

# Year 6 Worksheet 8: Idioms and Their Meanings

# **Activity 1: Fill in the Blanks**

Complete the sentences using	the correct idiom	from the list below.
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1.	It's time to	the cat out of the bag.	
2.	She was feeling under the	yesterday.	
3.	He hit the nail on the	with his answer.	
4.	Don't count your chickens before	they	
5.	That was a piece of	for me.	
6.	She is as cool as a		
7.	I'm feeling a bit blue today, like I'	m in the	_ <del>:</del>
8.	He has a chip on his	·	
9.	They are in the same		
10.	I need to pull myself together and	d aet mv	in a row



## Activity 2: Match the Idiom with its Meaning

Match the idioms in Column A with their meanings in Column B.

#### Column A

1. Break the ice

2.	Bite the bullet
3.	Jump on the bandwagon
4.	The ball is in your court
5.	Burning the midnight oil
6.	A blessing in disguise
7.	Call it a day

- 9. Let the cat out of the bag
- 10. Hit the hay



#### Column B

B. To go to bed

A. To start a conversation

C. To reveal a secret
D. To make a choice
E. To work late into the night
F. To follow a trend
G. To stop working for the day
H. To endure something painful
I. To be expensive
J. A good thing that seems bad initially



## **Answer Key**

#### Activity 1

- 1. spill
- 2. weather
- 3. head
- 4. hatch
- 5. cake
- 6. cucumber
- 7. dumps
- 8. shoulder
- 9. same boat
- 10. ducks

#### Activity 2

- 1. A
- 2. H
- 3. F
- 4. D
- 5. E
- 6. J
- 7. G
- 8. I
- 9. C
- 10. B



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