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Topic: The heart



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- a) a sore heart
- b) a painful heart
- c) heartache
- d) a pain in your heart

2. My grandma is the kindest woman I know, she'd do anything for anybody, she really has a heart of _____.

- a) gold
- b) silver
- c) steel
- d) stone

3. When I heard Fiona was going to be my new boss my heart _____, I mean we've never got on.

- a) sink
- b) sunk
- c) sinked
- d) sank

4. What does the following mean? 'When he gave up running he said it was because his heart just wasn't in it anymore'

- a) He felt ill
- b) He felt bored and not interested
- c) He wanted to move away
- d) He wanted to do something else

5. When Tony moved into his apartment in the heart of town, which part of town did he move to?

- a) The suburbs
- b) On the outskirts of town
- c) In the commuter belt
- d) The centre of town

6. We talked to each other all night and resolved some of our problems. It's good to have a proper _____ sometimes.

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- c) head-to-heart
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Answers

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You can have a sore throat, but not a sore heart.

You can have a painful tooth, but not a painful heart.

If you feel a sense of sadness, sorrow or regret, you can say your heart aches.

If you have a pain in your heart, you may be unwell!

2. My grandma is the kindest woman I know, she'd do anything for anybody, she really has a heart of _____.

- a) **gold**
- b) silver
- c) steel
- d) stone

If you are very kind, we say you have a 'heart of gold'.

'heart of silver' is not correct.

'heart of steel' is not correct.

If you have a 'heart of stone' you are unfeeling and uncaring.

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'The suburbs' are the residential part of a town outside the centre.

'On the outskirts of town' means on the edge of town.

Commuters (people who travel a long way to work) live 'In the commuter belt' i.e. far from the centre of town.

If you want to describe the very centre of town, you can say 'the heart of town'.

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