

# E N G L I S H M A G A Z I N E

## IDIOMS

GOOD HEAVENS – WIELKIE NIEBA  
ON THE AIR – BYĆ NA ANTENIE  
BED OF ROSES – USŁANE RÓŻAMI  
BIRD OF PREY – PTAK DRAPIEŻNY  
CARRY THE DAY – ZWYCIĘŻAĆ  
LOW COMPANY – ZŁE TOWARZYSTWO  
ON THE CHEAP – TANIM KOSZTEM  
SMALL CHANGE – DROBNE  
STOP SHORT – POWSTRZYMAĆ  
STEER CLEAR – UNIKAĆ  
UNDER ARMS – POD BRONIĄ

## MATURA VOCABULARY

### HUMAN

beztroski	carefree	
	ciekawy	curious
dojrzały	mature	
	dowcipny	witty
dominujący	bossy	
	gadatliwy	chatty
głupi	stupid	
	hojny	generous
leniwy	idle	
	lojalny	loyal
niecierpliwy	impatient	
	niedbały	careless

## A VERY SPECIFIC ENGLISH HUMOUR – SPOTTED DURING TRIALS

1. "Now doctor, isn't it true that when a person dies in his sleep, he doesn't know about it until the next morning?"
2. "The youngest son, the twenty-year old, how old is he?"
3. "Were you present when your picture was taken?"
4. "Were you alone or by yourself?"
5. "Was it you or your younger brother who was killed in the war?"
6. "Did he kill you?"
7. "How far apart were the vehicles at the time of the collision?"
8. "You were there until the time you left, is that true?"
9. "How many times have you committed suicide?"
10. Q: "She had three children, right?"  
A: "Yes."  
Q: "How many were boys?"  
A: "None."  
Q: "Were there any girls?"