

1. Read the statements below, drag the definition to the sentence.

(to) exercise	(to) fix a problem
(to) spend time and effort improving something	(to) find your way around to deal with something
(to) make an effort with the intention of achieving a future objective	(to) pay someone with work to compensate for money owed
(to) redo something again	(to) consciously integrate something or someone into an activity.

1. The doctor was so busy, but he managed to **work me in** and I could get an appointment:

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2. This week I've been busy so I just **worked out** three times at the gym:

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3. She's been **working towards** getting the best scores on the final test:

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4. I can tell by her use of the language that she's been **working on** her English skills:

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5. My boss didn't like the proposal, so I'll have to **work it over**:

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6. The company has big issues, but I'm sure that we can **work them out** and improve:

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7. I didn't have all the ingredients, but I **worked around** the recipe by substituting a few items:

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8. The boy didn't have any money, so the restaurant owner let him work it off by washing the dishes:

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