

# Secrets idioms

Fill the gaps with words from the box. Sometimes, more than one answer is possible.

Someone has *let the \_\_\_\_\_ out of the bag*. Tina knows all about her 'surprise' birthday party.

I haven't told work about my new job yet, so please *keep it under your \_\_\_\_\_*.

Don't worry, I won't tell anyone. *My \_\_\_\_\_ are sealed*.

I can't talk about the new iDrone today. We're keeping it *under \_\_\_\_\_* until the official announcement.

I wish I knew what her plans were, but she *keeps me in the \_\_\_\_\_* about them too.

<i>lips   hat   cat   wraps   dark</i>
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**A. Do you have any similar idioms in your own language?**

**B. Rearrange the sentences**

1. let cat the of the out Don't bag
2. your this hat keep Please information under
3. say I lips won't my are anything, sealed
4. under wraps for It's kept now being
5. things kept the dark I'm about in these

**C. Replace the underlined part of the sentence with a suitable idiom.**

1. I'm not revealing anything about it until next month.
2. Your secret is safe with me, I won't talk about it.
3. Don't worry, I will make sure it stays a secret.
4. I've not been given any information about the company's plans for next year.
5. Pedro revealed the secret, now everybody knows Frank is the surprise guest.

**D. Discussion questions**

Are you good at keeping secrets?

Have you ever accidentally let the cat out of the bag?

Do you think the government keeps secrets from the public?