

**ESL QUIZ
A1-A2**

**ENGLISH
EXPRESSIONS
FOR BEGINNERS**

WORKSHEET



Name:

Date:

ENGLISH EXPRESSIONS

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Choose the correct answer.

1- Person A: You don't look well today.
Person B: Yeah... I'm feeling under the weather.

What does "under the weather" mean?

- a) A little worried
- b) A little sick
- c) A little busy

2- Person A: Was the test difficult?
Person B: No, it was a piece of cake!

What does "piece of cake" mean?

- a) Very sweet
- b) Very difficult
- c) Very easy

3- Person A: I have a big presentation today.
Person B: Break a leg!

What does "break a leg" mean?

- a) Good luck
- b) Be careful
- c) Be strong

4- Person A: Where are you? The meeting started!
Person B: I'm sorry, I'm running late.

What does "running late" mean?

- a) I'm behind schedule
- b) I'm in a hurry
- c) I'm early

5- Person A: It's already 6 PM.
Person B: Yeah, let's call it a day.

What does "call it a day" mean?

- a) Keep working
- b) Stop working
- c) Start working

6- Person A: That car is \$100,000!
Person B: Wow, that costs an arm and a leg.

What does "cost an arm and a leg" mean?

- a) Very cheap
- b) Very fast
- c) Very expensive

7- Person A: I need to tell you something important.
Person B: Go ahead, I'm all ears.

What does "I'm all ears" mean?

- a) My ears are hurting
- b) I'm listening carefully
- c) I can't hear you

8- Person A: You have an exam tomorrow.
Person B: I know... I need to hit the books.

What does "hit the books" mean?

- a) Study hard
- b) Buy books
- c) Throw books

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9- Person A: Did you call your mom?

Person B: Oh no... it slipped my mind.

What does "it slipped my mind" mean?

- a) I remembered
- b) I wrote it down
- c) I forgot

10- Person A: Oh look, here comes John!

Person B: Speak of the devil!

What does "speak of the devil" mean?

- a) Someone arrived unexpectedly
- b) Someone is angry
- c) Someone you were talking about appears

11- Person A: This project is so hard...

Person B: Hang in there!

What does "hang in there" mean?

- a) Wait for me
- b) Don't give up
- c) Work harder

12- Person A: Can you watch my bag?

Person B: Sure, I'll keep an eye on it.

What does "keep an eye on it" mean?

- a) Watch it carefully
- b) Ignore it
- c) Fix it

13- Person A: Do you like horror movies?

Person B: Not really, it's not my cup of tea.

What does "not my cup of tea" mean?

- a) I love it
- b) I don't like it
- c) I don't understand

14- Person A: Sorry I'm late.

Person B: No worries!

What does "No worries!" mean?

- a) Try harder
- b) It's okay
- c) Be careful

15- Person A: Can you fix this now?

Person B: Don't worry, I'm on it.

What does "I'm on it" mean?

- a) I finished it
- b) I forgot
- c) I will do it now

16- Person A: I can't carry this box.

Person B: Here, let me give you a hand.

What does "give you a hand" mean?

- a) Help you
- b) Give you something
- c) A little busy

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17- Person A: Do you want to go shopping?

Person B: I can't... I'm broke.

What does "I'm broke" mean?

- a) I'm tired
- b) I have no money
- c) I'm sick

18- Person A: Should we go out or stay home?

Person B: It's up to you.

What does "It's up to you" mean?

- a) We cancel
- b) I decide
- c) You decide

19- Person A: Do you want some coffee?

Person B: No thanks, I'll pass.

What does "I'll pass" mean?

- a) I refuse
- b) I accept
- c) I don't understand

20- Person A: Do you remember her name?

Person B: Hmm... that rings a bell.

What does "that rings a bell" mean?

- a) I hear noise
- b) I don't know
- c) I remember something

CREATE YOUR OWN DIALOGUE

Choose two expressions from this worksheet and write a short dialogue using each expression.

DIALOGUE #1

Person A: _____

Person B: _____

DIALOGUE #2

Person A: _____

Person B: _____