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## Words Of Fortune

**Directions:** Read each Lunar New Year-themed idiom about **luck** and **renewal**. Then explain what the idiom means figuratively and how it connects to the themes of new beginnings, success, or prosperity. Write your responses in complete sentences.

1. **"Turn over a new leaf."**

Figurative meaning: \_\_\_\_\_

Connection: \_\_\_\_\_

2. **"A clean slate."**

Figurative meaning: \_\_\_\_\_

Connection: \_\_\_\_\_

3. **"Strike while the iron is hot."**

Figurative meaning: \_\_\_\_\_

Connection: \_\_\_\_\_

4. **"Fortune favors the bold."**

Figurative meaning: \_\_\_\_\_

Connection: \_\_\_\_\_

5. **"Plant the seeds of success."**

Figurative meaning: \_\_\_\_\_

Connection: \_\_\_\_\_

6. **"Out with the old, in with the new."**

Figurative meaning: \_\_\_\_\_

Connection: \_\_\_\_\_