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You missed a Mini-Test! Don't forget to do it!

HOME IDIOMS

In your WB: Choose the right answer. Check yourself and read the new phrases in the table.

Homework 9 (level 4)

1. Learn the Home Idioms.

2. Describe your dream house

Find a picture of your dream house online or draw a picture of how it would look. Now that you have a picture, try and describe it in as much detail as possible (which type of plants you'll have in the front yard, the color of the paint, the style of house). Do you know all of the vocabulary you need to do so? If not, look up the words you need.



Use this story to help you:

My dream house is in the country. It has lots of rooms and windows and a big red front door. There is a huge living room with comfortable sofas and a large TV on the wall for my family and me.

In the basement, there is a giant game room with a ping-pong table and a drum set for me and my friends. It has a fridge for drinks and snacks.

My bedroom is blue with lots of shelves for my toy car collection. There are lots of posters of my favorite actors and singers, but they are big electronic screens so they can change all the time! There is also a brand-new computer, a sound system and a telescope because I love astronomy! My bed is special! You climb a tall ladder to get on it. I sleep under a window, and I can see the stars at night!

There are extra bedrooms so my friends can stay overnight.

Outside my dream house, there is giant swimming pool with sea water and a field nearby for my beautiful black horse.

Answers:

1. If you feel homesick, it means that you...

a. are staying at home because you have a cold

b. are feeling unhappy because you are a long way from your home

c. stayed at home for too long

2. When you bring home the bacon, you...

a. are not and will never be a vegetarian

b. earn money for your family to live on

c. are the only person in your family who goes shopping

3. If you say "the lights are on, but nobody's home", you mean that...

a. you stopped by your friend's house, but they had gone out

b. you want to rob somebody, but they have a burglar alarm (сигнализация)

c. somebody is stupid

4. A housewarming party is...

a. a party that you give when you move into a new house

b. a party that you give when it's cold outside

c. a party where you only play house music

5. When you flip a house, you

a. ask your visitors to wear flip-flops (шлепанцы) inside

b. buy a house, improve it a little, then sell it quickly for more money

c. inherit a house

6. When you say "it's nothing to write home about", you mean that...

a. it's boring

b. it's scary

c. you hate writing letters home

7. When you don't have a roof over your head, you have to

a. call a repairman

b. find a place to live

c. remodel your house

8. When something hits home,

a. your house is destroyed

b. you hit somebody who lives in your home

c. you realize how unpleasant or difficult something is

9. When you take everything but the kitchen sink on a holiday trip, you

a. forget to take something important

b. take a very large number of things, probably more than is necessary

c. are crazy

10. If your friend has a skeleton in the closet, ...

a. something shocking happened to him in the past and he wants to keep it secret

b. he doesn't clean his house regularly and it's messy

c. he teaches anatomy