
Phrasal verbs 3

Complete these sentences with *come, get, give, go* or *look* to make a phrasal verb with the preposition or particle in bold. Make sure you use the correct form of the verb in each one.

1. I loved school as a child, and never really looked **forward to** the holidays as much as the other children.
2. In rural districts, it can be difficult to **by** without a car.
3. The 'drive safely' message is finally **through to** people, and there are now fewer accidents on the roads.
4. After years of decline, government investment is revitalising the area, and things are finally **up** for local businesses.
5. As ticket prices **up**, fewer people go to the cinema, preferring instead to stay at home and do other things.
6. I believe that people who have to **after** elderly relatives or other dependants should receive financial support.
7. Large companies can no longer **away with** dumping industrial waste in rivers.
8. Even if you fail the first time, you should **on** trying.
9. Scientists **across** the cure by accident while they were studying the health benefits of a rare tropical plant.
10. The first step to a healthier lifestyle is to **up** smoking.
11. Although many children **up to** their parents, many rebel against their values and way of life.

12. People who want to know how to **about** starting up their own website should read *Websites Made Easy*.
13. The gas fire heating the container **out**, and the apparatus started to cool down rapidly.
14. We decided not to **through** with our plans until we had made enough money.
15. Some people tend to **down on** those who are less fortunate than they are.
16. Wealthy countries are usually able to **through** a period of recession by drawing on financial reserves.
17. In any dispute with a major company, it is usually the customer who **off** the worst.
18. Before I handed my essay in, I **through** it very carefully, checking for mistakes.
19. People who live in close proximity to one another must try to **on with** their neighbours.
20. When our local council tried to build a ring road around the town, they **up against** a lot of opposition.