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English Vocabulary - Idioms & Phrases

English

Q:1 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

In the good books

- 1. Work well for the boss
- 2. Praise the boss
- 3. In favour of the boss
- 4. Not in the favour

Q:2 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

By leaps and bounds

- 1. Very slowly
- 2. Very quickly
- 3. Irregularly
- 4. Very systematically

Q:3 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

The pros and cons

- 1. Measure the ingredient
- 2. Observe etiquette
- 3. Consider all facts
- 4. Postpone action

Q:4 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Got the from

- 1. Resigned
- 2. Got rid of
- 3. Was demoted from
- 4. Was dismissed from

Q:5 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

No love lost

- 1. Stop loving
- 2. Not on good terms
- **3.** Forming a group
- 4. Have good understanding

Q:6 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Sitting on the fence

- 1. Observing the scene
- 2. Resting on fence
- 3. Hesitating which side to take
- 4. Sitting back and enjoying the fun

Q:7 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

A stone's throw

- 1. Far off
- 2. Far away
- 3. Very near to
- 4. Beside us

Q:8 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

Play to the gallery

- 1. To give importance to the common man
- 2. To try to be cleaver
- 3. To seek to win approval
- 4. To side-track the issue

Q:9 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

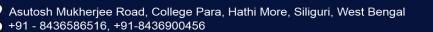
At stake

- 1. On trial
- 2. Under preasure
- 3. In danger
- 4. Challenged

Q:10 Select the most appropriate meaning of the given idiom.

A chill to the heart

- 1. Caused anger
- 2. Caused relief
- 3. Aroused fear
- 4. Awakened bitterness





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Answer Key				
1. (3)	2 . (2)	3. (3)	4 . (4)	5 . (2)
6. (3)	7. (3)	8. (3)	9 . (3)	10 . (3)

Answers and Solutions

Q:1 The correct answer is option 3 i.e. In favour with the boss.

The meaning of the given idiom is:-

In the good books- In favour of the boss.

As the meaning of the given idiom is the same as the chosen option it will be correct.

Q:2 The correct answer is option 2 i.e. **Very quickly.** The meaning of the given idiom is:-

By leaps and bounds- Very quickly.

As the meaning of the given idiom is the same as the chosen option it will be correct.

Q:3 The correct answer is option 3 i.e. **Consider all facts.**

The meaning of the given idiom is:-

The pros and cons- Consider all facts.

As the meaning of the given idiom is the same as the chosen option it will be correct.

Q:4 The correct answer is **option 4 i.e. Was dismissed from**.

The meaning of the given idiom is:-

Got the from- Was dismissed from; it is an informal expression that means someone was dismissed or fired from a job or position.

As the meaning of the given idiom is the same as the chosen option it will be correct.

Q:5 The correct answer is option 2 i.e. Not on good group.

The meaning of the given idiom is:-

No love lost- Not on good terms.

The meaning of NO LOVE LOST is - used to say that people dislike each other.

As the meaning of the given idiom is the same as the chosen option it will be correct.

Q:6 The correct answer is option 3 i.e. **Hesitating** which side to take.

The meaning of the given idiom is:-

Sitting on the fence- Hesitating which side to take. As the meaning of the given idiom is the same as the chosen option it will be correct.

Q:7 The correct answer is option 3 i.e. **Very near to** The meaning of the given idiom is:-

A stone's throw- Very near to.

As the meaning of the given idiom is the same as the chosen option it will be correct.

Q:8 The correct answer is option 3 i.e. To seek to win approval.

The meaning of the given idiom is:-

Play to the gallery- To seek to win approval.

As the meaning of the given idiom is the same as the chosen option it will be correct.

Q:9 The correct answer is option 3 i.e. **In danger.** The meaning of the given idiom is:-

At stake- In danger.

As the meaning of the given idiom is the same as the chosen option it will be correct.

Q:10 The correct answer is option 3 i.e. Aroused fear.

The meaning of the given idiom is:-

A chill to the heart- Aroused fear.

A chill to the heart has the meaning of a sudden feeling of fear. As the meaning of the given idiom is the same as the chosen option it will be correct.









