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B1/B2 Phrasal Verbs Worksheet

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Phrasal Verbs Practice (B1/B2)

Common Phrasal Verbs

- carry on = continue
- give up = stop trying
- look after = take care of
- find out = discover
- turn down = refuse
- put off = postpone
- run into = meet unexpectedly
- get over = recover from
- take up = begin a new hobby or activity
- work out = solve or understand

Exercise 1 – Match the Phrasal Verb (5 points)

Match the phrasal verbs (A–E) with their meanings (1–5).

A

B

A. give up 1. recover from something

B. run into 2. continue

C. carry on 3. stop trying

D. get over 4. meet by chance

A B

E. turn down 5. refuse an offer

Answers

A → _____

B → _____

C → _____

D → _____

E → _____

Exercise 2 – Multiple Choice (5 points)

Choose the correct phrasal verb.

1. Sarah couldn't _____ the flu for two weeks.

a) get over

b) put off

c) find out

d) carry on

2. We had to _____ the meeting because the manager was ill.

a) take up

b) put off

c) work out

d) give up

3. I _____ an old friend while shopping yesterday.

a) turned down

b) looked after

c) ran into

d) gave up

4. My sister has decided to _____ yoga this year.

- a) take up
 - b) carry on
 - c) find out
 - d) work out
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5. The company _____ my job application.

- a) got over
 - b) turned down
 - c) carried on
 - d) looked after
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Exercise 3 – Complete the Sentences (5 points)

Complete each sentence with the correct phrasal verb.

Use:

look after • find out • work out • give up • carry on

1. Can you _____ my dog while I'm away?
 2. We finally _____ the answer to the maths problem.
 3. Don't _____! You're almost finished.
 4. I'll _____ whether the train is delayed.
 5. Although it was raining, they decided to _____ playing football.
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Bonus Challenge (Optional)

Choose **three** phrasal verbs from the list and write your own sentences.

1. _____
 2. _____
 3. _____
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Answer Key

Exercise 1

1. D – get over
2. C – carry on
3. A – give up
4. B – run into
5. E – turn down

Exercise 2

1. a) get over
2. b) put off
3. c) ran into
4. a) take up
5. b) turned down

Exercise 3

1. look after
2. worked out
3. give up
4. find out
5. carry on