

Learners: H.S. 4

Language Focus: Vocabulary (Idioms on Animals)



Objectives:

1. to identify the meaning of the given idiomatic expressions
2. to evaluate the sentences in terms of the idioms used
3. to use idioms in sentences correctly

Format/Manner: Modified Multiple Choice

Directions: Evaluate each sentence below. Write **C** if the italicized idiom used in the sentence is correct. If it is wrong, supply the appropriate idiom. Refer to the choices given. Write your answer on the blank before the number.

raining cats and dogs	like water off a duck's back	a fish out of water
lion's share	a wolf in a sheep's clothing	until the cows come home
snake in the grass	beeline for a beehive	bird's eye view
crow over another	cat's nap crocodile tears	chicken- hearted

- _____ 1. It's *raining cats and dogs*, so make sure you bring an umbrella.
- _____ 2. The beautiful woman cried *like water off a duck's back* when the policeman tried to give her a ticket for driving too quickly.
- _____ 3. Staying on the 30th floor of this building gives me a *bird's eye view* of the city.
- _____ 4. The accounting office *is a snake in the grass* throughout the enrollment week.
- _____ 5. The Japanese exchange student feels like *chicken-hearted* in our Filipino class.
- _____ 6. My friend and I talked *until the cows come home*.
- _____ 7. We *crowed over* Matthew because he lost in our DOTA game yesterday.

_____ 8. You can't trust **a fish out of water** who pretends to be harmless.

_____ 9. The eldest son complained because his brother got the **lion's share** of the family's estate.

_____ 10. I feel energized after taking a **cat's nap**.

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