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Speak Business English Like an American Lesson 20 Idioms and Expressions Test

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1. **Choose the most appropriate response to the following:**

We'd better be careful what we say in the office.
A) That's right. The walls have ears.
B) Likely story!
C) Right, I wasn't born yesterday.

2. Josh, we're going to have to ask you to take a 40 percent pay cut. But next year, I promise we'll triple your salary.
A) Lower your voice. The walls have ears!
B) Don't get too excited. Chill out!
C) That's hard to believe. I wasn't born yesterday!

3. Megan is constantly flattering her boss and offering to do favors for him.
A) Why doesn't she butter him up instead?
B) Think twice before accepting favors from her.
C) That's one way to climb the corporate ladder.

4. I'm giving a presentation to our CEO in half an hour. I'm so nervous!
A) Likely story.
B) Chill out!
C) You're such a yes man.

5. I spent three hours helping Bob with his financial projections, and he didn't even say thank you.
A) You need to look at yourself in the mirror.
B) I'm sure you'll think twice before helping him again.
C) He's trying to climb the corporate ladder.

6. Maria works at least 60 hours a week at the law firm and always volunteers for extra work. She's an excellent employee.
A) She'll definitely get ahead.
B) Let's not talk about her behind her back.
C) It's a dog-eat-dog world.

7. Paul was arrested for stealing millions of dollars from his company.
A) I'm not surprised. He's a real yes man.
B) That's one way to climb the corporate ladder.
C) I don't know how he can look at himself in the mirror.

8. You're the best boss I've ever had and definitely the smartest!
A) Are you just out for yourself?
B) Are you trying to butter me up?
C) Isn't it a dog-eat-dog world?

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