

EXPRESSIONS, IDIOMS AND PHRASAL VERBS - (LEVEL C1+)

Here is a list of 11 advanced expressions and phrasal verbs used by native speakers.

Complete the sentences below with one of the red words. Only use the words once and change the form of the word if necessary.

RAMP SKIN BUTT BUSH CHASE FENCE
CREEP HOOK EYE MOUTH CHURN

1. Sometimes I **SHOOT MY** _____ **OFF** and it gets me into trouble.
2. He often **SITS ON THE** _____ so it is hard to know his true stance on issues.
3. I don't always **SEE** _____ **TO EYE** with my manager so we often _____ **HEADS**.
4. She was lucky and only just passed the exam **BY THE** _____ **OF HER TEETH**.
5. He lied to the boss to get Julie **OFF THE** _____. She was so close to being fired.
6. Politicians often **BEAT ABOUT THE** _____ when asked difficult questions by the press.
7. We need to _____ **UP** efforts to find a cure as soon as possible.
8. The numbers of homeless people _____ **UP** year by year.
9. Please **CUT TO THE** _____ and tell me exactly what is going on.
10. The factories _____ **OUT** thousands of bottles every month.