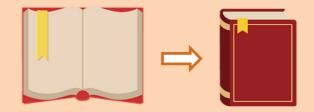


Topic

Conversation for Idioms

Lesson 49 Books 1 by the B

2 to L E the book



3 use every R C in the book



4 take/borrow a **E** out of someone's book



1. Our teacher always goes by the book and lets us submit the paper at the exact time.

What does the idiom mean?

to do something strictly according to the rules

to ask someone to read a book and submit a report

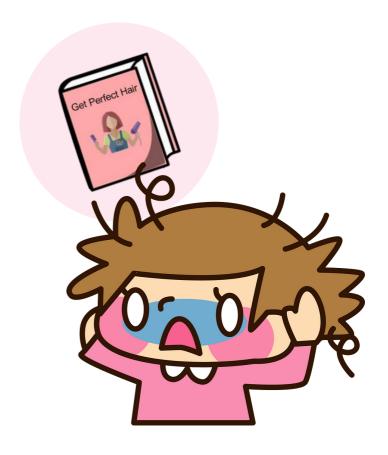


- 2. Harry's coworker was disrespectful, so he was glad to close the book on that job.
 - Tick the situations where one would hope to close the book on something.

a heated argument with someone
getting a massage in the spa
having lunch with a close friend
neighbors doing karaoke at 3 a.m.



- 3. I've used every trick in the book, but I still can't get my hair to look nice.
 - What is true about the statement?
 - a. She has tried many ways to style her hair.
 - b. She wants to cut her hair.
 - Share about a time when you did everything you could but still didn't get what you wanted to achieve.



- 4. I should take a leaf out of Leo's book and start exercising if I want to lose weight.
 - Who is the most inspirational person you know?
 - What is something he/she did that you would like to do or follow?

■ Did you know?

The pages of a book are also called "leaves". One leaf has two pages, one on either side.



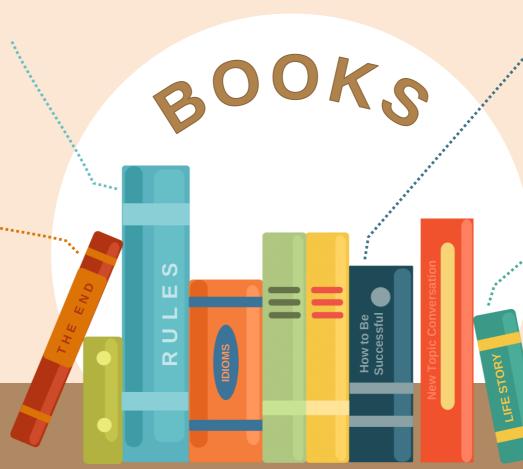
Quick Review

by the book

to do something strictly according to the rules

close the book

to conclude or end a situation

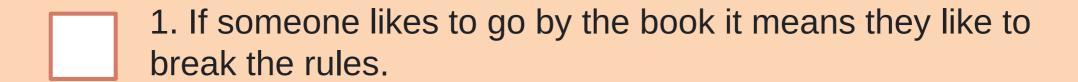


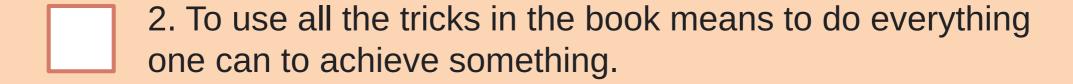
use every trick in the book

to do everything one can to achieve something

take a leaf out of someone's book

to do the same thing as someone did





- 3. Closing the book on something means to conclude or end a situation.
- 4. If someone says they want to take a leaf out of someone's book, it means they hope someone will stop doing something.

Practice

by the book take a leaf out of someone's book close the book use every trick in the book

1. Fiona wants to follow her mother to be a successful doctor.

2. I want the school year to end so I can finally play video games all day.

3. Billy has done everything he can do, but his dog still wouldn't follow him.

4. You must follow the rules while playing if you don't want to be disqualified.

Discussion



