

EXERCISES

PREPOSITIONS

A Complete the sentences with the correct preposition.

- I was really disappointed not getting the job.
- I feel a bit guilty forgetting his birthday.
- I'm totally fed up him complaining all the time.
- They were absolutely furious me for staying out all night.
- He's such a bad mood. I don't know what's wrong with him.
- I was very upset the whole thing.
- He trains the marathon every weekend.
- This dress belonged my grandmother.
- She can't come out tonight because she's too behind her homework.
- The guests were due 6 o'clock.

WORD FAMILIES

B Complete the sentences with the correct nouns and adjectives from these verbs.

bore confuse disappoint exhaust please

- I was really when he told me he couldn't come to the wedding.
She couldn't hide her when I told her.
- There were so many to choose from, I felt a bit
To avoid, can just one person speak at a time?
- The kids were really because it was raining and they couldn't go outside.
I thought I was going to die of!
- I was with myself for giving up smoking.
It was no trouble at all. It was a
- I was by the time we finally got home.
She was suffering from after the run.

COLLOCATIONS

C Complete the collocations with nouns from the unit.

- a lovely day out turned into a n_ _ _ _ _ e
- take some pain r_ _ _ _ f
- try to lose w_ _ _ _ t
- what's the pass m_ _ k?
- such a s_ _ _ e you couldn't come
- I don't believe in g_ _ _ _ s
- in a very bad m_ _ _
- an important i_ _ _ e

D Choose the correct verbs to complete the collocations. Look up the nouns to help you if necessary.

- change / do the sheets every week
- have / get nightmares
- gain / get weight
- earn / get good marks in an exam
- do / give someone a hug
- feel / be out of work

E Which of the following words do not collocate with the nouns?

- a good / bad / funny / upset **mood**
- put on / gain / add / lose **weight**
- rosy / furious / pale **cheeks**
- successful / high / low / top **marks**

PHRASAL VERBS

F Choose the correct word to complete the phrasal verb.

- He wants to set *up* / *out* a new office in Japan.
- I'll buy her some flowers to cheer her *out* / *up*.
- He's split *off* / *up* with his girlfriend.

PATTERNS

G Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the box.

arrive be break go hear work

- He failed in his attempt the world record.
- Do you fancy out later?
- He's due in the next few minutes.
- It was a relief that he was OK.
- It's unlike him so quiet.
- How do you find nights?