

**PHRASAL VERBS WITH CUT.  
QUIZ.**

**DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Write the correct preposition on the blank space. (1pt. each)**

1- As people get older, doctors often advise them to cut \_\_\_\_\_ on salt, red meat, and other foods that affect their blood pressure.

across  
down  
up  
out

2- With fewer and fewer students applying each year, the university has no choice but to cut \_\_\_\_\_ its investments in new classrooms and hiring of new teachers.

back on  
out of  
up  
across

3- Timmy's mother still cuts his food \_\_\_\_\_ for him, so he hasn't learned how to use a knife yet.

off  
through  
down  
up

4- The sharp reductions in the school's budget will unfortunately cut \_\_\_\_\_ all departments, including education, arts, sports, and tech.

in  
out  
across  
off

5- In the middle of his conversation, Jim's phone cut \_\_\_\_\_ and we couldn't hear him anymore.

on  
off  
down  
back

**6- People get angry when they stand in a long line and someone tries to cut \_\_\_\_\_ front of them.**

in  
out  
up  
down

**7- The teacher was angry with the students' behaviour and finally yelled at them to cut it \_\_\_\_\_.**

through  
off  
out  
back

**8- The senator tried to use the televised debate as a way to cut the arrogant president \_\_\_\_\_ to size.**

up  
down  
in  
into

**9- In return, the president cut \_\_\_\_\_ the senator's record as a politician.**

in  
down  
through  
into

**10- Many governments nowadays are allowing farmers to cut \_\_\_\_\_ forests to make room for the cattle to graze. (to graze = to eat)**

back  
off  
down  
through