

Name _____



Expression Explorer

Directions: Read each sentence carefully. Use context clues to fill in the missing word that completes each common expression.

1. Sarah told me not to worry before my speech and said, "Break a _____!"
2. After studying all night, I was ready to hit the _____ and get some sleep.
3. When Liam accidentally told the secret, he really let the cat out of the _____.
4. It's raining cats and _____ outside, so don't forget your umbrella!
5. That test was a piece of _____ —I finished it in ten minutes!
6. When I'm sick, my mom says I'm feeling under the _____.
7. Ella stayed calm during the storm; she was cool as a _____.
8. We almost missed the bus, but we made it just in the _____ of time.
9. Once in a blue _____, we get a snow day in April!
10. Now that I've done my part, the ball is in your _____ to finish the project.