

# Understanding Idioms

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## Review of Idioms and Figurative Language

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Answer the following questions based on what you learned about idioms.

1. What is an idiom? Explain in your own words.

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2. What does the idiom 'break a leg' mean?

- A. To hurt yourself
- B. To wish someone good luck
- C. To take a break

3. The idiom 'it's raining cats and dogs' means it is raining \_\_\_\_ heavily.

4. Idioms are always easy to understand for everyone.

- True       False

5. Why might idioms be confusing for someone learning English?

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6. Which of the following is NOT an idiom?

- A. Kick the bucket
- B. Turn over a new leaf
- C. Run fast

7. According to Proverbs 16:24, pleasant words are like a \_\_\_\_ to the soul.

8. Understanding idioms helps with communication.

- True       False

9. Can you share one idiom you learned today? What does it mean?

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10. Why are idioms considered fun?

- A. They always rhyme
- B. They create colorful descriptions
- C. They are always literal

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### Answer Key

1. An idiom is a phrase that means something different from the literal words. It is a way of using language that can be fun and colorful. 2. To wish someone good luck 3. very 4. False 5. Idioms can be confusing because their meanings aren't clear from the individual words, making it hard to guess what they mean. 6. Run fast 7. honeycomb 8. True 9. 'piece of cake'. It means something that is very easy to do. 10. They create colorful descriptions