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Idioms Choices Worksheet

An idiom is a phrase that has two meanings: a literal meaning and a figurative meaning.

Directions: Read each sentence and answer the question. Then, explain what each idiom means.

Example A: Can someone feel up in the dumps or down in the dumps?

Answer: answer- down in the dumps

Down in the dumps means they are sad.

1. Can your order at a restaurant be messed up or messed down?

answer: _____

meaning: _____

2. Can a car come out of the blue or out of the red?

answer: _____

meaning: _____

3. If you're in trouble are you in the dog house or cat's house?

answer: _____

meaning: _____

4. Can your coach put their foot down or foot upside down?

answer: _____

meaning: _____

5. Can you be skating on thin ice or swimming on thin ice?

answer: _____

meaning: _____