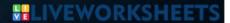


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I've lived in a rented flat for the last six months and until recently my life has been very quiet and peaceful. But now a new couple have moved in next door, and they are making my life impossible. The main problem is that they have parties during the week that go on all night. Sometimes their Friends turn up at their flat at two or three in the morning and when I complain they just tell me to go away. My two children can't sleep because of the noise, so I don't get enough sleep either. I was doing evening classes twice a week, but I've had to give them up because I'm too tired to go. Now when I get home, I just take off my coat, sit down in front of the TV and fall asleep – until the party starts next door of course.

All this is making me vey depressed and **fed up** and just can't **put up with** the noise any longer. I like living here and I **get on** well **with** all my neighbours, but those are a nightmare. I don't want to **go back** to my parents' house where we were living before, but I don't know what else to do. Do your readers have any advice for me?

- · Mrs. Yvonne Chapman
- Carford



Read the letter again. Match the phrasal verbs in bold with their meanings  $\mathbf{a}-\mathbf{j}$ .

Start living in a new home	Like someone and be friendly to him or her.	Be standing and then sit in a chair.	tolerate	Stop doing
Leave a place	continue	Arrive at a place	Return	remove

## MATCHING EXERCISE

