

IDIOMS LECTURE – 03

Rift in the lute	(रिश्ते में दरार आना) small problem or flaw in something that jeopardizes the whole.			work that someone does especially to support a cause, to help a team, etc.
Best thing since sliced bread	(एक बहुत ही बेहतरीन अविष्कार) something that is too fine		At one's wits end	(पूरी तरह उलझन में होना) to be completely puzzled, confused, or at a loss about what to do next.
Bells and whistles	(अतिरिक्त सजावटी और आकर्षक फीचर्स) Attractive but unnecessary features added to products		At the drop of a hat	(तुरंत, बिना किसी देरी के) to do something immediately, without any hesitation or delay.
Take a rain check	(किसी प्रस्ताव को बाद के लिए टालना) declining an offer that might be taken up later.		Go down in flames	(बुरी तरह से असफल होना) to fail spectacularly and disastrously, often in a dramatic and noticeable way.
Keep your pants on	(धैर्य रखना, जल्दबाजी न करना) to be patient or to relax		down to earth	(व्यावहारिक और सीधा-साधा इंसान) to someone who is practical, realistic, and humble.
Elephant in the room	(बड़ी समस्या जिसे सब अनदेखा करें) an obvious problem or difficult situation that people do not want to talk about		up in a creek without a paddle	(बिना साधन बड़ी मुसीबत में होना) to be in a difficult or troublesome situation without any means of resolving it.
Walk the tight rope	(बहुत कठिन या जोखिम भरा काम) to be in a difficult situation that demands careful and considered behaviour		tighten one's belt	(खर्चे कम करना, किफायत बरतना) to use less of something
At one's fingertips	(पूरी जानकारी मुँह जुबानी याद होना) To have complete knowledge		Sacred cow	(ऐसी चीज़ जिसकी आलोचना न हो) something that people believe or accept as true without questioning it.
Blowing smoke	(झूठ बोलना या डींगें मारना) to intentionally misinform or deceive		Get itchy feet	(यात्रा करने की तीव्र इच्छा होना) To start to want to travel or do something different
Lose heart	(हिम्मत हारना या निराश होना) To stop believing that you can succeed		keep up appearances	(दिखावा बनाए रखना, गरीबी छुपाना) to pretend to be happier, less poor, etc. than you really are, because you do not want people to know how bad your situation is:
Fall out	(झगड़ा करना या अनबन होना) to disagree with someone about something		From cradle to grave	(जन्म से लेकर मृत्यु तक) to something that lasts or is relevant throughout a person's entire life, from birth to death.
Last resort	(अंतिम विकल्प या आखिरी रास्ता) last course of action		hand to mouth	(गुज़ारे लायक ही पैसा होना) living with just enough money to meet immediate needs without any savings.
Round the clock	(दिन-रात, पूरे 24 घंटे) Something that goes on day and night		thinks outside the box	(लीक से हटकर नया सोचना) think differently
Vicious cycle	(बुरा चक्र जिसमें फंसना आसान हो) a continuing unpleasant situation, created when one problem causes another problem that then makes the first problem worse		Make waves	(पेशानी पैदा करना या हलचल मचाना) to cause trouble; disturb the status quo
Bread and butter	(रोजी-रोटी या आय का साधन) a person's livelihood or main source of income.			
Jack of all trades	(हर काम में हाथ आजमाने वाला) a person who can easily handle a variety of challenges and tasks.			
Yeoman's service	(अत्यधिक मूल्यवान और शानदार सेवा) very good, hard, and valuable			

Up the ante	(दांव बढ़ाना या मांग बढ़ाना) to increase the stakes or demands in a situation, making it more challenging or risky.
Eat like a bird	(नाम मात्र का बहुत कम खाना) to always eat a small amount of food
cut no ice with someone	(किसी पर कोई प्रभाव न डालना) to not cause someone to change their opinion or decision
make ends meet	(कठिनाई से गुजारा करना) To live within one's income
pie in the sky	(असंभव या काल्पनिक योजना) to a promise or plan that seems

	unrealistic or unlikely to be achieved.
have a bee in bonnet	(एक ही धुन सवार होना) An obsession
deep water	(बड़ी मुश्किल या संकट में) in trouble
Put in mind	(याद दिलाना या ध्यान दिलाना) to remind
Time after time	(बार-बार या अक्सर होना) Repeatedly
See eye to eye	(पूरी तरह सहमत होना) To agree with someone
Back to back	(एक के बाद एक, लगातार) Something follows immediately after something else.

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