# English Idioms

# I. Пройди по ссылке и узнай значение фразеологизма

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#### 1. To go dead.

My telephone went dead when Den was playing with it.



#### 2. To flog a dead horse.

Explaining grammar to Mary is like flogging a dead horse. She just can't take it in!



# 3. To put in a good word for someone

I hope, you'll put in a good word for me with a boss.



### 4. To be in poor supply

New potatoes are in poor supply at the moment because of the bad weather during the growing season.



### 5. To be sitting pretty.

Mary is sitting pretty now, since she married that rich American.



#### 6. To cut something short

We had to cut short our discussion because the boss had to go to a meeting.



#### 7. To make ends meet.

Julia had spent so much money on new clothes, that she has finding it hard to make ends meet again this month.



#### 8. To no end

He kept proposing marriage to her, but it was all to no end.



#### 9. To fall/come into line.

I'm sure that Sue will fall into line with us on this matter when she realises how serious it is.



# 10. To have something on one's mind

Fred is very quiet these days. He must have something on his mind.



#### 11. To be as good as one's word

Ben is always as good as his word. If he said he would help you, he will.



### 12. Mark my words!

If you don't take my advice now, mark my words – you'll leave to regret what you are doing!



### 13. High and dry.

Poor Jim was left high and dry by his so-called friends when he lost all his money and needed help most.



#### 14. Be in for something

Bill is in for nasty surprise — he's about to lose his job. He'll be in for trouble if he doesn't work harder!



#### 15. Blow up

I'm sorry - I didn't mean to blow up at you at that way.



#### 16. To clear off.

# I told children to take their football and clear of!



### 17. To die for something

I'm dyind for a cup of tee and a cigarette!



#### 18. Look up to somebody

<u>John has always looked up to his Uncle Paul</u> <u>– probably because he's Judge.</u>



#### 19. To be in one's line.

Opera is not much in my line. I prefer a film or a play.



#### 20. To be up to the mark.

Annie's good at English and history, but she's not up to the mark at Biology.



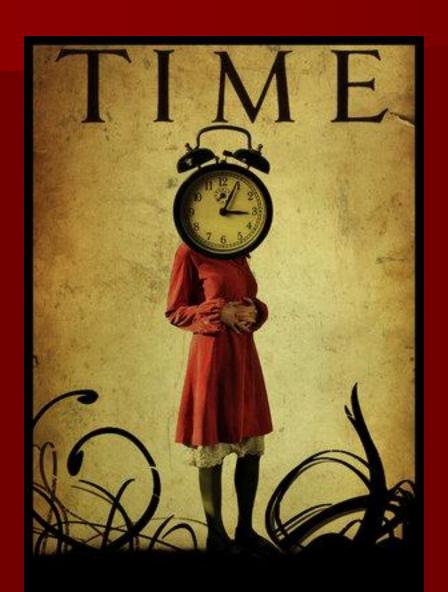
# 1. To go dead.

#### Сломаться





## 2. To flog a dead horse.



Терять время



# 3.To put in a good word for someone

Замолвить слово





## 4. To be in poor supply

#### Быть в дефиците





## 5. To be sitting pretty

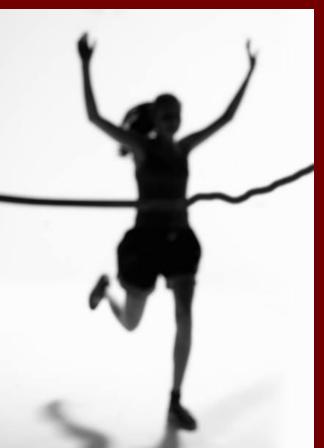
Быть в хорошем финансовом положении





### 6. To cut something short

Доделать что-то быстрее отведенного времени





#### 7. To make ends meet

Сводить концы с концами





#### 8. To no end

Напрасно, бесполезно





#### 9. To fall/come into line.

Согласиться с кем-то, принять точку зрения



МИШЕ УЖЕ НЕИНТЕРЕСНО ЕГО СЛУШАТЬ, ОН УВИДЕЛ ВКУСНЫЙ ГАЛСТУК



# 10. To have something on one's mind

Волноваться о чем-то, часто думать





#### 11. To be as good as one's word

#### Быть надежным





# 12. Mark my words!

Помяните мое слово!





# 13. High and dry

В одиночестве, без поддержки.





### 14. Be in for something

#### Быть проинформированным





# 15. Blow up



Внезапно разозлиться



#### 16. To clear off



(неформально) Убирайся!



# 17. To die for something

Хотеть что-то очень сильно





# 18. Look up to somebody

#### Восхищаться кем-то





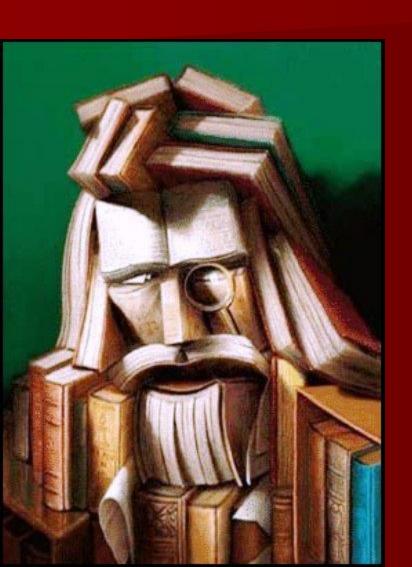
### 19. To be in one's line.

#### Интересоваться





# 20. To be up to the mark.



Быть умным



## II. Выбери правильный вариант

- Mike Liked to eat sweets, because of it mom named him sweet ...:
- 1) Mouth
- 2) 2) Tooth
- <u>3) Eyes</u>
- 4) Nails
- <u>5) Head</u>

- She never has to worry about money; she was born with a silver spoon in her...
- 1) Mouth
- 2) Tooth
- <u>3) Eyes</u>
- 4) Nails
- <u>5) Head</u>

- Tony will help us find it he's got eagle ...
  !
- 1) Mouth
- 2) Tooth
- <u>3) Eyes</u>
- 4) Nails
- <u>5) Head</u>

- A person who is as hard as ... is someone very unsympathetic.
- 1) Mouth
- 2) Tooth
- <u>3) Eyes</u>
- 4) Nails
- <u>5) Head</u>

- When she heard Emily warning her little brother to stay out of trouble, her mum thought: "That's an old ... on young shoulders".
- 1) Mouth
- 2) Tooth
- <u>3) Eyes</u>
- 4) Nails
- 5) Head

- I wish he'd relax. He's got ... in his pants about something today!
- 1) Bee
- <u>2) Bear</u>
- 3) Ants
- 4) Butterfly
- <u>5)</u> Bug

- When his team lost the match, Brad was like a ... with a sore head.
- 1) Bee
- <u>2) Bear</u>
- 3) Ants
- 4) Butterfly
- 5) Bug

- Julie thinks she's the ...'s knees" means that Julie has a high opinion of herself!
- <u>1) Bee</u>
- <u>2) Bear</u>
- <u>3) Ants</u>
- 4) Butterfly
- <u>5) Bug</u>

My dad decided to take up golf and was immediately bitten by the ....

- <u>1) Bee</u>
- <u>2) Bear</u>
- <u>3) Ants</u>
- 4) Butterfly
- <u>5) Bug</u>

- Julie is constantly out and about; she's a real social .....
- 1) Bee
- <u>2) Bear</u>
- 3) Ants
- 4) Butterfly
- 5) Bug

- To be in a ... mood means to be irritable, angry or even depressed.
- 1) Red
- 2) Golden
- 3) White
- 4) Black
- 5) Green

- When travelling abroad, the ... rule is to respect the local customs.
- 1) Red
- 2) Golden
- 3) White
- 4) Black
- 5) Green

If there wasn't so much ... tape, the company would be up and running already

- 1) Red
- 2) Golden
- 3) White
- 4) Black
- 5) Green

We haven't had a ... Christmas in twenty years

- <u>1) Red</u>
- 2) Golden
- 3) White
- 4) Black
- 5) Green

- We're ready to launch the campaign as soon as we get the ... light.
- 1) Red
- 2) Golden
- 3) White
- 4) Black
- 5) Green

# Молодец!