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Sample sentences to write on sentence strips and then cut apart for the student activity:

The brown furry kitten jumped on the bed.

My sister is going to be eight years old.

How many days are left in school?

Our classroom is filled with great friends.

It will be great to go outside for recess.


What is the name of your teacher?

There are many animals in the Memphis Zoo.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Number \_\_\_\_\_

# idioms With amelia

Our favorite ever clumsy, literal minded housekeeper!



idiom: "Oh, go fly a kite."	What amelia literally does Went outside and flew a kite.	What it really means Go away and leave me alone.
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**Write YOUR OWN idiom**

<b>idiom:</b>	<b>Draw what it literally says to do:</b>

**What it really means:**

The worksheet is titled "Write YOUR OWN idiom" in a large, bold, black font. Below the title, there are two side-by-side rounded rectangular boxes. The left box is labeled "idiom:" and the right box is labeled "Draw what it literally says to do:". Below these two boxes is a single, wider rounded rectangular box with a dashed border, labeled "What it really means:". The entire worksheet is enclosed in a decorative, hand-drawn style border.