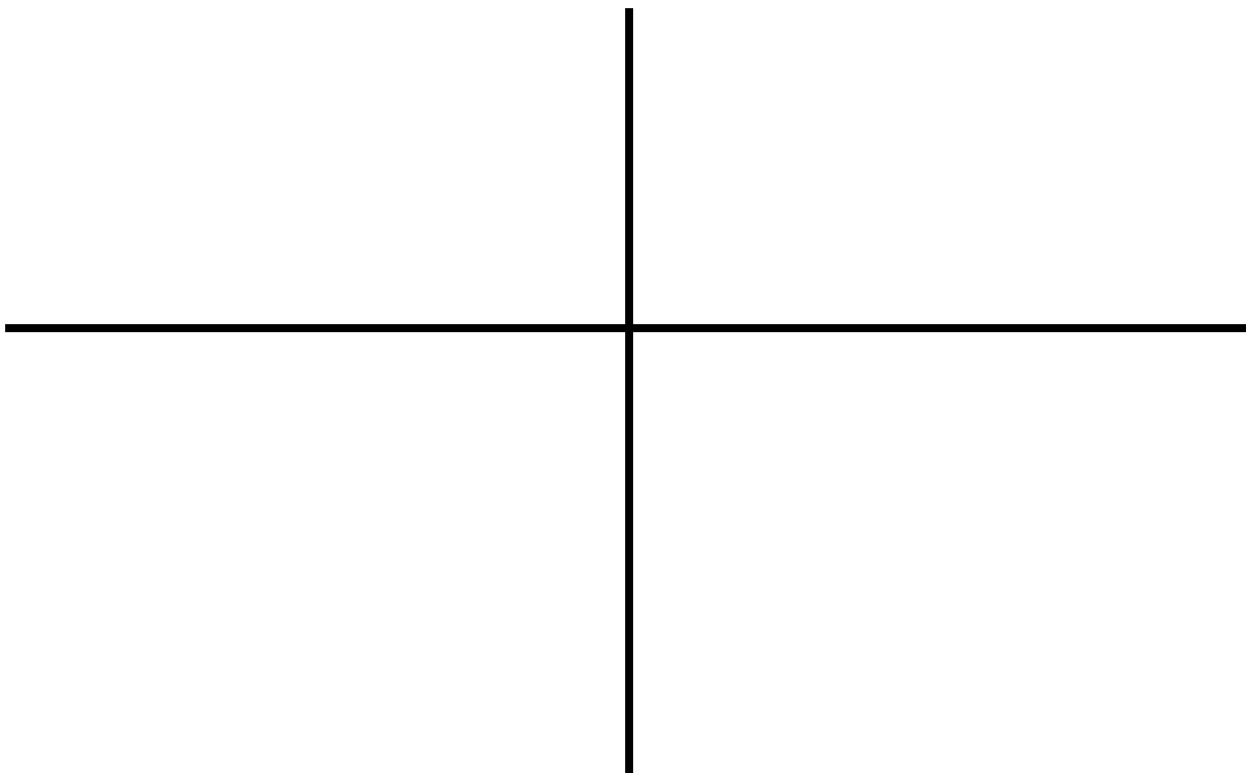


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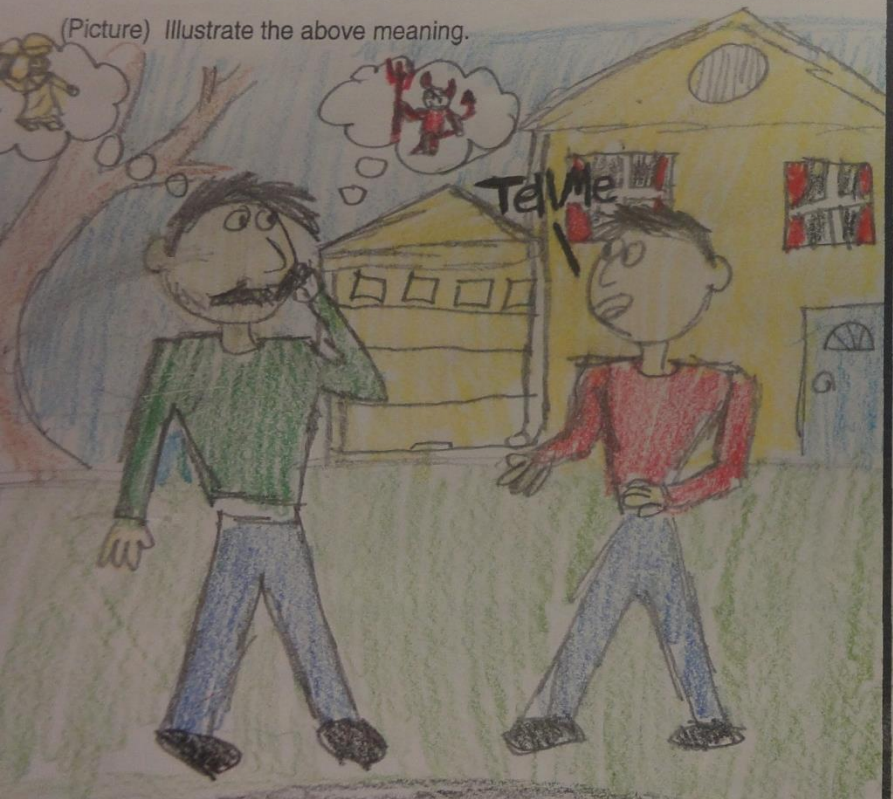
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Name: John Michael Bolinder

DON'T LET THE CAT OUT OF THE BAG.

Figurative: Don't tell the secret.
"Common" meaning of Idiom

(Picture) Illustrate the above meaning.



Literal: Don't let the feline escape from the sack.
"Word-for-word" meaning of Idiom

(Picture) Illustrate the above meaning.



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The Don't Be an Idiom Assignment

Name: Lucy Kelly

IT COST ME AN ARM AND A LEG.

Figurative: It cost a lot of
"Common"
meaning of Idiom money.

(Picture) Illustrate the above meaning.



Literal: I paid with a calf
"Word-for-word"
meaning of Idiom and a forearm.

(Picture) Illustrate the above meaning.



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The Don't Be an Idiom Assignment

Name: Yara Gierka

SHE WAS CAUGHT RED-HANDED.

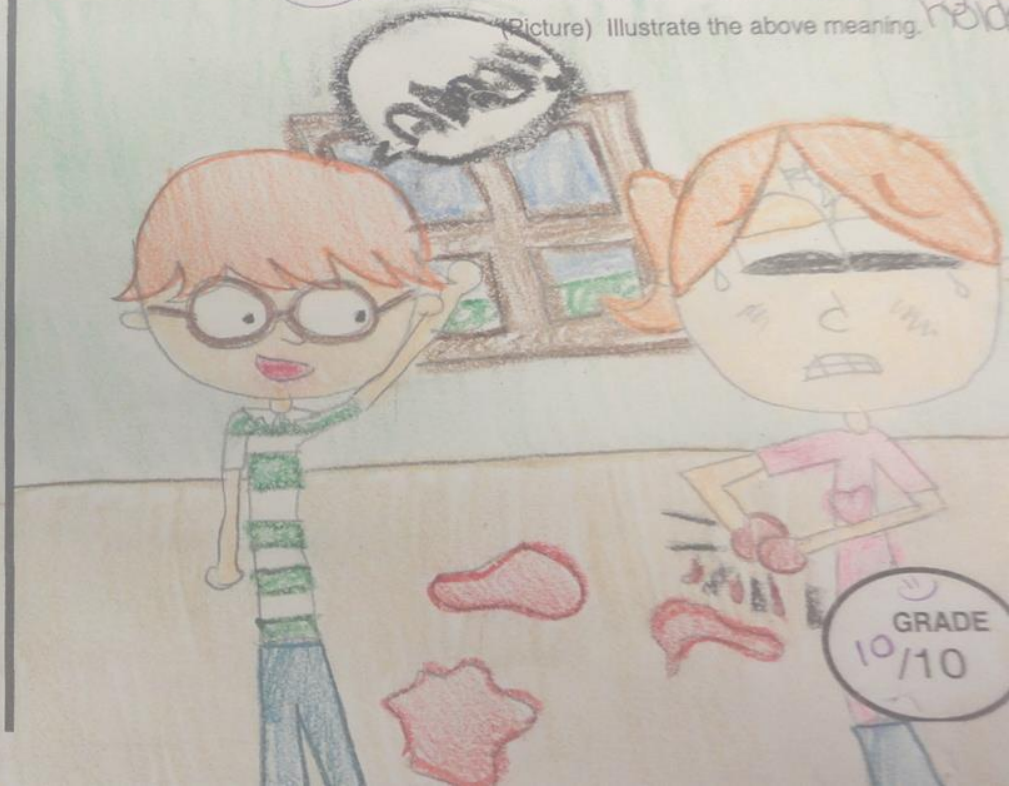
Figurative: She was discovered of
"Common"
meaning of Idiom doing a crime.

(Picture) Illustrate the above meaning.



Literal: Someone found her with a
"Word-for-word"
meaning of Idiom redish-white color on her finger
hold

(Picture) Illustrate the above meaning.



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<p>A: (to) ace a test Ants in the pants</p> <p>B: (to) bad-mouth someone (to) badger someone (verb) (Going) bananas Bark up the wrong tree be a piece of cake be all ears be broke beat around the bush beat one's brains out bent out of shape bite off more than one can chew blow one's top blow off some steam (she is a) Bombshell Break a leg! break someone's heart</p> <p>Break the ice bull-headed Butterflies in your stomach</p> <p>C: call it a day catch one's eye catch some Zs Caught red-handed Chew the fat with someone Chip on one's shoulder (don't be a) chicken</p>	<p>D: Don't count your chickens (before) they hatch down in the dumps Drive me up a wall drop someone a line</p> <p>E: an eager beaver Early bird gets the worm an egghead End of his rope</p> <p>F: (to) feel blue fire someone (sounds) fishy Fly off the handle Frog in your throat (you're) full of beans</p> <p>G: get a kick out of something Get lost (to) get out of hand give someone a hand (to get) goose bumps (Has a) green thumb</p> <p>H: hard feelings have one's hands full Head in the clouds Head over heels in love Heart of gold</p>	<p>J: jump all over someone jump the gun Jump off a bridge</p> <p>K: keep an eye on (something) keep one's fingers crossed Keep your shirt on Kick the bucket Know something inside out</p> <p>L: Let the cat out of the bag (a) little birdie told me lost your marbles a low blow</p> <p>M: make a mountain out of a mole hill</p> <p>N: (someone is) narrow-minded A nose for trouble Not to be sneezed at (you're) Nuts</p> <p>O: On the cutting edge On cloud nine (he is) On the ball Over one's head</p>	<p>pull someone's leg Put a sock in it</p> <p>R: rain cats and dogs (He is a) redneck Ride shotgun (feeling) run-down</p> <p>S: sleep on it Selling like hotcakes shoot the breeze Silver tongued devil Skating on thin ice Skeletons in the closet Smell a rat (something is) a snap Spill the beans Step on it! (be a) suck up Sweating bullets Swallow your pride</p> <p>T: Talking up a storm tell a white lie Throw in the towel tight-fisted (on the) tip of my tongue (On) top of the world Toss his cookies Two-faced</p>
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