

# NUEVO COLEGIO DEL PRADO

11th Grade Phrasals Practice.

**Name:**

## Phrasal Verbs with Put

Complete the story below with a suitable verb from the box.

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| put down | put off  | put down    | put up with |  |
| put by   | put back | put through |             |  |

*I had managed to put 1 \_\_\_\_\_ some money for a holiday in Canada, but had put 2 \_\_\_\_\_ booking a flight until I had found a cheap one. Well, I eventually found a good deal with a local travel agency and, despite my friends who tried to put me 3 \_\_\_\_\_ by saying that the agency was unreliable. I put 4 \_\_\_\_\_ \$50 deposit. The next day I went back to the agency to collect the ticket but it was closed. I went home and called the manager, but was put 5 \_\_\_\_\_ to an answering machine. Now, I'm a very tolerant person and will put 6 \_\_\_\_\_ almost anything, but this time I was furious, so I decided to go back to the travel agency. I got into my car, put my foot 7 \_\_\_\_\_ and, to my horror, drove the car backwards into my living room window. I had accidentally reversed the car. I supposed I could put the accident 8 \_\_\_\_\_ to my temper and the fact that I wasn't thinking straight. Anyway, I had to get the builders in to repair the damage. Fortunately my friend has offered to put me 9 \_\_\_\_\_ until the work is finished. And my holiday? I've spent all my holiday money on repairs.*

## Phrasal Verbs with Run

Look at the questions in the left-hand column and match them with a suitable response.

- 1 Why has the clock stopped? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Why is Molly in hospital? \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 Why did you come home by bus? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Why's Rick looking so depressed? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Did the police interview him? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Where did you find that beautiful vase?  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. Can you make me a few copies of this leaflet? \_\_\_\_\_
8. Have we forgotten to invite anyone to our wedding? \_\_\_\_\_
9. You've met Mel Gibson haven't you?  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. Why did the nightclub go out of business? \_\_\_\_\_
11. Did your journey go well?
12. Is Bob very ambitious?

- a. I ran across it in a shop in London
- b. Yes he said he's running for prime minister one day!
- c. I'll run them off right away.
- d. Well, let's run through the guest list again.
- e. She was run down by a car yesterday.
- f. They were running up debt week after week.
- g. I think the battery has run down.
- h. Not really, we ran up a few difficulties.
- i. The car run out of petrol on my way back.
- j. Yes, his statement runs over two pages.
- k. Penny run out of him when he lost his job.
- i. Yes, I ran into him last week in a coffee bar.

## Phrasal Verbs with Pick

Choose the most suitable definition for the phrasal verbs in the following sentences.

1. The manager is always picking on me.
  - a. The manager always criticizes me.
  - b. The manager tells me all his secrets.
  - c. The manager always chooses me when there is something important to do.
  
2. He picked out all the best fruit.
  - a. He threw all the best fruit in the bin.
  - b. He chose all the best fruit.
  - c. He gave the best fruit to other people.
  
3. She is a girl he picked up in a bar.
  - a. She's a girl he started a fight with in a bar.
  - b. She's a girl he criticised in a bar.
  - c. She's a girl he met by chance in a bar.
  
4. Business is picking up after the Christmas holiday.
  - a. Business is getting worse.
  - b. Business is continuing as normal.
  - c. Business is improving.
  
5. The car will pick you up at the hotel at 7 o'clock.
  - a. The car will collect you from the hotel.
  - b. The car will take you to the hotel.
  - c. The car will deliver something to you at the hotel.
  
6. He picked up some German when he was working in Berlin.
  - a. He met some German people.
  - b. He learnt some German without being taught.
  - c. He went to German lessons.