

Teacher's Guide



Idioms: Gratitude & Kindness – Intermediate (B1-B2)

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Warm-up

Part 1. Students think about the last few days and choose the option that feels closest to their experience.

Part 2. Students finish the sentences with their own ideas.

Idioms, expressions & speaking

Part 1. Students read the short conversations and discuss what they think each expression in bold means.

A blessing in disguise – something that seems bad at first but turns out to be good later

Be in someone's debt – to feel grateful to someone because they helped you in an important way

Count your blessings – to focus on the good things in your life, especially during difficult times

Thank your lucky stars – to feel grateful that something good happened by chance

Go out of your way (for someone) – to make extra effort to help someone, often with inconvenience

Go the extra mile – to do more than what is expected in order to help or succeed

Part 2. Students read the situations and match an idiom to each one.

Answer key:

1. Be in someone's debt
2. A blessing in disguise
3. Go out of your way
4. Count your blessings
5. Thank your lucky stars
6. Go the extra mile

Part 3. Students think about one special person in their life and complete the sentences.

Part 4. Students choose one option and explain their choice.

Part 5. Students decide whether they agree, disagree, or partially agree with each statement. Encourage students to explain their choice.

Part 6. Students discuss the questions.

Reflection

Students complete the sentences with their own ideas.