

Idiomatic phrases

Choose the correct answer from those given:

1)What does the idiom “a smart cookie” mean?

- A)a clever person
- B)a person you can easily deceive or persuade to do what you want
- C)a person with a lot of power and influence
- D)a person who keeps their abilities secret

2)The idiom that means “a person who keeps their abilities secret”is:

- A)a soft touch
- B)a go-getter
- C)a dark horse
- D)a cold fish

She thinks she’s a real clever alec, but she actually got the answer wrong.

3)Which of the following options corrects the underlined error in the sentence above?

- A)smart
- B)dark
- C)cold
- D)soft

My grandma always gives us money for things we want - she’s such a gentle touch.

4)Which of the following options corrects the underlined error in the sentence above?

- A)cold
- B)smart
- C)dark
- D)soft

ANSWER KEY:

1	B
2	C
3	D
4	B