

ESL Worksheet: Idioms- Animals

Choose the correct answer.

Q1 - The shortest distance between two places is measured 'as the crow flies'.
Q2 - If you're nervous before doing something important, you have butterflies in your chest.
Q3 - If you ruin someone's plans, you cook their duck chicken goose turkey
Q4 - If you get information directly from the person responsible or involved, you get it from the pig's mouth.
Q5 - If you do something to its limits, you go the whole boar hog pig sow
Q6 - The biggest part of something being divided is the lion's share.



Q7 - If you sense that something is wrong or suspicious, you smell a mouse rat
Q8 - If you talk the hind legs off a donkey, you talk plainly and honestly.
Q9 - Someone who works and functions well late at night is a night eagle owl swallow gull
Q10 - Someone or something that looks strong but is actually weak is a paper