

Test your knowledge of proverbs with the following quiz. What you need to do is to complete the proverb using a suggested answer.

1. A leopard can't change its —————

- a) Tail
- b) Stripes
- c) Spots
- d) Nature

2. Every cloud has a silver —————

- a) Color
- b) Hue
- c) Lining
- d) Finish

3. One man's ————— is another's poison.

- a) Food
- b) Medicine
- c) Meat
- d) Drink

4. Familiarity ————— contempt.

- a) Makes
- b) Breeds
- c) Generates
- d) Produces

5. Think before you —————

- a) Leap
- b) Jump
- c) Run
- d) Act

6. Don't look a gift horse in the —————

- a) Face
- b) Head
- c) Tummy

d) Mouth

7. People in glass houses should not ————— stones.

- a) Toss
- b) Throw
- c) Hurl
- d) Collect

8. You can't have your ————— and eat it too.

- a) Pudding
- b) Cake
- c) Meat
- d) Ice cream

9. When in Rome ————— as Romans do.

- a) Act
- b) Behave
- c) Do
- d) Think

10. Paddle your own —————

- a) Boat
- b) Yacht
- c) canoe
- d) rift

11. As you sow, so shall you —————

- a) Reap
- b) Harvest
- c) Gain
- d) Achieve

12. ————— of all trades master of none.

- a) Tom
- b) Harry
- c) Jack
- d) Peter

13. A bad worker always blames his —————

- a) Fate
- b) Tools
- c) Equipment
- d) Misfortune

14. Don't cry over split —————

- a) Milk
- b) Butter
- c) Porridge
- d) Soup

15. A burnt child ————— fire.

- a) Fears
- b) Hates
- c) Dreads
- d) Stops

Answers

- 1. Spots
- 2. Lining
- 3. Meat
- 4. Breeds
- 5. Leap
- 6. Mouth
- 7. Throw
- 8. Cake
- 9. Do
- 10. canoe
- 11. Reap
- 12. Jack
- 13. Tools
- 14. Milk
- 15. Dreads