

Phrasal Verbs with "MAKE"

Exercise 1 *Choose the correct preposition to complete each of the following sentences.*

1. I can't make _____ my mind. = I can't decide.

- up
- off with
- off

2. The thieves made _____ (= escaped with) \$1,000,000.

- up
- off with
- off

3. I can't really make _____ (= decipher) what he wrote.

- up
- off
- out

4. Did you make _____ that story? = Did you invent a story that wasn't true?

- up
- off
- out

5. They fought for two hours, but then they made _____. (= became friendly again)

- of
- off
- up

6. What do you make _____ this? = What is your opinion about this?

- out
- of
- up

7. We have to make _____ for (= compensate for) lost time.

- up
- out
- on

8. They made me _____ to be a liar. = They made me seem like a liar.

- up
- out
- off

9. A good vocabulary makes _____ clearer communication. (= makes it easier to communicate more clearly)

- up
- for
- off

10. The old table was made _____ (= changed/ altered) to look like a new one.

- off
- up
- over

Exercise 2 *Choose the correct variant to complete each of the following sentences.*

1. We used to _____ stories about people we saw in the street.

- make for
- make out
- make up

2. The robbers ran out of the bank and _____ in a stolen car.

- made off
- made out
- made up

3. He emptied his glass and _____ the door.

made for

made off with

made up for

4. These objects can be recycled and _____ something new.

made into

made of

made up for

5. Jim wasn't sure what to _____ their request.

make into

make of

make out of

6. She could just _____ the dark outline of a ship on the horizon.

make out

make over

make up

7. The thieves _____ a TV and some jewellery.

made off

made off with

made up for

8. I wanted to do something nice for Anna, to _____ the way I'd treated her.

make away with

make up for

make up to

9. I used to _____ that I'd changed. But I hadn't.

make out

make over

make up

10. He said the house no longer belonged to him because it had been _____ to his wife.

made out

made over

made up