

Words to learn: **literal, figure of speech, idiom**

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under the WEATHER
spinning out of CONTROL
draw the line

get to the point
falling in LOVE
get over IT
jump the GUN
cross your FINGERS
put your HOUSE in order

a RUDE awakening
a rude AWAKENING

polish OFF
raining cats and dogs
let the cat out of the bag
copycat
think outside the box
I'm all ears
ace in the hole
make a mountain out of a molehill
over the hill
shape up or ship out
kick the bucket
dog and pony show
shake like a leaf
play your cards right
in the first place
in the same boat
put the cart before the horse
heart in the right place
jump on the bandwagon
jump down your throat

let me bounce THIS off of you
pull the WOOL over your EYES
draw the CURTAINS
toss your COOKIES
cut the CHEESE
bouncing off the WALLS
a close CALL
dance the NIGHT away
stuck UP
head over heels in LOVE
out of LUCK
pull out all the STOPS
BLOWN out of PROPORTION
down PAYMENT
EGO trip

the FACTs speak for themselves
get down to BRASS TACKS
hit the ROAD
break the ICE
in the middle of NOWHERE
RIP-off
take THE LAW into your own hands
stuck in a TIME WARP
taking SHAPE
TOKEN gesture
fight TOOTH and NAIL
put TWO and TWO together
UP in the air
white LIE
shrug IT off
by the same TOKEN
take the RAP
tickled PINK
on PINs and NEEDLEs
A LOT on your plate
fat CHANCE
even the SCORE
COLD calling
CASE in POINT
carve out a NICHE
caught UNAWARES
throw CAUTION to the wind
take a CHANCE
above and beyond the call of DUTY
miss the BOAT
BONE of contention
draw a BLANK
in the long RUN
IN over your head
point of no RETURN
drop DEAD
take a STAND
take the STING out
you took the WORDS right out of my mouth
put WORDs into someone's mouth
TAKE under your wing
under the KNIFE
on the UP and UP
UP in arms
at your WITS' end
will WONDERS never cease?
WORLDs apart
have your WORK cut out for you
train of THOUGHT
walk all over YOU
like two PEAs in a POD
pedal to the METAL
never a dull MOMENT
NEVER in a million YEARS
larger than LIFE
last THING on my mind

have the last WORD
get the JITTERS
jog your MEMORY
jump to CONCLUSIONS
the JURY is still out
JUST off the BOAT
JUST what the doctor ordered
keep your HEAD above WATER
paint the TOWN red
PAINTED into a corner
the PARTY is over
pass the BUCK
passing FANCY
put your CARDS on the TABLE
put your FEET up
put your FOOT down
put OUT to pasture
put the KIBOSH on
pull a fast ONE
pull your WEIGHT
push the ENVELOPE
push your LUCK
fly off the HANDLE

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