worms

Assess the situation before taking a risk

Impossible

Complicate a situation and create more problems

Do not rush, take your time and you will be successful

There are plenty of other opportunities out there

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# MATCH!

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| Wolf in sheep's clothing | Someone who is pretending to be nice to make use of you |
| Familiarity breeds contempt | Move on from a situation that is hopeless |
| Spill the beans | Make a choice. You can't have everything. |
| You can't have your cake and eat it too | The more you know something, the less you like it |
| Don't beat a dead horse | Reveal a secret |

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