

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> November

LO: Words in context

What do these words and phrases have in common?  
Use where they are found in the Everest book to help you.

- scuppered (p24)
- hopes of reaching the top were dashed (p24)
- thwarted (p18)
- prevented (p23)
- defeated (p20)
- rug had just been pulled from under their feet (p27)
- sabotaged (p36)

# Idioms

These are examples of idioms.

*hopes of reaching the top were dashed*

*rug had just been pulled from under their feet*

What is an idiom ?

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jUT\\_WSavAC8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jUT_WSavAC8)

Watch to 3:05

Look up the meaning of each word in a dictionary and record it in your book.

- scuppered
- thwarted
- prevented
- defeated
- sabotaged

### Extension

Rank the words from strongest to weakest.

You need to be able to justify your choice.