1. The driving test was easy – it was __________!
   a) a crunchy biscuit
   b) a piece of cake
   c) a slice of gateaux
   d) a piece of toast

2. He didn’t seem nervous about meeting the Queen, in fact he was __________.
   a) as warm as a cauliflower
   b) as cold as a carrot
   c) as cool as a cucumber
   d) as hot as a tomato

3. At first she didn’t believe his story when he was late. When she found out he had been telling the truth, she decided to __________ and say sorry.
   a) drink some beer
   b) eat vegetable soup
   c) drink a cup of tea
   d) eat humble pie

4. His new friends are a bad influence on him – they __________ to do stupid things which get him into trouble at school.
   a) egg him on
   b) bacon him in
   c) butter him up
   d) porridge him on

5. I think you'll really like the film, it's just your __________
   a) mug of coffee
   b) glass of milk
   c) cup of tea
   d) mug of hot chocolate

6. She got 98% in her test. She’s __________
   a) a clever biscuit
   b) an intellectual piece of cake
   c) a smart cookie
   d) an intelligent piece of chocolate
ANSWERS:

1. The driving test was easy – it was __________!
   a) Sorry, this expression is wrong.
   b) Well done! This is correct. To say something is a 'piece of cake' means it is very easy.
   c) Sorry, this is the wrong answer. Try again.
   d) Sorry, this is the wrong expression.

2. He didn't seem nervous about meeting the Queen, in fact he was __________.
   a) Sorry, this is not the right expression.
   b) Sorry, there is no such expression.
   c) Correct. To say someone is 'as cool as a cucumber' means that they are very calm and relaxed.
   d) Sorry, this is not the right expression.

3. She was sorry she had not believed his story of why he had been late. When she found out he had been telling the truth, she decided to apologise and __________
   a) Sorry, this is the wrong answer.
   b) Sorry, this is not the correct answer. Try again!
   c) Sorry, this is not the correct answer.
   d) Well done! To 'eat humble pie' means to admit guilt.

4. His new friends are a bad influence on him – they__________ to do stupid things which get him into trouble at school.
   a) This is the correct answer! To 'egg someone on' means to encourage them to do something
   b) wrong – this is not the correct answer
   c) wrong – this is not the correct answer. To butter someone up means to compliment them excessively
   d) wrong – this is not the correct answer
5. I think you'll really like the film, it's just your __________

a) No, you want a different expression. Try again!

b) This is not the correct answer. Try again.

c) **This is the correct expression. If something is 'your cup of tea' it means it suits your interests and tastes.**

d) No, you want a different expression. Try again!

6. She got 98% in her test. She's __________

a) This is nearly the correct answer. Try again!

b) Sorry, this is not the right word. Try again!

c) **Well done. This is the correct expression. If someone is 'a smart cookie' it means they are clever.**

d) Sorry, this is not the right answer.

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