

# Idioms Exercise

Fill in the blanks.

1. It is no fun being a .....

rabbit  
dodo  
guinea pig

2. My little girl is always as busy as a  
.....

pigeon  
beaver  
parrot

3. I was as hungry as a ..... after  
the workout.

bear  
dog  
wolf

4. She was as meek as a .....  
and hence people often took advantage of her.

duck

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lamb  
chicken

5. The boy was as nervous as a ..... when the teacher caught him cheating on the exam.

dog  
cat  
cow

6. When we first came to Singapore, we were as poor as church .....

kittens  
mice  
dogs

7. I was as scared as a ..... when the teacher told me to meet the headmaster.

deer  
mule  
rabbit

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8. He was as sick as a .....  
when he reached home from work.

cat  
dog  
pig

9. Beware of him. He is as sly as a  
.....

bear  
wolf  
fox

10. The boy was as strong as a  
..... and lifted the bed with little  
effort.

cow  
horse  
bear

11. There is no point in talking to her, she is as  
stubborn as a .....

mule

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hare

peacock

12. We backed the wrong .....  
when we nominated him for mayor.

tiger

bull

horse

## Answers

1. It is no fun being a guinea pig.
2. My little girl is always as busy as a beaver.
3. I was as hungry as a bear after the workout.
4. She was as meek as a lamb and hence people often took advantage of her.
5. The boy was as nervous as a cat when the teacher caught him cheating on the exam.
6. When we first came to Singapore, we were as poor as church mice.
7. I was as scared as a rabbit when the teacher told me to meet the headmaster.
8. He was as sick as a dog when he reached home from work.

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9. Beware of him. He is as sly as a fox.

10. The boy was as strong as a horse and lifted the bed with little effort.

11. There is no point in talking to her; she is as stubborn as a mule.

12. We backed the wrong horse when we nominated him for mayor.