



Weather plays havoc

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1. weather can play havoc with timetables
 1. " The climate is unpredictable in this part of the world , the weather can play havoc with timetables , you should check your flight online."
2. let's play it safe
 1. " we are going to take as much time as needed, let's play it safe ."
3. clearing immigration and customs
 1. " I don't want to have any problems with clearing immigration office."
4. faint hearted
 1. " that show wasn't for faint hearted people. "
5. pardon the pun
 1. " the fish smells fishy pardon the pun. "
6. en rout
 1. " the shipment is en route"
7. to lose face
 1. " this guy didn't lose his face. He acted like a fucking superhero . "
8. one industry town 
 1. "the town I grew up was an one industry town . Most people worked at a furniture factory back in day . "
9. system of favoures 
 1. " in this country, the system of favors works very well and it's all pervasive . "
10. marching order
 1. "He would come to work wasted drunk three days in a row, no wonder he got a marching order. "
11. Bureau de Change
 1. " It's safer to go to bureau de change then buy foreign currency from a street hustler."
12. to interest yourself in something
 1. " It sounds wonderful , let me see if I can interest myself in this sport activity ."
13. feel indebted
 1. " There is no need for you to feel indebted . I helped you only to apeace my guilty conscience . "
14. to be on par
 1. " To me , taking a walk was on par with staying at home the whole day . "
15. people just sit around thinking of making money.
 1. " They talk about being profiled but in the end of the day they'd just be sitting around and thinking of making money and not really doing anything to help themselves ."
16. to be on familiar terms

1. " He was on familiar terms with that kind of issue so he didn't hesitate to step up and offer his help."

17. old habits die hard

1. " I used to speak that way and even now it slips out sometimes , you know , old habits die hard. "

18. a stone's throw away

1. " the opposite river bank was a stone's throw away so I could clearly see what was going on on the other side."

19. teething problems

1. " poor infrastructure and minor misunderstandings are just teething problems of this community. They're gonna improve their living conditions."

20. take yourself in hand

1. " calm down, take yourself in hand, and listen to what I got to say. "

21. to be down on your luck

1. " they pass by, they look down on you, as if you were a piece of shit. People, how can you treat a person who is already down on his luck this way?"

22. to get terminally ill

1. "I guess I'm afraid of getting terminally ill more than dying."

23. shortcomings

1. "Total lack of self organization is one of my shortcomings. "

24. to fall asleep in daylight

1. " it used to be hard for me to fall asleep in daylight, but then I taught myself how to do that. "

25. nuclear sickness

1. "Can you really develop nuclear sickness by working with radioactive minerals?"