

PHRASAL VERBS



137.1 Complete each sentence using a verb from A (in the correct form) + a word from B.

A	be	get	fly	sit	B	away	by	on	round
	break	get	go	speak		back	down	off	up
	come	get	look	take		back	down	out	up

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- Sarah is leaving tomorrow and coming back on Saturday.
- I've been standing a long time. I'm going to for a bit.
- It's a very busy airport. There are planes landing and all the time.
- A cat tried to catch the bird, but it just in time.
- We were trapped in the building. We couldn't
- I can't hear you very well. Can you a little?
- Ben's salary is very low, but it's enough to
- Everything is so expensive now. Prices have a lot.
- I heard a noise behind me, so I to see what it was.
- I'm going out now to do some shopping. I'll in about an hour.
- Our car on the motorway and we had to call for help.
- How is your new job? How are you

137.2 Complete each sentence using a word from A and a word from B.

A	away	in	up	back	B	at	to	with	about
	out	up	up	forward		at	to	with	through

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- You're walking too fast. I can't keep up with you.
- My holidays are nearly over. Next week I'll be work.
- We went the top floor of the building to admire the view.
- The meeting tomorrow is going to be difficult. I'm not looking it.
- There was a bank robbery last week. The robbers got £50,000.
- I love to look the stars in the night sky.
- I was sitting in the kitchen when a bird flew the open window.
- How do you know about the plan? How did you find it?

137.3 Complete the sentences. Use these phrasal verbs + it/them/me:

get out give back switch on take off ~~throw away~~ wake up

3

- I want to keep this box. Don't throw it away
- I'm going to bed now. Can you at 6.30?
- I've got something in my eye and I can't
- I don't like it when people borrow things and don't
- I want to use the hair dryer. How do I?
- My shoes are dirty. I'd better before going into the house.

137.4 Complete the sentences. Use the word in brackets.

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- Don't throw away this box. I want to keep it. (away)
- I don't want this newspaper. You can throw it away. (away)
- These books are Lisa's. I have to give to her. (back)
- We can turn Nobody is watching it. (off)
- Shh! My mother is asleep. I don't want to wake (up)
- It's cold today. You should put if you go out. (on)
- It was only a small fire. I was able to put easily. (out)
- It's a bit dark in this room. Shall I turn? (on)
- A: The hotel is more expensive than when we stayed here last year.
B: Yes, they've put (up)
- A: How did the vase get broken?
B: I'm afraid I knocked while I was cleaning. (over)