

Words and Phrases for Money

■ Complete the sentences below using one of the expressions/words given.

	born with a silver spoon in his mouth	
rags to riches		broke the bank
quid		fiver

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Q2. I'm happy he is so successful: he didn't have the easiest start in life. It's a real
..... tale.

Q3. She couldn't lend me a (*five pounds*) to go to the shop as she is totally

Q4. The young man has never had to work as his family are so wealthy. He was

Q5. I lost 500 on that horse. I'm never gambling again!

ANSWERS

- A1.** You should see the new office! They really **broke the bank** this time!
- A2.** I'm happy he is so successful: he didn't have the easiest start in life. It's a real **rags to riches** tale.
- A3.** She couldn't lend me a **five** (*five pounds*) to go to the shop as she is totally **skint**.
- A4.** The young man has never had to work as his family are so wealthy. He was **born with a silver spoon in his mouth**.
- A5.** I lost 500 **quid** on that horse. I'm never gambling again!