

# Phrasal Verb Practice

Match up these phrasal verbs

Catch	down
Cut	down
Cut	up on
Call	on with
Get	out
Kick	out
Back	out
Carry	in
Find	off
Give	off
Hang	up
Join	on

## Match the phrasal verbs with their meanings

Catch up on	remove, exclude or stop doing something
Cut out	cancel something
Cut down	to do something and make progress AND to have a good relationship with someone
Call off	To reduce the size of something AND to cause something to fall by cutting it - like a tree
Get on with	To spend extra time doing something because you didn't do it earlier
Kick off	to admit defeat or that you are wrong
Back down	the time a sports match (normally football) begins
Carry on	discover a piece of information
Find out	to continue
Give up	to stop and not continue or make any effort, maybe because you are tired or bored
Hang out	to take part in something with other people
Join in	to spend time with your friends or family

## Now use the phrasal verbs to fill the gaps:

Catch up on

Back down

Cut out

Carry on

Cut down

Find out

Call off

Give up

Get on with

Hang out

Kick off

Join in

What time does the football match \_\_\_\_\_?

I wanted to \_\_\_\_\_ with my friends on Sunday but mum said I have to help her clean the house.

I don't like playing team sports and I never \_\_\_\_\_ at school.

The doctor said I need to \_\_\_\_\_ fatty foods.

I think I will go on a diet because I need to \_\_\_\_\_ on fast food.

My teacher has given me so much homework, I really need to \_\_\_\_\_ it.

I only met Gerry for the first time last week but we seem to really \_\_\_\_\_ each other.

She wanted to \_\_\_\_\_ the wedding because the weather forecast said there was going to be a hurricane!

John won't \_\_\_\_\_, he always thinks he is right about everything.

I had to \_\_\_\_\_ with athletics training, even though it was raining.

I felt so tired that I wanted to \_\_\_\_\_.

My mum told me that I needed to \_\_\_\_\_ what time the bus would arrive so that I wouldn't be late for college.

**Now make your own sentences using the phrasal verbs:**

Catch up on

Back down

Cut out

Carry on

Cut down

Find out

Call off

Give up

Get on with

Hang out

Kick off

Join in

