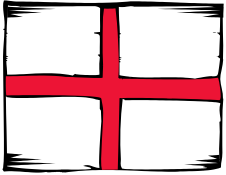


First try and work out what these idioms mean. If you struggle these are some clues on page 3. Try and do it yourself and then use page 3 as a family quiz or Zoom quiz!

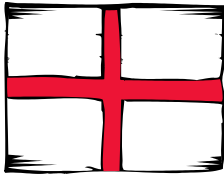
Idiom	We think this means...
A little bird told me	
Back to square one	
Cash cow	
Deep pockets but short arms	
Elbow grease	
Fools rush in where angels fear to tread (walk)	
Game on!	
Here today, gone tomorrow	
Just what the doctor ordered	
Knight in shining armour	



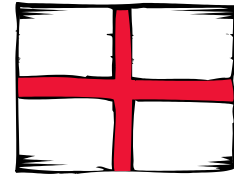
Idioms are very special to our English language, people from other

Idiom	We think this means...
Light at the end of the tunnel	
Make a pig's ear of things	
Not my cup of tea	
On the tip of your tongue	
Pull up your socks	
Raining cats and dogs	
Sit on the fence	
Watch paint dry	
You can't unring a bell	
Zip it!	

countries struggle to understand them.



English Idioms



You could use this to answer the questions above.

You could even set it as a family or Zoom quiz.

<p>Exactly what you need</p> 	<p>A friend who helps you</p> 	<p>Something you do not like</p> 	<p>People who do things without thinking</p> 
<p>Hope for the future.</p> 	<p>If someone doesn't want to say where information came from</p> 	<p>Whatever you're doing, you need to start again</p> 	<p>Something you can nearly, but not quite, remember</p> 
<p>Make a mess.</p> 	<p>Accept a challenge</p> 	<p>A person who is wealthy but does not share</p> 	<p>Something that is very boring or dull</p> 
<p>A product or business that makes lots of money</p> 	<p>Some things not lost very long</p> 	<p>Something that will be hard work and needs lots of effort</p> 	<p>Something you have done that cannot be changed</p> 
<p>Try harder!</p> 	<p>Really raining heavily</p> 	<p>Not taking sides in an argument</p> 	<p>Be quiet please!</p> 