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5. Hannah is always up before the sun. She is an _____.
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ANSWER KEY

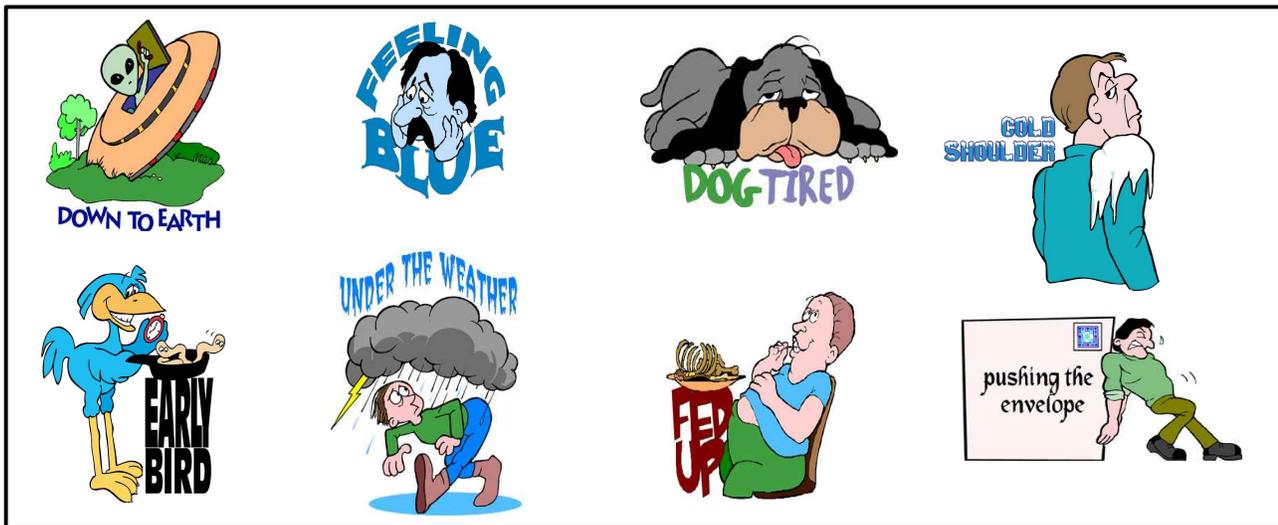
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3. When Ben and Barry were arguing, their mother yelled, "Stop! I am **fed up** with you two bickering all the time!"
4. Robert is a very practical, **down to earth** person.
5. Hannah is always up before the sun. She is an **early bird**.
6. Vicki wouldn't speak to her friend Matt. She gave him the **cold shoulder**.