# Common English Expressions

**VOCABGRAM** 

## 1. Take for granted

To assume that someone/something will always be there

We often take our parents for granted as children, unaware that one day they will leave us.

#### 2. Having said that

Despite what has just been said

I appreciate your hard work. Having said that, the sales are low this year.

#### 3. To be on the safe side

In order to have margin of security against risk

To be on a safe side, take some extra cash with you.

## 4. Have something in mind

Some kind of information that we want to share

If you don't mind, I have something in mind.

#### 5. Out of order

A device is not working

Please take the stairs, the elevator is out of order.

## 6. On the point of

Just about to do something

I was on the point of eating when the doorbell rang.

## 7. Keep an eye on

Keep under careful observation

Please keep an eye on the baby, I am going downstairs.

# 8. No hard feelings

No resentment

There are no hard feelings between us.

#### 9. By no means

Not at all

By no means our team will win this match By no means I am going to accept your request

#### 10. Turn out to be

A final result

I tried new recipe today and it turned out to be delicious/awful.