

700 PHRASAL VERBS

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Welcome

“None can destroy iron, but its own rust can. Likewise, none can destroy a person, but his own mindset can” - **RATAN TATA**

You Should Learn at least 5-10 Phrasal Verbs daily



HAPPY LEARNING

1) Act on**Meaning:** Take action against something**Use:** Appoint a solicitor to act on your behalf.**2) Act out****Meaning:** Perform a fantasy in reality**Use:** The children started to act out the whole incident.**3) Act up****Meaning:** Misbehave; cause trouble**Use:** The car's engine is beginning to act up.**4) Act up to****Meaning:** Equal in action; fulfil in practice**Use:** I hope that he will act up to his promise.**5) Act upon****Meaning:** Take action on the basis of information received**Use:** They should have some principles to act upon.**6) Answer back****Meaning:** Reply to a question**Use:** The child would answer back to all she said.**7) Answer for****Meaning:** Be held responsible for**Use:** I will answer for my friend.**8) Answer to****Meaning:** Respond to**Use:** There is no definitive answer to this.**9) Ask for****Meaning:** Request**Use:** I would never ask for any favours from her.**10) Ask in****Meaning:** Invite someone to enter one's house**Use:** We ask in advance for your patience.

11) Account for**Meaning:** Be the primary cause of**Use:** The store debited his account for the purchase.**12) Account to****Meaning:** Answer to; to be responsible to**Use:** His opinion is of little account to me.**13) Admire to****Meaning:** Be enthusiastic about doing**Use:** We would admire to hear about the history of India.**14) Allow for****Meaning:** to think about or plan for**Use:** We should allow for unexpected difficulty.**15) Aim at****Meaning:** Intend to do or achieve**Use:** We need to aim at increasing exports.**16) Attend to****Meaning:** Diligently work on; to pay attention to**Use:** He offered to go and attend to the matter.**17) Bail out****Meaning:** Rescue, especially financially**Use:** The government can't bail out every unprofitable companies.**18) Ball up****Meaning:** Crush into a ball shape**Use:** He tossed his ball up into the air.**19) Bear on****Meaning:** Be relevant to**Use:** He tried to bring pressure to bear on her.**20) Bear upon****Meaning:** Be relevant to**Use:** They tried to bring pressure to bear upon me.

21) Bear with**Meaning:** Be patient with**Use:** Bear with me for a minute, and you'll see what I mean.**22) Believe in****Meaning:** Have confidence in the ability**Use:** Miracles are to those who believe in them.**23) Block off****Meaning:** Obstruct, set aside**Use:** Sands of the desert, rise and block off the sun!**24) Block out****Meaning:** Prevent from entering**Use:** He's trying to block out memories of the accident.**25) Boil down****Meaning:** Become reduced**Use:** Most of the crimes may boil down to a question of money.**26) Boil up****Meaning:** Cook or prepare by boiling**Use:** Anger suddenly boiled up in him.**27) Book in****Meaning:** Reserve an appointment for**Use:** It is essential to book in advance.**28) Bottom out****Meaning:** Touch or drag along the ground**Use:** She knocked the bottom out of our argument.**29) Branch out****Meaning:** Expand in the manner of branches**Use:** I decided to branch out on my own.**30) Brighten up****Meaning:** Make cheerful**Use:** The new wall paper will brighten up the room.

31) Bubble over

Meaning: Be very enthusiastic, or highly excited

Use: She was bubbling over with excitement.

32) Buck up

Meaning: Become encouraged or cheerful

Use: If you don't buck up, we'll be late.

33) Buckle up

Meaning: Fasten one's seat belt or safety belt

Use: Please buckle up now; we're about to land.

34) Build up

Meaning: Strengthen

Use: Big waves will never build up in a small bay.

35) Bump into

Meaning: Meet by chance

Use: Wherever I go I always seem to bump into him.

36) Burn down

Meaning: Burn completely, so that nothing remains

Use: Basically, we tried to burn down the woods.

37) Burn out

Meaning: Become extinguished due to lack of fuel, Tire due to overwork

Use: Blow out the candles before they burn out.

38) Burn up

Meaning: Catch fire and burn until destroyed, Anger; to annoy

Use: This gives your body more time to burn up the calories.

39) Back off

Meaning: draw back from action or confrontation.

Use: He refused to back off from his earlier statement.

40) Back out

Meaning: withdraw from a commitment.

Use: It is too late to back out of the deal.

41) Back up

Meaning: Copy data as a security measure

Use: Make sure you back up your files.

42) Be above

Meaning: Be too good, classy or mature to do something

Use: She felt that she ought to be above suspicion.

43) Be along

Meaning: Arrive

Use: Another bus should be along in a minute.

44) Be around

Meaning: Be near or to socialize with

Use: See you soon, I expect I'll be around.

45) Be with

Meaning: Agree with someone

Use: May joy and health be with you always.

46) Beat down

Meaning: Strike with great force

Use: The sun beat down on our necks and backs.

47) Beat off

Meaning: Waste time

Use: The soldiers beat off all the enemy attacks.

48) Beat out

Meaning: Sound a rhythm on a percussion instrument

Use: The drummers beat out their tropical music.

49) Beat up

Meaning: to assault violently

Use: He beat up on her bad.

50) Blow away

Meaning: Kill by shooting or disappear

Use: He is trying to blow away my career.

51) Blow down

Meaning: Knock over with an air current

Use: Many trees were blown down in the gale.

52) Blow off

Meaning: the action of emitting a gas

Use: I went jogging to blow off some steam.

53) Blow out

Meaning: puncture while the vehicle is in motion or Extinguish something

Use: The electric fire has blown out.

54) Blow over

Meaning: Be knocked down by wind or something fade away.

Use: The scandal will soon blow over.

55) Blow up

Meaning: Explode or Suddenly get very angry

Use: We'll soon blow up his plan.

56) Break in

Meaning: force entry to a building; interrupt

Use: Somebody broke in last night and stole our stereo.

57) Break into

Meaning: enter forcibly

Use: The firemen had to break into the room to rescue the children.

58) Break down

Meaning: stop functioning, get upset

Use: Our car broke down at the side of the highway in the snowstorm.

59) Break out

Meaning: escape

Use: The prisoners broke out of jail when the guards weren't looking.

60) Break up

Meaning: end a relationship; start laughing

Use: My boyfriend and I broke up before I moved to America.

61) Call around**Meaning:** phone many different places/people**Use:** We called around but we weren't able to find the car part we needed.**62) Catch on****Meaning:** slowly start to understand**Use:** It could catch on fire easily.**63) Catch up****Meaning:** make up for lost time**Use:** I have to catch up on my sleep.**64) Check back****Meaning:** return to see if everything is OK**Use:** I'll check back tomorrow about that question.**65) Check in****Meaning:** arrive and register at a hotel or airport.**Use:** Please check in at least an hour before departure.**66) Check out****Meaning:** Prove to be true or settle the hotel bill before leaving.**Use:** Check out our new fashion range!**67) Calm down****Meaning:** Become less excited**Use:** Calm down for a minute and listen to me.**68) Cancel out****Meaning:** Neutralize the effect of something**Use:** His strong points and weak points cancel out.**69) Catch on****Meaning:** Begin to understand or realize**Use:** It's a good idea, but it'll never catch on.**70) Catch up****Meaning:** Become happy or Make someone happy**Use:** I have to catch up on my sleep.

71) Chill out

Meaning: Relax or calm down

Use: He chooses to chill out in his beach house.

72) chip in

Meaning: help

Use: If everyone chips in we can get the kitchen painted by noon.

73) Clean out

Meaning: Empty completely

Use: Your room needs a good clean out.

74) Clean up

Meaning: Make an area or a thing clean

Use: Help me clean up the house.

75) Clear out

Meaning: Become empty

Use: He finally decided to clear out of his home.

76) Close down

Meaning: Stop trading as a business

Use: Their factory had to close down for good.

77) Close up

Meaning: Move people closer together

Use: Much of the movie is shot in close up.

78) Clock in

Meaning: Leave, disappear

Use: Staff should clock in on arrival.

79) Clock off

Meaning: End work

Use: Workers usually clock off at 5.30.

80) Clock out

Meaning: Officially record a work-termination time for

Use: Don't forget to clock out before you go.

81) Come forward

Meaning: volunteer for a task or to give evidence

Use: The woman came forward with her husband's finger prints.

82) Cool down

Meaning: Become less agitated or become cooler

Use: He had a swim to cool down.

83) Countdown

Meaning: Await a precisely timed expected event

Use: The countdown begins for the upcoming world cup.

84) Count in

Meaning: include something or someone in an activity.

Use: It is these positive indicators that will count in the long run.

85) Count on

Meaning: Rely on or trust

Use: If there's anything I can do, count on me.

86) Count out

Meaning: Exclude or to dismiss from participation

Use: We have to count him out for tomorrow's trip.

87) Count up

Meaning: Add to get a total

Use: It is impossible to count up to infinity.

88) Crop out

Meaning: Come to light; to be manifest; to appear

Use: Rocks often crop out in the field.

89) Cross off

Meaning: Finish or to regard something as complete

Use: That's one thing to cross off your list.

90) Cross out

Meaning: to draw a line through

Use: I want to cross out the unnecessary words.

91) Cross over

Meaning: Pass from one side or area or die

Use: Let's cross over to the other side.

92) Cry off

Meaning: Cancel something that one has previously arranged

Use: She cried off going to dinner.

93) Cry out for

Meaning: Be in urgent need

Use: He cried out for recognition.

94) Call away

Meaning: Summon or to cause to depart

Use: It called away his attention.

95) Call down

Meaning: Pray for or to request from God

Use: He always call down the GOD.

96) Call for

Meaning: Request or demand

Use: The ship radioed a call for help.

97) Call off

Meaning: to cancel

Use: If it rains, we shall call off the picnic.

98) Call on

Meaning: Request or ask something of a person

Use: Give me a call on my mobile.

99) Carry off

Meaning: Transport away

Use: Please carry off this product.

100) Carry on

Meaning: Continue or proceed as before

Use: Carry on your outstanding plan.

101) Carry out**Meaning:** Hold while moving it out or fulfil**Use:** He must carry out my orders.**102) Carry over****Meaning:** extend beyond the original area of application**Use:** My money will carry over to my children.**103) Check up****Meaning:** Verify through brief investigation or examination**Use:** He will check up the figure.**104) cheer up****Meaning:** become happier**Use:** She cheered up when she heard the good news.**105) Come about****Meaning:** to take place or to happen**Use:** The accident came about after I crossed the road.**106) Come across****Meaning:** meet usually by accident**Use:** I came across him in France.**107) Come after****Meaning:** follow or to succeed**Use:** I hope he does come after me.**108) Come along****Meaning:** Accompany**Use:** Please Come along or we'll be late.**109) Come apart****Meaning:** Break or separate**Use:** The wheel has come apart again.**110) Come at****Meaning:** Attack someone or accept something**Use:** The goons are aggressively coming at me.

111) Come away**Meaning:** separated from something away**Use:** I have to come away from the tour early.**112) Come by****Meaning:** manage to acquire or obtain something.**Use:** Because of Corona, jobs are hard to come by.**113) Come down****Meaning:** something collapse or be demolished.**Use:** The price of groceries will come down very soon.**114) Come for****Meaning:** Search for something or someone to arrest or detain.**Use:** The police will come for his luggage.**115) Come forth****Meaning:** to emerge or to appear**Use:** When he asked for help, many people came forth.**116) Come from****Meaning:** one's birthplace or nationality**Use:** He has come from the US.**117) Come in****Meaning:** arrive or Become available**Use:** When did he come in?**118) Come into play****Meaning:** becoming active**Use:** After a long time the product came into play.**119) Come off****Meaning:** to succeed**Use:** All his hard work began to come off.**120) Come on****Meaning:** encouraging someone to do something**Use:** Come on Guys, we can win this match.

121) Come over

Meaning: a feeling or manner which affects someone.

Use: Just come over and meet my brother.

122) Come round

Meaning: Recover consciousness

Use: I am sure he will come around eventually.

123) Come through

Meaning: succeed in surviving

Use: He has come through so much mental pressure.

124) Come under

Meaning: Be included

Use: This team is come under my leadership.

125) Come up

Meaning: Appear or to approach

Use: Nobody expected that he will come up with such a great idea.

126) Come up with

Meaning: produce something, especially when challenged

Use: The company will come up with a new product.

127) Come with

Meaning: Join and come along

Use: They induced me to come with them.

128) Crack down on

Meaning: take severe measures against something.

Use: We have to crack down on software pirates.

129) Crack on

Meaning: progress quickly.

Use: The police has a crack on the case.

130) Crack up

Meaning: Laugh heartily or suffer an emotional breakdown

Use: Taking rest is very important otherwise we might crack up.

131) Cut back

Meaning: Reduce consumption or consumption

Use: I have cut back on meat spending.

132) Cut down

Meaning: Bring down the amount

Use: He is going to cut down his redundant expenses.

133) Cut in

Meaning: interrupt

Use: Your father cut in while I was dancing with your uncle.

134) Cut off

Meaning: stop providing the fund

Use: The investor of the company is going to cut off the fund very soon.

135) Cut out

Meaning: Separate or remove

Use: The doctor will cut out his unhealthy food from his diet.

136) Cut through

Meaning: Deal with an issue quickly

Use: The Government must cut through the red tape in the country.

137) Cut up

Meaning: Severely criticize or distressed or Cut into smaller pieces

Use: This small piece of cloth will cut up into three shirts.

138) Deal with

Meaning: act on or handle something

Use: It is very important to deal with the Covid-19.

139) Do for

Meaning: Kill or defeat

Use: The Captain do for his team.

140) Draw in

Meaning: Approach or Get someone involved

Use: She was quick on the draw in his interview.

141) Draw on

Meaning: to move or pass slowly or continuously

Use: I will have to draw on my money.

142) Draw out

Meaning: Make something last for more time than is necessary

Use: We can draw out some general conclusions from the report.

143) Draw up

Meaning: Come to a halt

Use: After so many days, his car began to draw up.

144) Dress up

Meaning: wear nice clothing

Use: It's a fancy restaurant, so we have to dress up.

145) Drop back

Meaning: move back in a position/group

Use: Andrea dropped back to third place when she fell off her bike.

146) Drop out

Meaning: quit a class, school etc

Use: I dropped out of Science because it was too difficult.

147) Drink in

Meaning: To absorb and enjoy something thoroughly.

Use: Everyone drink in her stories.

148) Drink up

Meaning: Finish one's drink

Use: Drink up your milk.

149) Drive away

Meaning: Depart by driving a vehicle

Use: You should drive away your cares.

150) Dry out

Meaning: overcome alcoholism or have excess water evaporate.

Use: He will to go to clinic to dry out.

151) Dry up

Meaning: Become dry or deprive someone

Use: I will wash the floor and you will dry up.

152) Eat away

Meaning: Erode gradually

Use: Hate can eat away at your relationship with people.

153) Eat into

Meaning: Consume gradually

Use: We should use social media in limit because it can eat into our life.

154) Eat out

Meaning: eat at a restaurant

Use: I don't feel like cooking tonight. Let's eat out.

155) End up

Meaning: eventually reach

Use: We ended up renting a movie instead of going to the theatre.

156) Find out

Meaning: Discover or expose something

Use: I was unable to find out what had happened in my PC.

157) Finish off

Meaning: Kill or finish completely

Use: This sprang can finish off all the insects.

158) Finish up

Meaning: Complete the last details of a task

Use: The cat is finishing up the fish.

159) Fit in

Meaning: Be physically capable

Use: Your Business ideas fit in with mine.

160) Fit up

Meaning: Furnish with suitable things

Use: Next month I am going to fit up my house.

161) Fall apart**Meaning:** Disintegrate**Use:** My old books are dirty and beginning to fall apart.**162) Fall away****Meaning:** Cease to support a someone or any cause**Use:** Demand began to fall away for that product.**163) Fall behind****Meaning:** Be late or below average in performance**Use:** Don't fall behind with your effort.**164) Fall down****Meaning:** Fail or to collapse**Use:** You may fall down but you have to get up again.**165) Fall for****Meaning:** Fall in love with someone or be fooled**Use:** He will probably fall for it at once.**166) Fall in****Meaning:** Come to an end or to terminate or collapse inwards**Use:** She falls in love with you.**167) Fall into****Meaning:** Be classified as or to fall under**Use:** Only 5 people fall into this group.**168) Fall off****Meaning:** a decrease in something**Use:** Please don't fall off and hurt somebody.**169) Fall on****Meaning:** Occur on a particular day**Use:** My birthday falls on October every year.**170) Fall out****Meaning:** have a breach in relations**Use:** The medicine made my hair fall out.

171) Fill in

Meaning: acting or serving in place of another or to physically assault

Use: The company will fill in some employees soon.

172) Fill out

Meaning: make something bigger or better or complete a form

Use: I am not ready to fill out the form.

173) Fill up

Meaning: fill something or satisfy someone's hunger

Use: Nobody can fill up the void of Sushant Singh Rajput in Film Industry.

174) Get about

Meaning: Become widely known or physically active

Use: I don't want this to get about.

175) Get across

Meaning: communicate successfully or move from one side to the other

Use: I can't get across to her.

176) Get after

Meaning: Move into action in pursuit of something

Use: They got after me to play for their team.

177) Get ahead

Meaning: Progress

Use: I want to get ahead in my studies.

178) Get along

Meaning: Survive to do well enough or have a friendly relationship.

Use: He don't get along well with anyone in the class.

179) Get around

Meaning: Avoid or bypass an obstacle or move from place to place

Use: I don't get around much these days.

180) Get at

Meaning: reach or gain access to contact someone

Use: He is a strong man to get at.

181) Get away**Meaning:** Move away or escape**Use:** It's very hard to get away during this lock down period.**182) Get back****Meaning:** Retrieve or return to where one came from**Use:** Please get back to the subject.**183) Get behind****Meaning:** I tried to get behind his works but he could not complete them**Use:** I always get behind his works.**184) Get down****Meaning:** Bring or come down or discourage**Use:** He cannot wait to get down there.**185) Get in****Meaning:** Get into or inside something**Use:** You can not get in without this set of keys.**186) Get into****Meaning:** Become involved in a discussion, issue, or activity**Use:** He failed to get into Business School.**187) Get it****Meaning:** to be punished for something or to seek out and obtain**Use:** I can't get it all done by this month.**188) Get off****Meaning:** to leave a place or escape a punishment**Use:** I kept telling him to get off from the place.**189) Get on****Meaning:** Be successful or Become late**Use:** I shoved to get on the bus.**190) Get onto****Meaning:** to start to do or deal with something**Use:** He will get onto it right away.

191) Get out

Meaning: Leave or escape / come out of a situation

Use: I hope he will get out from that place.

192) Get over

Meaning: recover from or overcome

Use: I hope he will get over being shy.

193) Get through

Meaning: overcome or complete

Use: I have to get through hard works to get success.

194) Get to

Meaning: Reach to or upset someone by persistent action

Use: Can you please get to the point?

195) Get together

Meaning: Meet socially

Use: We will organize a get together soon.

196) Get up

Meaning: Rise from bed or bring together or to grow stronger

Use: I don't wanna get up early in the morning.

197) Get with

Meaning: Align oneself with

Use: You can get with it if you try.

198) Give away

Meaning: Make a gift of something

Use: I am going to give away something to my fans.

199) Give back

Meaning: Contribute or return something

Use: We should give back something to the society.

200) Give forth

Meaning: Give off an emanation or release something

Use: He continued to give forth his suggestions on the matter.

201) Give in

Meaning: Collapse or fall or admit defeat

Use: He was forced to give in.

202) Give out

Meaning: Issue, to distribute, fail

Use: The Police did not gave out proper information to the court.

203) Give over

Meaning: resign or stop doing something

Use: The Boss told him to give over his job.

204) Give up

Meaning: Admit defeat or Relinquish something

Use: Never give up in like, be a fighter.

205) Give way

Meaning: yield to someone/something

Use: Don't give way to your fears to control you.

206) Go about

Meaning: Deal with something; Circulate or begin

Use: You must go about your studies.

207) Go across

Meaning: Move to another side or place

Use: They have to go across the river with a wooden boat.

208) Go after

Meaning: Pursue an object or a goal

Use: He could not decide whether to go after the Business or not.

209) Go against

Meaning: Be unfavourable to someone or oppose

Use: I will not go against my family.

210) Go ahead

Meaning: proceed or to begin

Use: Can can go ahead, later I will join you.

211) Go along**Meaning:** Participate or cooperate**Use:** I will go along to the function tomorrow.**212) Go around****Meaning:** Move or spread or share something**Use:** There was not enough evidence for police to go around.**213) Go away****Meaning:** leave a place; Become invisible or disappear**Use:** I have decided to go away from my hostel.**214) Go back****Meaning:** to return, abandon**Use:** I Don't know why people go back on their word.**215) Go before****Meaning:** happen in an earlier time**Use:** He made a resolution to go before New Year.**216) Go by****Meaning:** be or act in accordance with; Be called; pass by**Use:** I always go by metro to my office.**217) Go down****Meaning:** sink or crash; fall down; decrease; stop functioning**Use:** The website always go down in peak time.**218) Go for****Meaning:** decide on or choose; attempt to gain; attack**Use:** I always go for white dress in summer.**219) Go forward****Meaning:** Progress or to continue doing something**Use:** My works must go forward without delay.**220) Go in****Meaning:** to come or go into**Use:** It cost them nothing to go in.

221) Go into

Meaning: to investigate or take up in study

Use: The CBI should go into the case.

222) Go off

Meaning: begin to dislike; Explode metaphorically; stop functioning

Use: They started to go off my idea.

223) Go on

Meaning: proceed to do; continue speaking

Use: The battle with Bollywood nepotism must go on.

224) Go out

Meaning: Leave, especially a building or Be turned off

Use: They go out from the shopping mall on time.

225) Go over

Meaning: examine or check something

Use: I should go over his issue and help him.

226) Go past

Meaning: Pass without stopping

Use: He cannot go past the obstacle.

227) Go round

Meaning: Visit or Circulate;

Use: I will go round the college campus.

228) Go through

Meaning: Examine methodically; experience

Use: We must go through the details later on.

229) Go to

Meaning: the best person, thing, or place for a particular need

Use: Let's go to a restaurant for dinner.

230) Go together

Meaning: be compatible; to happen or be found together

Use: These ingredients for the recipe can't go together.

231) Go towards**Meaning:** pay for something**Use:** My 25% money will go towards the charity.**232) Go under****Meaning:** die or suffer an emotional collapse; become bankrupt**Use:** Lots of companies go under because of Latest Government rules.**233) Go up****Meaning:** explode or burst into flames; move upward**Use:** Food prices might go up in this Covid-19 situation.**234) Go with****Meaning:** to match or fit well with; go or occur together**Use:** We should not go with the flow in life.**235) Go without****Meaning:** suffer lack or deprivation**Use:** I would rather go without food than work in that company.**236) Gear up****Meaning:** Prepare for any activity**Use:** I am gearing up for the next tour.**237) grow apart****Meaning:** stop being friends over time**Use:** My best friend and I grew apart after she changed schools.**238) grow back****Meaning:** regrow**Use:** My roses grew back this summer.**239) Grow up****Meaning:** to flourish or mature**Use:** He must grow up to understand the whole case.**240) Hand in****Meaning:** to give something to a person in authority**Use:** All the projects must be handed in by this month.

241) Hand off**Meaning:** Pass or transfer something**Use:** The police should hands off the case to CBI.**242) Hand over****Meaning:** possession of something to someone**Use:** The supreme court has handed over the case to CBI.**243) Hand round****Meaning:** to give something to everyone in a group**Use:** He handed round juice bottles to us.**244) Hash out****Meaning:** to discuss a plan; work through difficulties**Use:** I will hash out the project of my company.**245) Head off****Meaning:** Begin moving away or prevent from happening**Use:** The police acted quickly to head off a violent riot in the city.**246) Hang about****Meaning:** Spend time or be friends or associate with someone**Use:** I don't like to hang about all day without any work.**247) Hang in****Meaning:** stay positive (informal)**Use:** Hang in there, I'm sure you'll find a job very soon.**248) Hang on****Meaning:** to hold tightly to something; to have faith in; to wait**Use:** Please hang on while I go to park my car.**249) Hang out****Meaning:** spend time relaxing or be unyielding**Use:** The locals hang out at the mall in summer to beat the heat.**250) Hang over****Meaning:** to be imminent**Use:** The work will hang over till this month.

251) Hang together

Meaning: Be self-consistent; make sense

Use: His both stories do not hang together.

252) Hang up

Meaning: end a telephone call

Use: If people want to talk to us, we should not hang up on them.

253) Hold back

Meaning: Act with reserve; hesitate to act or speak

Use: After listening to his story, I couldn't hold back my tears.

254) Hold down

Meaning: To control; to prevent something; Continue

Use: It's hard to hold down the prices of food.

255) Hold in

Meaning: Restrain oneself

Use: It is not good for anyone to hold in anger.

256) Hold off

Meaning: Delay an action or decision; fail to occur

Use: I have decided to hold off my works for few days.

257) Hold on

Meaning: wait; remain loyal; grip firmly

Use: I am already late so I can't hold on a minute.

258) Hold out

Meaning: survive in difficult circumstances; withhold something

Use: I will hold out till the victory.

259) Hold over

Meaning: to delay; to hold on something or someone

Use: He has a strong hold over his friend.

260) Hold up

Meaning: rob at gunpoint; detain; delay; to remain strong

Use: My car can hold up to 5 people easily.

261) Jump off**Meaning:** to begin; to hop**Use:** It is very risky to jump off a moving vehicle.**262) Jump at****Meaning:** accept something with great eagerness**Use:** I jumped at the chance to play a match with the best team.**263) Jump in****Meaning:** Enter in something very quickly; involve in a discussion**Use:** The company has decided to jump in to the media industry.**264) Jump on****Meaning:** attack or criticize someone suddenly**Use:** I never jump on anyone for little mistakes.**265) Jump out****Meaning:** have a strong visual or mental impact**Use:** The new year decorations jumped out at everyone.**266) Jump up****Meaning:** a leap or jump in an upward direction**Use:** The basketball player jumped up to grab the ball.**267) Keep around****Meaning:** Keep something nearby**Use:** I always keep around my best book.**268) Keep at****Meaning:** persist with something difficult**Use:** We will keep at our efforts to achieve success.**269) Keep away****Meaning:** Stay away or make someone stay away**Use:** I always keep away from snakes.**270) Keep back****Meaning:** Maintain or cause someone or something a safe distance**Use:** You should keep back a reserve of food for poor people.

271) Keep down

Meaning: Restrain or stay hidden by lying down

Use: The Police successfully keep down the riots.

272) Keep from

Meaning: Refrain or cause someone to avoid doing something

Use: He should keep from doing anything wrong with anyone.

273) Keep in

Meaning: to not show or express something

Use: He shouldn't keep his anger in public.

274) Keep off

Meaning: avoid encroaching; to not talk about something

Use: I will keep off fatty foods from today.

275) Keep on

Meaning: to continue doing something

Use: I will Keep on until I reach the destination.

276) Keep out

Meaning: to stop entering a place; remain outside

Use: We should keep out until we get permission to enter.

277) Keep up

Meaning: to continue without interruption

Use: I am proud of you; keep up the good work.

278) Kick around

Meaning: lie about forgotten; pass time aimlessly; to discuss an idea

Use: We are going to kick around the business idea.

279) Kick back

Meaning: relax or take something easy

Use: Don't kick back until you finish your work.

280) Kick down

Meaning: destroy something by physical force

Use: The goons have kicked down the front door of his house.

281) Kick in**Meaning:** start taking effect in a sudden way**Use:** The cyclone is expected to kick in this weekend.**282) Kick off****Meaning:** remove from a position; start an argument suddenly**Use:** The show will kick off today at 5 PM.**283) Kick out****Meaning:** to dismiss or stop suddenly**Use:** He gets a real kick out of his place in the team.**284) Kick up****Meaning:** raise or become stronger; show anger**Use:** Yesterday, the wind and rain started to kick up.**285) Knock about****Meaning:** spend time with someone; behave violently towards**Use:** I spent whole day just knocking around my house.**286) Knock back****Meaning:** to reject or refuse**Use:** I am thinking to knock back his offer today.**287) Knock down****Meaning:** hit or demolish something**Use:** Will you knock down the price by another 500 rupees?**288) Knock off****Meaning:** imitation; stop doing something; reduce**Use:** I will knock off at 5 PM today.**289) Knock out****Meaning:** strike someone or something out; eliminate**Use:** The boxer scored a knock out in the 1st round.**290) Knock over****Meaning:** to strike to the ground; to rob**Use:** Last month I was knocked over by a truck.

291) Knock together

Meaning: to collide with something; to knock up

Use: His knees knock together.

292) Knock up

Meaning: make pregnant; put together

Use: The cricket team needs to knock up 123 runs to win the match.

293) Knuckle down

Meaning: work very hard; to focus seriously on a task

Use: I have to knuckle down to work.

294) Lay down

Meaning: to give up; lie down; preserve

Use: I lay down on my bed.

295) Lay low

Meaning: to knock out of a fight; overcome

Use: The illegal hunters laid low five tigers.

296) Lay off

Meaning: stop bothering; stop doing something

Use: Can you please lay off alcohol forever?

297) Lay on

Meaning: provide something for free

Use: Because of less space he has to lay on the floor.

298) Lay out

Meaning: arrange in a certain way

Use: I have to lay out all the clothes to take on holiday.

299) Live down

Meaning: get used to something shameful

Use: He will never live down that clumsy remark he made.

300) Live off

Meaning: use a certain money or food to survive

Use: It seems he live off unhealthy food.

301) Live on

Meaning: depend on a source of income or support

Use: It is very hard to live on my low pay.

302) Live out

Meaning: to spend remaining life in a particular way

Use: Most of people cannot live out of his company.

303) Live through

Meaning: to survive; to endure

Use: They have to live through it because they don't have other choice.

304) Live up

Meaning: fulfil the expectations

Use: I tend to live up to his expectations.

305) Let down

Meaning: fail to meet the expectations; move something

Use: Don't let down my expectations.

306) Let in

Meaning: allow to participate; let someone or something come in

Use: We should open the window to let in some fresh air.

307) Let off

Meaning: to release or forgive

Use: The teacher let off the student with a warning.

308) Let on

Meaning: to reveal or disclose a secret

Use: Don't let on about our secret meeting.

309) Let out

Meaning: release or to emit; disclose

Use: The old truck let out a loud sound.

310) Let up

Meaning: reduce pressure or intensity

Use: I am expecting the rain will let up today.

311) Look after**Meaning:** to keep safe or protect**Use:** Every mother look after her child.**312) Look ahead****Meaning:** consider the future; look forward**Use:** We must look ahead for the betterment of society.**313) Look back****Meaning:** look back upon a period of time; remember**Use:** When I look back on my past, I feel happy.**314) Look around****Meaning:** Inspect a place; Search a place**Use:** Just look around and let me know.**315) Look at****Meaning:** examine or read something; move eyes to see something**Use:** Look at him, he is looking fabulous.**316) Look for****Meaning:** Search for or to seek something**Use:** I am looking for a good book to read.**317) Look in****Meaning:** Visit a person or place for a short time**Use:** I will look in on you later to see if you need anything.**318) Look into****Meaning:** Explore or Investigate**Use:** The police should look into this matter.**319) Look on****Meaning:** To watch or observe an activity**Use:** You should look on the nature of this project.**320) Look out****Meaning:** Be vigilant and aware**Use:** The farmers of the village are looking out their farms.

321) Look out for

Meaning: Take care of someone; to try to notice someone or something

Use: We should always look out for each other.

322) Look round

Meaning: To visit a place and inspect all the things in it

Use: You should look round the shops to find a perfect pair of shoes.

323) Look through

Meaning: To read something quickly to find the information

Use: He had a good look through the books.

324) Look to

Meaning: To expect inspiration or advice or reward from someone

Use: The players always look to the captain in bad situation.

325) Look up

Meaning: To improve or become better

Use: Everything seems to be looked up now.

326) Look up to

Meaning: Show respect or admiration for someone

Use: We should look up to our parents and teachers.

327) Look upon

Meaning: Consider something in a specific manner

Use: I always look upon him as my competitor.

328) Look upon as

Meaning: Consider or regard

Use: He was looked upon as a wise man in our society.

329) Lead in

Meaning: Something that introduces something else

Use: I am going to play the lead in the concert.

330) Lead off

Meaning: To begin something by saying something

Use: I would like to lead off the debate.

331) Lean on

Meaning: To depend on someone; put pressure on someone

Use: Everyone in my team lean on me.

332) Leave behind

Meaning: Abandon something or to forget to take something with you

Use: Don't leave behind your personal things in the office.

333) Leave off

Meaning: To stop doing something

Use: It's time to leave off all our work.

334) Leave out

Meaning: To not include or mention someone or something

Use: They leave out his name from the guest list of the party.

335) Lie around

Meaning: Do nothing or pass the time

Use: You shouldn't lie around all day.

336) Lie before

Meaning: Something which is going to happen in the future

Use: A bright future lies ahead of him.

337) Lie down

Meaning: A rest in which one lies down on a bed

Use: I am going to lie down for a while.

338) Lie in

Meaning: Stay in bed for longer than usual

Use: Don't lie in bed all the time.

339) Lie low

Meaning: To try not to be noticed or conceal oneself

Use: Don't try to find a place to lie low.

340) Lift up

Meaning: Lighten or ease the mood of someone; lift something up

Use: I am so exhausted that I can't lift up my legs.

341) Light up

Meaning: To begin shining or to look happy

Use: I watched him light up again.

342) Lighten up

Meaning: To take things lightly or less seriously

Use: Don't take tension and lighten up a bit.

343) Liven up

Meaning: To become more energetic or in a better mood

Use: Let's liven up the office a bit.

344) Lock in

Meaning: To put someone in a room and lock the door

Use: They want to lock in sources of supply.

345) Lock out

Meaning: Prevent from entering a room or place by locking the door

Use: He has lost his key and locked out in the room.

346) Log in

Meaning: To access a system or computer with password

Use: I am trying to log in my computer.

347) Log on

Meaning: Visit a Web site

Use: Because of high traffic so many people can't log on the website.

348) Log out

Meaning: Exit a user account in a computer system

Use: After completing the work, you should log out your account.

349) Luck out

Meaning: To be very lucky or fortunate

Use: Finally he lucked out and made good money.

350) Make after

Meaning: Chase or pursue someone

Use: Don't made after that innocent boy.

351) Make away with

Meaning: To steal something; kill someone furtively

Use: The goons made away with his money.

352) Make for

Meaning: To move towards a place or something

Use: Their plan might make for all the friends.

353) Make into

Meaning: To change something into something else

Use: The fruits can be made into jam.

354) Make of

Meaning: To have an opinion about someone or something

Use: They don't make of what she wants.

355) Make off

Meaning: to leave quickly or to escape

Use: The goons made off as the police arrived.

356) Make out

Meaning: grasp the meaning of something; make progress

Use: I couldn't make out what the movie was trying to say.

357) Make towards

Meaning: To go in the direction of something or someone

Use: He made towards his village in the pandemic.

358) Make up

Meaning: To forgive someone after an argument; to apply cosmetics

Use: Let's make up everything and start a new chapter.

359) Make way

Meaning: Allow room for someone or something; make progress

Use: So many houses were pulled down to make way for the new flyover.

360) Mess about

Meaning: behave in a silly or mischievous way

Use: Don't mess about with those hoodlums.

361) Mess around**Meaning:** To waste time**Use:** You should not mess around with sharp knives.**362) Mess up****Meaning:** A mishandled situation**Use:** This can mess up your whole career.**363) Mess with****Meaning:** To treat someone in a bad or annoying way**Use:** I never mess with my wife when she's angry.**364) Move forward****Meaning:** Make progress**Use:** Move forward carefully otherwise you will be in danger.**365) Move on****Meaning:** Start dealing with something else or to leave one place**Use:** It's time for us to move on.**366) Move out****Meaning:** Leave the present location**Use:** We will move out from here in the rainy season.**367) Move up****Meaning:** Move or adjust one's position to allow others to occupy a place**Use:** Please move up a bit for me.**368) Meet up****Meaning:** An informal meeting or gathering**Use:** I will organise a meet up with my friends this Sunday.**369) Miss out****Meaning:** Miss an experience or lose an opportunity**Use:** Don't miss out this golden chance this time.**370) Mix up****Meaning:** Mix or blend thoroughly**Use:** Never mix up my words with his.

371) Monkey around

Meaning: To behave in a silly or foolish way

Use: Please don't monkey around here.

372) Narrow down

Meaning: Make more small or specific

Use: I will narrow down my article for you.

373) Open up

Meaning: To become communicative

Use: Try to open up when you meet with new people.

374) Pack away

Meaning: To put something in a safe place to use later

Use: He always pack away more food than others.

375) Pack off

Meaning: to send someone to another place

Use: We should not pack off our servants in this pandemic.

376) Pack out

Meaning: To make a place very full

Use: Around 50,000 cricket fans packed out the stadium to see the match.

377) Pack up

Meaning: To stop or quit something

Use: Actors were told by the director to pack up.

378) Pay back

Meaning: A profit from an investment; to revenge

Use: I am sure this investment will pay back you.

379) Pay for

Meaning: To give money for something

Use: I will pay for the ticket in advance.

380) Pay off

Meaning: The action that yield good results

Use: I have to pay off my debts in two years.

381) Phase in

Meaning: To introduce something gradually or little by little

Use: The new rules can be phased in over a number of months.

382) Phase out

Meaning: To remove or stop using something in stages

Use: The country will phase out its oil exports.

383) Plan on

Meaning: To intend to do something

Use: This month I have plan on going to Geneva.

384) Plough back

Meaning: To put the profits made by a business back into it

Use: He will plough back what I earn into my company.

385) Plough through

Meaning: To finish a difficult or boring task that takes a long time

Use: The legal department has to plough through dozens of legal documents.

386) Point out

Meaning: To mention something that one thinks is important

Use: He politely pointed out my mistake.

387) Pour out

Meaning: To freely express something; to put some drink into a glass or cup

Use: He pour out arrogant words.

388) Press out

Meaning: Obtaining from a substance by a mechanical action

Use: Can you please press out the shirt for me.

389) Pick apart

Meaning: To say all of the things that are bad or wrong about someone

Use: I can pick apart a few of the points he made.

390) Pick at

Meaning: Eat unwillingly

Use: He picked at his food in a bored fashion.

391) Pick off

Meaning: To shoot or bring down something especially one by one

Use: It is not allowed to pick off any of the flowers.

392) Pick on

Meaning: Treating someone badly or unfairly while criticizing them

Use: Nobody is picking on you, we're trying to help you.

393) Pick out

Meaning: To choose one thing or person from a group

Use: Can you pick out a dozen mangoes for me?

394) Pick through

Meaning: to search through a collection of things to find only what you want

Use: I had to pick through the garbage to find my electric circuits.

395) Pick up

Meaning: Answer a telephone call; to grasp and increase or raise

Use: Don't pick up his phone, he is going to disturb you.

396) Play along

Meaning: pretend to cooperate

Use: They always play along with her idea.

397) Play around

Meaning: To behave in a silly or foolish way

Use: I never allow anyone to play around with my tools.

398) Play at

Meaning: To do something without being very serious about it

Use: I liked to play at being bright.

399) Play down

Meaning: To make something seem less important

Use: The Government is trying to play down the media hype.

400) Play off

Meaning: play an extra match to decide the outcome of a contest

Use: Teams are ready for the play off game.

401) Play out**Meaning:** To develop or end in a particular way**Use:** Children in our village like to play out after school.**402) Play up****Meaning:** Put all the energy and efforts into a game**Use:** The captain wants two men to play up to his team.**403) Pull ahead****Meaning:** To take the lead in a race or competition**Use:** My favourite team pulled ahead decisively.**404) Pull apart****Meaning:** To be separated into parts; to separate people**Use:** We have to pull apart the players of the opponent to beat them.**405) Pull away****Meaning:** Move ahead**Use:** They are trying to pull away from the situation.**406) Pull in****Meaning:** To arrive at a destination**Use:** The low ticket prices could not pull in crowds to the game.**407) Pull off****Meaning:** Remove by drawing or pulling; achieve a goal**Use:** That's a big job, you can not pull off alone.**408) Pull on****Meaning:** To put on clothes; to deal with a situation**Use:** They gave a pull on the rope.**409) Pull out****Meaning:** move out or away; withdraw from something**Use:** They pulled out from the war.**410) Pull over****Meaning:** Steer a vehicle to the side of the road**Use:** Please pull over and stop there.

411) Pull up**Meaning:** To bring to a stop**Use:** Their car pulled up outside the school.**412) Put effort into****Meaning:** To try**Use:** You should put your efforts into the game to win it.**413) Put across****Meaning:** Explain something clearly**Use:** The teacher put across everything very effectively.**414) Put aside****Meaning:** To save something for future**Use:** I always put aside a fraction of my salary for future.**415) Put asunder****Meaning:** separate, disunite, divorce**Use:** They cannot be put asunder.**416) Put away****Meaning:** To put something in the place where you usually keep it**Use:** The money should be carefully put away.**417) Put back****Meaning:** Return something to its original place**Use:** The train put back to the station.**418) Put by****Meaning:** To save for future**Use:** I will put by a some money every week.**419) Put down****Meaning:** Insult or demean**Use:** I never put down anyone in public.**420) Put down****Meaning:** Make a record in writing**Use:** Please put down the notes for future use.

421) Put down as

Meaning: Assume someone is a particular type of person from little info

Use: Don't put down him as an uneducated man.

422) Put down for

Meaning: To record that someone has offered to help

Use: Put him down for a 10000 rupees donation.

423) Put down to

Meaning: To say or think that something is happened because of something

Use: The fever was put down to bad water.

424) Put forward

Meaning: Propose for consideration; to offer an idea or opinion

Use: I will put forward my suggestion at the meeting.

425) Put in

Meaning: Place inside

Use: He was put in prison for his crime.

426) Put in practice

Meaning: Make something practically possible

Use: They have decided to put my ideas into practice for the next meeting.

427) Put off

Meaning: Procrastinate

Use: Please put off the party on my account.

428) Put on

Meaning: Don clothing or equipment

Use: She put on her stylish coat and went out.

429) Put across

Meaning: To explain an idea or belief so that people understand them easily

Use: She can put across a powerful message.

430) Put out

Meaning: Place outside; to make something stop burning

Use: It took 1 hour to put out the fire.

431) Put over

Meaning: State or explain a concept in an understandable manner

Use: He is the person who put over the idea very well.

432) Put past

Meaning: Conclude that someone would not do something

Use: The judge will put past repeat offenders.

433) Put through

Meaning: To connect

Use: Ask him to be put through to me personally.

434) Put to

Meaning: Make a proposal

Use: He has a query to put to the last speaker.

435) Put together

Meaning: Assemble; build or formulate

Use: He can put together a very strong case for the defence.

436) Put towards

Meaning: Make a financial contribution

Use: We all put 5000 dollars towards her leaving present.

437) Put up

Meaning: To build something; place in a high location

Use: I will put up a very strong showing.

438) Put up with

Meaning: To accept someone or something unpleasant

Use: I will not put up with any old crap.

439) Put forward

Meaning: To propose or suggest

Use: I will put forward a number of suggestions in office.

440) Quiet down

Meaning: Become quieter

Use: Everyone please quiet down and get ready for the challenge.

441) Read in**Meaning:** Accept as input**Use:** I am very widely read in law.**442) Read off****Meaning:** To read the measurement on a piece of equipment or graph**Use:** He looked at the thermometer and read the temperature off.**443) Read out****Meaning:** Read something and say the words to inform other people**Use:** The Governor read out a prepared statement.**444) Rely on****Meaning:** Be confident in something**Use:** My team always rely on me.**445) Roll around****Meaning:** To arrive or to happen again**Use:** By the time January rolls around, I'm ready with my project.**446) Roll in****Meaning:** To arrive in large numbers or amounts**Use:** The money has been rolling in from last month.**447) Roll out****Meaning:** To deploy or introduce a new product or service**Use:** They will roll out the red carpet for me.**448) Roll over****Meaning:** Make a rolling motion or turn**Use:** I rolled over and went back to do my work.**449) Roll up****Meaning:** Make something into a particular especially cylindrical shape**Use:** Please roll up that string for me.**450) Round out****Meaning:** Make bigger or better or more complete**Use:** I got an opportunity to round out your experience.

451) Rule in

Meaning: Consider something as a possible option among others

Use: Nothing has been ruled in this case till now.

452) Rule out

Meaning: To stop considering something as a possibility

Use: My suggestion has been ruled out in office.

453) Rush off

Meaning: Produce in great haste

Use: I really don't like to rush off like him.

454) Run about

Meaning: Be very busy doing many different things

Use: I've been running about all afternoon getting things right.

455) Run across

Meaning: To meet someone you know when you are not expecting to

Use: You must not run across the road in a hurry.

456) Run after

Meaning: To chase someone or something

Use: I will never run after you all my life.

457) Run against

Meaning: Oppose, make difficulties

Use: Don't worry, I will not run against you.

458) Run along

Meaning: Leave or to go away

Use: He always run along when we need him.

459) Run around

Meaning: To be very busy doing many different things

Use: I have been running around all morning.

460) Run around after

Meaning: Spend a lot of time doing things for another person or group

Use: I have spent all day playing around after the kids.

461) Run away

Meaning: Flee by running or escape from a place

Use: When I need his advice he run away.

462) Run away with

Meaning: To secretly leave a place with someone

Use: Don't let your emotions run away with you.

463) Run back

Meaning: To give someone a lift

Use: I need to run back to the school.

464) Run by

Meaning: Pass by while running; inform someone briefly

Use: The company run by these brothers.

465) Run down

Meaning: To hit someone with your car and injure or kill them

Use: The cyclist was run down by the car.

466) Run for it

Meaning: To run to avoid being caught

Use: You have to run for it to save yourself.

467) Run in

Meaning: Arrest & take to a police station

Use: Both of them will run in tomorrow.

468) Run into

Meaning: Collide with or come together

Use: He always run into trouble in his job.

469) Run low

Meaning: to be available in less than the needed amount

Use: Food stocks are running low due to heavy rain.

470) Run off

Meaning: To suddenly leave a place or person

Use: He has run off with my friend.

471) Run off with

Meaning: To secretly leave a place with someone in order to marry them

Use: He has run off with his music teacher.

472) Run on

Meaning: Continue without interruption

Use: This software will run on every PC.

473) Run out

Meaning: Flow off gradually or be exhausted

Use: I have run out of patience with her boring stories.

474) Run over

Meaning: To continue after the expected finishing time

Use: The movie ran over schedule and budget.

475) Run past

Meaning: Bring an idea or proposal to the attention of someone

Use: I heard something run past my room.

476) Run through

Meaning: Summarise briefly; explain or read something quickly

Use: I want to run through the details with you.

477) Run to

Meaning: To reach a particular amount, size, value

Use: I have to run to catch the bus because I am late.

478) Run up

Meaning: To make something very quickly to a destination

Use: He never run up against anything like this.

479) Run up against

Meaning: To encounter or experience problems with someone

Use: We may run up against some difficulties.

480) Run up on

Meaning: To confront or encounter someone with hostility

Use: He never run up on me.

481) Run with

Meaning: To accept something; proceed with

Use: He never run with anyone else in the class.

482) Scale back

Meaning: Make a reduction in the amount

Use: We will scale back our relief efforts this month.

483) Scare off

Meaning: Cause to lose courage

Use: The high sound scared off the birds.

484) Scarf down

Meaning: Eat something quickly

Use: He scarfed down his lunch and went to play.

485) Sell down

Meaning: Become less by being sold

Use: All the products are selling down today.

486) Sell out

Meaning: Sell all the products or out of stock

Use: The shopkeeper sold out all his products.

487) Settle down

Meaning: to become familiar with a place and to feel good in it

Use: They quickly settled down to their work.

488) Settle for

Meaning: To accept something that is not exactly what you wanted

Use: Sometimes we have to settle for second best in life.

489) Settle in

Meaning: To become familiar with a new way of life

Use: We have to settle in our new married life.

490) Settle on

Meaning: To make a decision between two or more people or things

Use: We have to settle on a place to meet.

491) Shake off**Meaning:** Remove or get rid of by shaking**Use:** I can shake off this cold before the weekend.**492) Shake up****Meaning:** Agitate or disturb by shaking**Use:** Wants to shake up things a bit.**493) Show in****Meaning:** To Lead or direct someone to an enclosed space, usually a room**Use:** There are flowers show in the park.**494) Show off****Meaning:** Boastfully exhibit abilities or accomplishments**Use:** He likes to show off his dress.**495) Show up****Meaning:** Be or become visible or noticeable**Use:** He will show up at my classes.**496) Shower with****Meaning:** Give to someone an abundance of something**Use:** The parents showered the child with gifts.**497) Shut down****Meaning:** Close, terminate or end something**Use:** I have decided to shut down my shop.**498) Shut in****Meaning:** Lock in or surround completely**Use:** My city is shut in big hills.**499) Shut out****Meaning:** Hide from sight or prevent from entering**Use:** He was shut out of the planning.**500) Shut up****Meaning:** Refuse to talk or stop talking**Use:** It is time to shut up office and go home.

501) Sign off

Meaning: To stop doing your work or a similar activity for a period of time

Use: I have to sign off on the details.

502) Sign out

Meaning: To leave a website or to indicate departure by signing a register

Use: Most of my friends sign out on Friday.

503) Sign up

Meaning: to agree to become involved in an organized activity

Use: I am going to sign up with the agency.

504) Sing along

Meaning: To sing a song while someone else is singing

Use: You sing along with the elevator music.

505) Sink in

Meaning: Become clear in one's mind or to be fully understood

Use: Water overflowed the sink in the bathroom.

506) Sit back

Meaning: To relax and stop making the effort to do something

Use: You should not just sit back and let it happen.

507) Sit down

Meaning: Take a seat to make yourself comfortable in a chair

Use: Can you please sit down for a while with me?

508) Sit on

Meaning: To delay or fail to deal with; Suppress something

Use: He has to sit on the jury at the trial.

509) Sit out

Meaning: To stop doing something or not participate for a period of time

Use: Let's go and sit out in the sun.

510) Sit through

Meaning: Unwillingly to stay until the end of something

Use: They have to sit through endless meetings.

511) Sit up

Meaning: To sit with a straight back

Use: That game made us all sit up and take notice.

512) Skip out

Meaning: To leave a place quickly in a secret way without permission

Use: You may have to skip out this month.

513) Sleep in

Meaning: Sleep later than usual time

Use: I had to sleep in spite of the noise.

514) Sleep on

Meaning: Postpone a decision until the next day

Use: You can sleep on my air bed.

515) Sleep with

Meaning: Share a bed with someone

Use: I can't sleep with a person who doesn't respect me.

516) Slide off

Meaning: Leave a place or a meeting without being noticed

Use: You can't slide off downhill.

517) Slow down

Meaning: Decelerate or reduce speed

Use: The police has slow down the investigation process.

518) Smoke out

Meaning: Drive out something or someone with smoke

Use: You have to smoke out here.

519) Smooth down

Meaning: To remove roughness from something

Use: I tried to smooth down his temper.

520) Sort out

Meaning: Clarify by reviewing mentally or to solve the problems

Use: We will sort out every problems between us.

521) Sound off

Meaning: To express your opinions loudly

Use: He always sound off in public.

522) Speed up

Meaning: To increase speed

Use: We need to speed up our practice for the game.

523) Spell out

Meaning: Spell fully and without abbreviating

Use: I will spell out all the details for you.

524) Split up

Meaning: Break apart from the group; to end a marriage or a relationship

Use: We should not split up into two teams.

525) Spread out

Meaning: To move away from each other

Use: They always spread out from each other.

526) Sump up

Meaning: To summarize

Use: Can you please sump up you speech?

527) Start afresh

Meaning: Start or restart doing something from the beginning

Use: I will start afresh my business very soon.

528) Start off

Meaning: To begin or start something

Use: You should start off you business.

529) Start up

Meaning: Rise suddenly; fledgling or emerging business enterprise

Use: We are going to raise funds for our start up.

530) Stay in

Meaning: To stay in your home

Use: I always stay in when it is very hot outside.

531) Stay on

Meaning: Continue in a place, position, or situation

Use: The director will stay on for the film.

532) Stay up

Meaning: To remain or continue at a work, job etc

Use: I always stay up in any situation.

533) Step back

Meaning: Stop for a moment to evaluate the current situation

Use: Never step back from your good work.

534) Step on it

Meaning: Act quickly or go faster

Use: Could you please step on it a little?

535) Step up

Meaning: Increase speed or rate of something

Use: We must step up our training for the match.

536) Stick around

Meaning: Stay or to remain

Use: Stick around with your friends in bad situations.

537) Stick at

Meaning: Continue practising a skill

Use: He could stick at telling lies.

538) Stick down

Meaning: Cause to stick to a surface

Use: Stick down these poems in your notebook.

539) Stick it out

Meaning: Persist or continue for something

Use: Please stick it out here until I am back.

540) Stick out

Meaning: Be extremely noticeable; tolerate

Use: The employee will stick out for higher salary.

541) Stick to

Meaning: Continue doing a particular thing

Use: Stick to your work without any fear.

542) Stick up

Meaning: defend against attack or criticism

Use: You don't need to worry, I will stick up for you.

543) Stick up for

Meaning: To defend or protect

Use: I will always stick up for you.

544) Stick with

Meaning: Follow or adhere to something or someone

Use: Everybody has to stick with the company rule.

545) See in

Meaning: To recognize or notice a particular quality in someone

Use: We could not see in the dark.

546) See into

Meaning: to examine or to discover the true nature of something

Use: The doctors are not able to see into the causes of cancer.

547) See out

Meaning: To be present at the departure of someone from a house

Use: I was there to see out him.

548) See through

Meaning: To recognize that something is not true; translucent

Use: I can see through the glass.

549) See to

Meaning: To deal with for someone or something

Use: You must go and see to some things.

550) Save up

Meaning: Accumulate money for future use

Use: She always save up money for charity.

551) Screw up

Meaning: Completely mismanage or mishandle a situation

Use: The police screwed up the whole situation.

552) Seal off

Meaning: Impose a blockade on make tight; secure against leakage

Use: We will seal off this area.

553) See off

Meaning: To be present at the departure of someone making a journey

Use: I will go to see off my best friend.

554) Shoot up

Meaning: To rise or grow rapidly

Use: Food Prices will shoot up during the war.

555) Shop around

Meaning: Go to several shops to compare goods and prices before buying

Use: I always shop around for a better price.

556) Shut off

Meaning: Stop working or flowing

Use: Someone please shut off the music.

557) Smell of

Meaning: To have a particular smell of something

Use: There was the smell of hot pizzas.

558) Snap up

Meaning: To get or hold something quickly

Use: She was snapped up by a large law firm.

559) Stay away

Meaning: To not go near someone or something

Use: I always stay away from alcohol.

560) Send away

Meaning: To order someone to leave a place

Use: You must send away this person.

561) Send back**Meaning:** Return something if not satisfactory**Use:** I will send back the product to the seller.**562) Send down****Meaning:** Suspend temporarily from college or university**Use:** She was sent down for one week.**563) Send off****Meaning:** send away towards a designated destination**Use:** They will send off the player.**564) Send out for****Meaning:** Make an order in a restaurant to deliver food to one's location**Use:** We will send out for pizza and French fries.**565) Send up****Meaning:** An act of imitating to ridicule**Use:** He was sent up for two months.**566) Set about****Meaning:** Initiate some action**Use:** She set about the business of gardening.**567) Set aside****Meaning:** Separate and reserve something for a specific purpose**Use:** I have set aside 10000 rupees for the donation.**568) Set back****Meaning:** Slow down the progress or obstruct**Use:** The bad weather will set back our playing plans.**569) Set down****Meaning:** To write or print something**Use:** Don't set down his as a fool.**570) Set forth****Meaning:** To start a journey or expedition**Use:** We will set forth our plans from this week.

571) Set in**Meaning:** Become established**Use:** The action is set in the village.**572) Set off****Meaning:** Begin a journey**Use:** I will propose to set off the work immediately.**573) Set on****Meaning:** Attack someone physically or mentally**Use:** I never set on anyone without any reason.**574) Set out****Meaning:** To start a journey; explain something**Use:** You get what you set out to do.**575) Set up****Meaning:** Construct or build something**Use:** I will definitely set up my own business.**576) Set upon****Meaning:** To attack someone**Use:** He was set upon by two masked men while he was going to office.**577) Speak for****Meaning:** To express the thoughts or opinions of someone**Use:** You should always speak for truth.**578) Speak of****Meaning:** Suggestive of something; to prove that something exists**Use:** I never speak of what I cannot praise.**579) Speak out****Meaning:** To express opinions frankly and publicly**Use:** I always speak out when I feel something is right.**580) Speak to****Meaning:** To talk about something**Use:** Everyone should listen to many, speak to a few.

581) Speak up

Meaning: Speak more loudly and frankly

Use: We will speak up against the bad happenings in our society.

582) Stand aside

Meaning: Step sideways to make a space for someone else

Use: Can you stand aside for me?

583) Stand aside

Meaning: Leave a job or position voluntarily for someone

Use: Please stand aside so that others can get a chance.

584) Stand back

Meaning: To move a short distance away from something or someone

Use: It is not the time to stand back.

585) Stand by

Meaning: to be ready to do something

Use: I can't just stand by and do nothing.

586) Stand for

Meaning: To tolerate

Use: I never stand for anything wrong.

587) Stand off

Meaning: Move or keep away from something or someone

Use: Can you please stand off here?

588) Stand out

Meaning: Be highly noticeable; differentiate oneself

Use: The yellow colour in black stands out.

589) Stand up

Meaning: Rise from a lying or sitting position

Use: When the teacher enters the room, everyone stands up.

590) Stand up for

Meaning: Speak or act in support of someone or something

Use: We must stand up for your rights.

591) Stand up to

Meaning: To not be changed or damaged by something

Use: He never afraid to stand up to bullies.

592) Spring back

Meaning: Return to original or initial position

Use: It may spring back and hit in your face.

593) Spring on

Meaning: Surprise someone

Use: Don't try to spring on me.

594) Spring up

Meaning: To start to exist suddenly

Use: New houses spring up like mushrooms in my village.

595) Spring for

Meaning: To pay for something generously for someone else

Use: My friends never spring for lunch.

596) Talk down

Meaning: Negotiate a lower price

Use: He always talk down with shopkeepers.

597) Talk into

Meaning: Convince someone by talking and suggesting

Use: Don't try to talk into me with false sentiments.

598) Talk over

Meaning: To discuss a problem or a plan

Use: I don't like to talk over the telephone.

599) Talk through

Meaning: To explain someone step by step how to do something

Use: She tried to talk through her tears.

600) Think back

Meaning: Think about a past time or experience

Use: We should think back our past mistakes.

601) Think over

Meaning: Ponder or reflect deeply on a subject

Use: Think over what I have said to you.

602) Think up

Meaning: To invent or to imagine something

Use: We have to think up a good plan.

603) Tip off

Meaning: To alert or inform someone confidentially

Use: The police must have been tipped off before the incident.

604) Try out

Meaning: Test something before selecting

Use: I always try out something before selecting it.

605) Try back

Meaning: Phone back

Use: I will try back you after some time.

606) Try for

Meaning: To attempt to get something

Use: They decided to try for another baby.

607) Try it on

Meaning: Attempt to deceive or provoke someone

Use: Don't try it on with me any more.

608) Try on

Meaning: Put clothes in order to test the fit

Use: You can try on the new shirt.

609) Tail off

Meaning: To gradually become less in amount

Use: His voice tailed off into silence.

610) Think about

Meaning: Think about actively before making a decision

Use: What do you think about my new shoes?

611) Think ahead

Meaning: Plan for a future situation

Use: I always think ahead for my business.

612) Turn away

Meaning: To refuse admittance or acceptance to

Use: Never turn away from your old friends.

613) Think through

Meaning: Consider all the possibilities and outcomes of a situation

Use: He doesn't think through the consequences of his actions.

614) Tidy up

Meaning: To make a place look neat, clean and tidy

Use: I always like to tidy up their own mess.

615) Take aback

Meaning: Surprise or shock greatly

Use: I was taken aback when I see that movie.

616) Take after

Meaning: To look or behave like an older relative

Use: He should take after the best example.

617) Take against

Meaning: Stop liking someone or something

Use: Everybody seems to take against me.

618) Take apart

Meaning: To separate an object into pieces

Use: He need to take apart my computer.

619) Take aside

Meaning: Take someone alone to talk to him/her

Use: I took the student aside to tell him the terrible news.

620) Take away

Meaning: Remove or eliminate something and put it in other place

Use: Don't let friends to take away your books.

621) Take back

Meaning: Retract or withdraw an earlier statement

Use: You should take back your statement.

622) Take down

Meaning: Remove something which is fixed; make a written note

Use: I have to take down notes for the class.

623) Take for

Meaning: Keep in mind or convey as a conviction

Use: Don't take him for granted.

624) Take in

Meaning: To include something

Use: My bag is full, I can't take in any more books.

625) Take it away

Meaning: to start playing or singing music

Use: I could not take it away from him.

626) Take off

Meaning: Remove; depart from the ground; become successful

Use: I asked him to take off his wet cloths.

627) Take on

Meaning: Become very upset; accept as a challenge

Use: We should not take on more than we can.

628) Take out

Meaning: Remove or take out something from its packing

Use: You can take out six bottles at a time.

629) Take over

Meaning: To begin to do something that someone else was doing

Use: He will take over his father's work very soon.

630) Take pity

Meaning: Show compassion towards a person or animal

Use: Please take pity on her.

631) Take through**Meaning:** Explain something to someone**Use:** I will take you through the procedure.**632) Take to****Meaning:** Begin or fall into the habit of someone or something**Use:** I didn't take to her friend at all.**633) Take up****Meaning:** Pick up; to start doing something regularly as a habit**Use:** We didn't take up his joke.**634) Take up with****Meaning:** Form or begin to associate a close relationship with someone**Use:** His time is fully taken up with writing.**635) Throw away****Meaning:** To throw or cast away; to waste a skill or opportunity**Use:** You should not throw away this opportunity.**636) Throw down****Meaning:** Cause something one is holding to drop; to cause to fall**Use:** She has thrown down a good offer.**637) Throw in****Meaning:** Add something extra free of charge while selling something**Use:** We are going to throw in our lot with them.**638) Throw off****Meaning:** Confuse or begin hunting**Use:** Don't try to throw off the cops.**639) Throw on****Meaning:** Hastily or to quickly put on a piece of clothing**Use:** He threw on the lights.**640) Throw out****Meaning:** To dispense with something; force to leave or move out**Use:** They want him to throw out the first pitch.

641) Throw up**Meaning:** Vomit**Use:** He don't want to throw up again.**642) Turn against****Meaning:** Rebel or oppose to something**Use:** People may turn against the reform.**643) Turn around****Meaning:** Physically rotate horizontally 360 degree**Use:** He couldn't endure to turn around again.**644) Turn back****Meaning:** To go back to a previous state**Use:** It's too late to turn back now.**645) Turn down****Meaning:** To Refuse or deny**Use:** You should not turn down my proposal.**646) Turn in****Meaning:** Submit something; go to sleep**Use:** He took a turn in the play ground.**647) Turn into****Meaning:** Be transformed into.**Use:** You should not let your sins turn into bad habits.**648) Turn off****Meaning:** Power off or to stop a device by switching it off**Use:** Can you please turn off the TV?**649) Turn on****Meaning:** Get stoned; suddenly attack physically or verbally; switch on**Use:** Please don't turn on the radio now.**650) Turn out****Meaning:** Result; prove to be the case**Use:** I know every things will turn out all right.

651) Turn over**Meaning:** Move by turning over or rotating**Use:** He should turn over your papers.**652) Turn round****Meaning:** Revolve or rotate around a centre**Use:** Don't turn round when you talk to me.**653) Turn to****Meaning:** To become or to degenerate into**Use:** Now it's my turn to choose what I want.**654) Turn up****Meaning:** To appear or be found suddenly or unexpectedly**Use:** Can you please turn up the lamp a bit?**655) Turn upside down****Meaning:** Thoroughly examine something**Use:** I will turn the theory upside down.**656) Used to****Meaning:** Accustomed to; in the habit of something**Use:** I used to play cricket in school days.**657) Wait for****Meaning:** Wait for something**Use:** Don't wait for me, you can go ahead.**658) Wait up****Meaning:** Wait or not go to bed until something happens**Use:** I will wait up for you tonight for dinner.**659) Wait upon****Meaning:** Wait on; await the convenience of**Use:** I waited upon several good players around the country.**660) Wake up****Meaning:** Awaken somebody; stop sleeping**Use:** I wake up early in the morning.

661) Watch out

Meaning: Be aware or be vigilant of something

Use: We have to watch out for upcoming challenges.

662) Watch over

Meaning: Guard and protect something or someone

Use: Don't worry, God is watching over us.

663) Wipe away

Meaning: Remove or erase by wiping

Use: Please wipe away the shaving cream now.

664) Wipe down

Meaning: Clean the exterior surface of an object usually with hand

Use: It will take some time to wipe down the room.

665) Wipe up

Meaning: Dry utensils, dishes etc after washed

Use: You should wipe up the dishes first.

666) Write in

Meaning: Write a letter; write to an organization

Use: I will write in for more information.

667) Write off

Meaning: Reduce the estimated value to something

Use: You can't write off the value of my place in the team.

668) Write out

Meaning: Write in complete form

Use: I have to write out the sentence.

669) Walk away

Meaning: Withdraw from or go away from a problematic situation

Use: Don't walk away when people need you the most.

670) Walk away from

Meaning: Abandon or leave something

Use: I have decided to walk away from the team.

671) Walk in on

Meaning: To enter a room and interrupt someone or something suddenly

Use: I was not expecting her to walk in on the room.

672) Walk into

Meaning: Become involved in through ignorance or carelessness

Use: He walked into a pool of water.

673) Walk out

Meaning: To depart or leave suddenly or angrily

Use: He never walk out on a work half done.

674) Wash away

Meaning: Eliminate or destroy by fast moving water or flood

Use: Please wash away your tears.

675) Wash down

Meaning: Help to swallow by drinking a liquid, wash

Use: We have to wash down our bikes before the tour.

676) Wash off

Meaning: Remove or be removed of something when water is used

Use: I will wash off the dirt from the wall.

677) Wash out

Meaning: Remove something by washing

Use: You must wash out this stain.

678) Wash over

Meaning: Occur or appear all around without greatly affecting someone

Use: A deep feeling of sorrow washed over him.

679) Wash up

Meaning: Clean the utensils, dishes etc; wash one's face and hands

Use: Make sure you wash up your dishes properly.

680) Work on

Meaning: Shape, form or improve something

Use: I need to work on my skills.

681) Work out

Meaning: To solve a problem by doing Calculation

Use: Things will work out very soon.

682) Work over

Meaning: Improve a prototype

Use: It took him some time to work over the books.

683) Work through

Meaning: Deal with or resolve a problem successfully

Use: I have to work through the problems that are annoying.

684) Work up

Meaning: Raise; form or accumulate steadily

Use: I will make the work up next week.

685) Warm up

Meaning: Get warm or warmer

Use: We should warm up our body before doing workout.

686) Wade in

Meaning: To start to do or say something in a forceful way

Use: We can wade in with a cure.

687) Wade into

Meaning: To become involved in a difficult situation

Use: I will gladly wade into your bad situation.

688) Wait on

Meaning: Work for or be a servant to someone

Use: They all wait on the king of the state.

689) Ward off

Meaning: Act in a way to prevent someone or something from harming you

Use: I have to create a fence to ward off dogs.

690) Warm over

Meaning: To make food hot again in order to serve

Use: I will warm over this soup for my lunch.

691) Wave on

Meaning: To signal with one's hand for someone

Use: The crowd waved on the players.

692) Wear in

Meaning: To make fit new clothing by wearing it

Use: It is always so painful wearing in new shoes.

693) Wear out

Meaning: To use something a lot so that it no longer works

Use: My shoes will soon wear out.

694) Yield up

Meaning: Disclose something hidden against one's will

Use: Don't yield up my secrets in public.

695) Yak on

Meaning: To talk unceasingly and annoyingly

Use: Don't yak on when you are with respected people.

696) Yank off

Meaning: To remove or to pull something quickly or violently

Use: My dog yanked me off my feet.

697) Zip around

Meaning: To move around very quickly

Use: Don't zip around when I am with you.

698) Zip up

Meaning: Close something with a zipper

Use: Will you zip up your jacket?

699) Zone out

Meaning: To fall asleep or lose concentration

Use: I just zoned out for a moment in the class.

700) Zoom in

Meaning: To examine or focus closely

Use: Zoom in the camera to see closely.

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