CAMBRIDGE GRAMMAR & VOCABULARY FOR FCE

PHRASAL VERBS WITH PUT

Read the theory and solve the activities.

PRACTICE

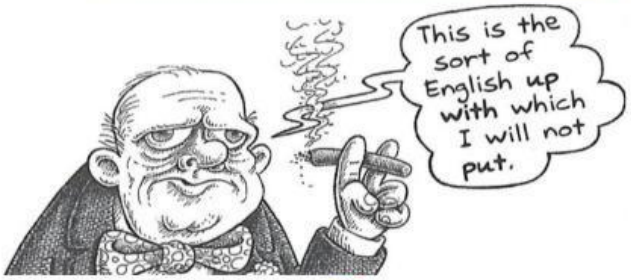
1 Complete the sentences. Use phrasal verbs with *put*.

0 She's an excellent speaker; she really knows how to ..put... a message .across..
1 I will not ..... your bad temper any longer! I've had enough!
2 All the hotels are full; can you ..... me ..... for the night?
3 He opened the door and ..... the light.
4 The government has decided to ..... income tax again!
5 The building caught fire but the firemen soon ..... it ..... .
6 'Could I speak to the manager?' 'Certainly. I'll ..... you ..... .'
7 What are your toys still doing on the floor? Please ..... them ..... .
8 It was raining, so they had to ..... the trip ..... to next week.

2 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the verb *put*. Use between two and five words.

0 A good teacher should be able to explain things clearly.
PUT
A good teacher should be able to .put..things..across. clearly.
1 It would be very useful if you could propose something in writing.
PUT
It would be very useful if you could ..... a proposal in writing.
2 If you keep delaying going to the doctor, it will only make things worse.
PUT
The longer you ..... to the doctor, the worse it will be.
3 Don't forget to wear a hat.
PUT
Don't forget ..... a hat.
4 They're planning to build a cinema complex near the park.
PUT
They're planning to ..... a cinema complex near the park.
5 The price of electrical goods has increased again.
PUT
They've ..... the price of electrical goods again.
6 The receptionist tried to connect me but the line was engaged.
PUT
The receptionist tried to ..... but the line was engaged.
7 I won't accept being treated like a child any more!
PUT
I won't ..... being treated like a child any more!
8 Why do you have to make me look stupid in front of my friends like that?
PUT
Why do you have to ..... in front of my friends like that?
9 The fire service extinguished the fire.
PUT
The fire service ..... the fire.
10 He asked me if I could let him stay in my house for a few days.
PUT
He asked me if I could ..... for a few days.

*'This is the sort of English **up with** which I will not **put**.' Winston Churchill, on coming across the grammar rule which says we should not end a sentence with a preposition.*





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