

# CONFUSED WORDS & IDIOMS QUIZ

Select the proper word to be used in each sentence below.

1. The study demonstrates the *affects/effects* of smoking on life expectancy.
2. Because he needed a place to stay, he *accepted/excepted* Joe's offer.
3. The jury could not agree *to/on* a decision.
4. The prisoner would not comply *to/with* the court's terms for bail.
5. All three writers were in favor of the ruling *accept/except* Davidson.
6. Aristotle differed *with/from* Plato in his views on the senses.
7. Cheating on a test goes against all of my *principals/principles*.
8. The roommates were not sure *who's/whose* rotten leftovers were in the fridge.
9. Charu was having a hard time deciding *between/among* Florida, California, and North Carolina for her holiday.
10. *It's/Its* always a challenge to eat ice cream before it melts.

Insert the proper preposition to complete the following idioms.

11. Able \_\_\_\_\_ run quickly
12. Blamed \_\_\_\_\_ the car accident
13. Compared \_\_\_\_\_ her brother
14. Consists \_\_\_\_\_ many ingredients
15. Hope \_\_\_\_\_ the future
16. Object \_\_\_\_\_ the strict dress code
17. Relevant \_\_\_\_\_ the discussion at hand
18. Succeed \_\_\_\_\_ his endeavors