

#5. Marry in haste, repent at leisure.

A) If you get married too quickly, you will have plenty of time to regret and suffer for your hasty decision.

B) If you do something important without thinking carefully or taking the time to consider, you will regret or suffer for your rash decision.

C) Jack & Jill fell in love with a new house; they purchased it without getting the house inspected. Soon after they moved in the pipes exploded and the electricity short circuited. They could not sell the house.

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Here is your IR Project. Read it over.

We are going to study the meanings of many proverbs. You will have to "insert" ten of these into your IR book and write a brief explanation telling why the proverb fits on that particular page.

But first, we need to learn these proverbs.
What is a proverb?

A **proverb** is

- an old,
- anonymous
- wise & practical
- **saying**
- **Proverbs** are a substitute for schooling and book learning, in rural communities in the past where people could not easily attend school for long.
- Are proverbs a better substitute for our "sophisticated" modern knowledge?

#8 A man is known by the company he keeps.

A. literal

B. apply it in a broader sense (to humans)

C. connect to a story or make up one

#8 "A Man is known by the company he keeps."

_____ People will form the opinion they have of you based upon your companions.

_____ Your friends and associates will determine the reputation you have.

_____ Teachers began suspecting Jack of cheating; they unfairly accused him of writing on desks and stealing someone's iPod. Jack couldn't figure out why he was always being suspected and accused. One day his older cousin explained everything. "Jack, look at the group of hooligans you hang around with. You may be innocent, but they are not. 'A man ...' "

#22. You made your bed; now you must lie in it.

_____ If you do a poor job making your bed, you will have an uncomfortable night's sleep.

_____ If you perform a task poorly, you must live with the consequences.

_____ Jill let Janice copy parts of her homework. The teacher noticed the similarities. Now, both Jill and Janice are in trouble and in detention. Jill's parents refused to call the school to try to get Jill out of detention. They said to Jill, "...

#23. "A miss is as good as a mile."

_____ In some cases, missing a target by just a little is as bad as missing the target by a lot.

_____ In certain situations, a tiny failure is as damaging as a great failure. "Almost" is not good enough sometimes. The doctor cannot say, "Well, I almost saved the patient's life." As another saying says, "Close counts only in horseshoes and hand-grenades."

_____ The count was three and two with the bases loaded in the bottom of the ninth. Roger "Rocket Arm" Reilly had to throw a strike. A "ball" would walk the runner and lose the game. The pitch was a quarter inch outside the strike zone. If Rocket had hit the batter the result would have been the same. "

Each of you will be given a few proverbs to research and explain to your classmates.