

Vocabulary Exercise

I. Complete the email with the phrasal verbs: *break up, figure out, get in, get on, give out, go for, hand in, join in, note down, put off, stay behind, try out* (6 points):

Hi Jane

I've just started at my new school and it's great. I think I'm going to ¹ really well here. There are lots of interesting clubs – I'm going to ² rock climbing this year! I've never done it before, but it sounds fun so I decided to ³ it.

The students in my class are really friendly. A few ⁴ after school to play basketball and they asked me to ⁵ with them. As you know, I'm pretty good at basketball and my new friends think I will ⁶ the school team if I try!

There's a lot more work to do, though. The teachers ⁷ homework every day and we have to ⁸ most of it the next morning. There's always one piece that we can do over the week, but I try not to ⁹ doing it for too long. I have to remember to ¹⁰ everything the teachers say about the homework, or I forget it. The timetable is quite complicated too, but I'll ¹¹ where to go at what time soon, I'm sure!

We ¹² on 15 December, so I'll come and visit you then.

Write soon!

Debbie

II. Complete the sentences with a noun form of the verbs: *act, apply, collect, communicate, contribute, decide, describe, educate, introduce, invent, organize, permit, prepare, register, satisfy, suggest*. (6 points)

1 Some say the television was the most important of the 20th century.

2 Greg has a large of old CDs in his house.

3 You must try harder at school because _____ is very important.

4 Have you asked for _____ to take the day off school tomorrow?

5 My _____ to my first choice of university was accepted.

6 Thank you for your _____ to this afternoon's discussion.

7 When does _____ for the new English course open?

8 I have a _____ - let's join the rock-climbing club.

9 We've made our _____ - we're not going on holiday this year.

10 For your homework, write a _____ of your favourite building.

11 This activity brought great _____ to all the participants of yesterday meeting.

12 When I choose the book to read I always look through the _____.