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   a) put your arm in plaster
   b) put a plaster on your arm
   c) wrap a plaster round your arm
   d) wrap a bandage round your arm

5. Which of the following would be carried out by a surgeon, not a doctor?
   a) Take your temperature.
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   a) hurt – ‘Hurt’ is a verb, e.g. ‘I’ve hurt my leg’, or ‘My leg hurts’.
   b) sore – ‘Sore’ is an adjective, ‘I have a sore throat’.
   c) pain – ‘Pain’ is a noun, e.g. I have a pain in my leg.
   d) ache – ‘Ache’ is a verb or a ‘noun’, ‘I have a headache’.

2. Which idiomatic expression does NOT describe being ill?
   a) He’s feeling a bit off colour. – ‘He’s feeling a bit off colour’ means feeling a bit ill.
   b) He’s feeling a bit under the weather. – ‘He’s feeling a bit under the weather’ means feeling a bit ill.
   c) He was at death’s door. – ‘He was at death’s door’ means feeling very ill.
   d) He was like a bear with a sore head. – ‘He was like a bear with a sore head’ means feeling irritable.

3. When John got into a fight, he got a ____________.
   a) black eye – If someone hits you in the eye you get a ‘black eye’.
   b) blue eye – This is not correct.
   c) brown eye – This is not correct.
   d) bruised eye – This is not correct.

4. If you break your arm, the doctor will ____________.
   a) put your arm in plaster – The doctor puts your arm in plaster (a plaster cast) to stop it moving.
   b) put a plaster on your arm – A plaster is something you put on a small cut.
   c) wrap a plaster round your arm – A plaster is something you put on a small cut.
   d) wrap a bandage round your arm – A bandage fabric is used to support or protect a wound or injury.

5. Which of the following would be carried out by a surgeon, not a doctor?
   a) Take your temperature. – A doctor would take your temperature.
   b) Check your blood pressure. – A doctor would check your blood pressure.
   c) Listen to your chest. – A doctor would listen to your chest.
   d) Give you an operation. – A surgeon would give you an operation.

6. If you have a toothache you should take a ____________.
   a) hurtstopper – Drugs like aspirin or paracetamol are called ‘painkillers’.
   b) painstopper – Drugs like aspirin or paracetamol are called ‘painkillers’.
   c) painkiller – Drugs like aspirin or paracetamol are called ‘painkillers’.
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