

# The Colourful Life of Calum McCall

## Word Work

*What colours would you associate with the following personal conditions? Some might have more than one colour and some colours might be used more than once.*



Anger  
Jealousy  
Rage  
Surprise  
Cowardice  
Fear  
Cold  
Shame  
Inexperience



*The idioms that are used tend to be quite specific in their use of verbs or prepositions. Complete the following using the colours above.*

1. When he heard what a mess they'd made of the plans, he saw \_\_\_\_\_.
2. He's a bit \_\_\_\_\_. He only started working here last week.
3. I knew you'd chicken out at the last moment. You're nothing but a \_\_\_\_\_ coward.
4. She heard you'd got the job she wanted so she's absolutely \_\_\_\_\_ with envy.
5. The news came as a bolt from the \_\_\_\_\_. He couldn't have been more surprised.
6. When she saw the bedroom door being slowly opened she was so petrified she turned \_\_\_\_\_.
7. I wouldn't go in there. He's been in a \_\_\_\_\_ mood ever since he heard his team didn't qualify for the finals.
8. Tell him to come in from outside. He looks quite \_\_\_\_\_ with the cold.
9. When she heard what they'd been saying about her she turned \_\_\_\_\_ with embarrassment.

