

Words often confused: do and make

Expressions with DO

- one's best/worst
- business with sb
- a crossword
- damage to
- one's duty
- an exercise
- a test
- an experiment
- a favour
- good
- one's hair
- harm
- one's homework
- the housework
- a job
- sth for a living
- research
- right/wrong
- the shopping
- a translation
- the washing-up
- work
- yoga

Expressions with MAKE

- an appointment
- an apology
- an arrangement
- the beds
- a cake
- changes
- coffee
- a comment
- a decision
- a discovery
- an effort
- an excuse
- friends
- a fortune
- an impression
- a joke
- a law
- lunch/dinner/breakfast
- a mess
- a mistake
- money
- a noise
- an offer
- peace
- a phone call
- plans
- preparations
- progress
- a speech
- sure
- trouble
- war
- up one's mind

Fill in do or make in the correct form.

1. James _____ an exercise in his book when his pen ran out.
2. She _____ lots of mistakes in her homework.
3. We could _____ a fortune if we sold all this jewelry.
4. I like _____ the washing-up straight after dinner.
5. Sam _____ the shopping for me in his way home yesterday.
6. She _____ a joke but nobody laughed.
7. The _____ progress with the building.
8. Just a small slice of cake won't _____ any harm.
9. John is going to _____ an appointment to have his hair cut.
10. If you're going to _____ a job you should do it properly.
11. Mum is busy _____ preparations for the party.
12. Will you _____ your beds now, please?
13. Could you _____ a translation of this article for me, please?
14. I don't mind if you fail the test, so long as you _____ your best.
15. Yesterday we _____ an offer on the house we want to buy.