

Name _____



Say What?

Directions: Read each short situation below. Then, choose from the expression bank that best matches what's happening. Be sure each one fits the meaning of the situation.

break the ice

cost an arm and a leg

let the cat out of the
bag

bite the bullet

once in a blue moon

spill the beans

under the weather

caught red-handed
piece of cake

hit the books

1. Emma told her friend about the surprise party before it happened.

2. After feeling nervous on the first day of camp, Jake made a joke to help everyone relax. _____
3. My new phone was so expensive—it practically
_____!
4. Ava studied all weekend because she needed to pass her science test.

5. You only see a solar eclipse _____.
6. When the teacher walked in, Max was holding the note he wasn't supposed to read. _____
7. Leo was nervous about getting his vaccine, but he decided to
_____ and get it over with.
8. I felt a little sick this morning, like I was _____.
9. Finishing the math puzzle was so easy—it was a
_____.
10. Mia accidentally told everyone about the secret project.
