



Review (Topics 1–7)

Complete the idioms below.

- 1 Even though I felt it was daylight _____ for the store to charge \$20 for a slice of cake, many people were willing to pay for it.
- 2 My brother added _____ when he mocked me for not making it into the finals of the tennis tournament after I told him that my coach had chastised me for playing badly.
- 3 People from _____ attended the president's inauguration ceremony. Everyone was eager to show their support for the new president.
- 4 "Don't you know that clothes _____? You must have a good character as well," my mother reminded us.
- 5 My brother who agreed to lead the way through the foreign city had never been there himself. It was the blind _____.
- 6 From what I knew of Michael, I made an educated _____ that he would have applied for a job in a bank.
- 7 The profit earned by the start-up was a flash _____. Before long, it started losing money.
- 8 Some impatient customers complain to the managers of restaurants at the drop _____ the moment they feel that the service in the places is poor.
- 9 What a close _____! If you had not pulled me back, I would have been knocked down by the truck.
- 10 The winner of the singing competition was a dark _____. No one expected her to win.

10 horse
9 shave

8 of a hat
7 in the pan

6 guess
5 leading the blind

4 do not make a man
3 all walks of life

2 insult to injury
1 robbery

Answers:

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