



# Flower idioms

Spring has come! It's time to learn idioms connected with blossoming and flowers. Read the idioms and find their meaning. Do you have similar idioms in your native language?

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| 1. | As fresh as a daisy | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5. | To nip smth in the bud | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. | To smell the roses  | <input type="checkbox"/> | 6. | To go to the seed      | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. | A shrinking violet  | <input type="checkbox"/> | 7. | A bed of roses         | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. | A late bloomer      | <input type="checkbox"/> |    |                        |                          |

## Meaning:

- a. somebody who is very shy and doesn't want to express their opinions
- b. to appreciate something that is often ignored
- c. to decline in quality or appearance
- d. to be healthy and full of energy
- e. to stop something at an early stage
- f. somebody who develops later on in life either physically or mentally
- g. something that is easy



# Answers

1. d

2. b

3. a

4. f

5. e

6. c

7. g

To nip something in the bud has an equivalent in Ukrainian  
(знищити у зародку)