

Phrasal Verbs 1

Phrasal Verbs: Use the words below to complete the sentences with phrasal verbs!

across–after–away–back–down–into– off–on–out–over–up

1. We were lucky that the bomb didn't blow _____.
2. He missed so much at school that he found it difficult to catch _____.
3. As a single mother, she brought _____ her two sons on her own.
4. While I was reading a book, I came _____ a word I had never seen before.
5. Would you like to stay at home or eat _____ tonight?
6. Could you turn the volume _____? - I'm trying to work.
7. The woman finally calmed _____ and told everything to the police.
8. I'll call you _____ later when I'm not so busy.
9. Could you look _____ the baby for a few hours?
10. Burglars broke _____ the new house on High Street.
11. Jerry hung _____ without even saying goodbye.
12. I asked the author when her new book was coming _____.
13. I don't think you can do something that's wrong and get _____.
14. I was looking _____ my briefcase, but I couldn't find it.
15. We watched as the planes took _____ from the airport.
16. I don't feel well. I think I'll lie _____ for a while.
17. Cars should be kept _____ of the city centre. They don't belong there.
18. You need to get _____ the bus opposite the supermarket.
19. It can take weeks to get _____ an illness like that.
20. Don't get nervous. We'll work _____ a solution to the problem.
21. I trusted him but then he let me _____.
22. He pointed _____ that there was no sense in playing if four of us were ill.
23. I had to look _____ that word in the dictionary.
24. Put your clothes and scarfs _____ - it's cold outside.
25. Many hospitals are running _____ of money.

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Phrasal Verbs 2

Exercise 1

Fill in the correct form of one of the phrasal verbs from the box.

break out - catch up with - cut off – drop off – fill in - give up – go ahead with – grow up – hand out – hang up – ring up - tear down

1. He _____ Nancy and asked her if she would go to the dance with him.
2. The building was very old, so they had to _____ it _____.
3. The police have been looking for him ever since he _____ of the prison.
4. We left an hour earlier but we drove so fast that we were able to _____ with him.
5. I've been trying to _____ smoking but I simply can't do it.
6. Timmy never _____ anything. He just leaves it on the floor.
7. Maria _____ the job application and gave it to the secretary.
8. The president has decided to _____ his peace plan.
9. You are acting like a child. When will you _____?
10. The teacher _____ the test books to the class.
11. I wouldn't be surprised if the company _____ my electricity. I haven't paid the bills for three months.
12. Can you _____ me _____ at the train station on your way back?

Exercise 2

Fill in the correct form of one of the phrasal verbs from the box.

back off – call off – come across – dress up – hand in – let off – put away – put up – take out – use up – wake up – work out

1. Jim _____ his girlfriend _____ to dinner yesterday.
2. I _____ at 3 in the morning and couldn't get back to sleep again.
3. The marriage didn't _____ so they were divorced after two years.
4. Tom _____ when he saw that the man had a gun.
5. By 1910 millions of immigrants had _____ the ocean to the New World.
6. The teacher had some posters _____ in her new classroom.
7. The game has been _____ because of rain.
8. The President asked the members of the Cabinet to _____ their letters of resignation.
9. The bus driver _____ her _____ at the corner.
10. At Jane's costume party everyone has to _____ as a clown.
11. I told you to _____ your toys before you go out.
12. I _____ all the sugar so I guess we have to buy some more.

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