

Phrasal verbs – BREAK 2

break away	= become separated
break down	= fail to function
break even	= neither gain nor lose
break off	money
break through	= end st
break out of	= pass through a barrier
break into	= escape from somewhere
break up	= enter forcibly
	= end a relationship

1. After years of effort, the scientists finally _____ in their research and made a major discovery.
 - A. broke down
 - B. broke out of
 - C. broke through
 - D. broke even
2. They decided to _____ their engagement because they were constantly arguing.
 - A. break down
 - B. break off
 - C. break through
 - D. break into
3. During the robbery, the thieves _____ the bank at midnight.
 - A. broke into
 - B. broke away
 - C. broke off
 - D. broke up
4. Despite the challenges, the company managed to _____ last year with no losses or gains.
 - A. break up
 - B. break down
 - C. break even
 - D. break away
5. She had to _____ from her family to pursue her dreams in another country.
 - A. break down
 - B. break off
 - C. break away
 - D. break out of
6. Their car _____ in the middle of nowhere, and they had to call for help.
 - A. broke off
 - B. broke up
 - C. broke down
 - D. broke into
7. The police finally managed to _____ the suspects' hideout after days of searching.

A. break out of
B. break up
C. break through
D. break into

8. The prisoners planned to _____ the high-security facility.
A. break down
B. break out of
C. break away
D. break even

9. Their friendship _____ after a huge misunderstanding.
A. broke down
B. broke off
C. broke away
D. broke up

10. Negotiations between the two countries _____ after they couldn't agree on terms.
A. broke down
B. broke off
C. broke out of
D. broke through

11. The team needs to _____ all barriers if they want to succeed in this project.
A. break down
B. break through
C. break away
D. break off

12. They decided to _____ the relationship after years of being together.
A. break up
B. break through
C. break even
D. break into

13. He tried to _____ from his controlling family to live independently.
A. break into
B. break away
C. break down
D. break through

14. She managed to _____ her business to the next level with innovative ideas.
A. break out of
B. break into
C. break through
D. break away

15. The company _____ even in its first year, which is quite an achievement for a new business.
A. broke up
B. broke off
C. broke even
D. broke down

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