

LANGUAGE: Colour Idioms



Complete the following sentences with a suitable colour!

(Ergänze die folgenden Sätze mit einer passenden Farbe!)

1. Great! We've just been given the ____ light to go ahead with this year's theatre performance!
2. Tim's parents bought him a car for his 17th birthday, and everyone's just ____ with envy!
3. A lot of unnecessary bureaucracy is sometimes referred to as ____ tape.
4. Heavy snowfalls can sometimes cause large-scale ____ outs.
5. Things are a bit more complicated than you think. It's not quite that ____ and ____.
6. This old house is costing us more than we'll ever make in rent. It's really becoming something of a ____ elephant.
7. We had to tell the teacher a ____ lie so that he wouldn't penalize us for handing in the assessment late.
8. When you're sad, you can also say you're feeling ____.
9. For important visitors, the authorities sometimes roll out the ____ carpet.
10. The ____ belt is a much nicer place to live than the centre of town.

SOLUTION

1. green
2. green
3. red
4. black
5. black/white
6. white
7. white
8. blue
9. red
10. green