

Identifying Meanings

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c. a person of excellent character

4. Choose two expressions from the list above and write a sentence using each.

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advantage

2. ~~pull the wool over their eyes~~

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1. pass the buck

a. no evidence or law to back you up

b. try not to laugh

d. get married

g. just in time

h. ignoring someone

i. the largest portion

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2.

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| 1. turn over a new leaf | a. when there are no apparent problems or dangers |
| 2. judging a book by its cover | b. work hard on something |
| 3. show someone the ropes | c. something annoying or bothersome |
| 4. use some elbow grease | d. to fail at something |
| 5. the cream of the crop | e. demonstrate how to do a job to someone |
| 6. throw the book at him | f. judge someone very harshly |
| 7. the coast is clear | g. worrying before you need to |
| 8. fall flat on your face | |

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| 9. crossing a bridge before you come to it | i. something that is the best |
| 10. the eye is your side | j. making decisions about people based |
