

## Words connected with TV and cinema

### 1 Choose the correct words.

- 1 A **viewer** / **sitcom** is supposed to be funny but this one never makes me laugh.
- 2 Sometimes a film can cost millions to make and it is still a **flop** / **satellite**.
- 3 I never leave the cinema until I have read all the **series** / **credits**.
- 4 The **screenplay** / **director** for this film was written with the help of the book's author.
- 5 My favourite TV programme is **released** / **broadcast** on Friday nights.
- 6 Everyone in the **audience** / **box office** really enjoyed the film.
- 7 What **cast** / **channel** is that music show on?
- 8 TV on **demand** / **programme** is great because you never miss an episode of a series.

## Phrasal verbs

### 2 Match the phrasal verbs to their meanings.

- 1 chill out \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 hang out \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 act out \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 come on \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 sit through \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 take up \_\_\_\_\_
- 7 turn over \_\_\_\_\_

- a) spend time doing nothing in particular
- b) use space or time
- c) relax
- d) perform
- e) stay until the end
- f) change channel
- g) start to be broadcast

### 3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the phrasal verbs from Exercise 2.

- 1 I didn't like the acting and I don't think I could \_\_\_\_\_ another episode. Sorry!
- 2 'Are you doing anything special?' 'No, I'm just \_\_\_\_\_ in front of the TV.'
- 3 My friend and I often \_\_\_\_\_ scenes from our favourite film.
- 4 Quick! \_\_\_\_\_ – there's a good film starting on Channel Six.
- 5 I haven't got a television – I find it \_\_\_\_\_ too much of my time.
- 6 At weekends, I usually just \_\_\_\_\_ with my friends at a café.
- 7 What time does the news \_\_\_\_\_? I don't want to miss the start.

## Collocations with do, have, make and take

### 4 Complete the table using the words and phrases in the box. One of the answers can go in two rows.

a difference | a good time | an effort  
part in | somebody a favour  
something to do | time off work  
your best | your time

do	nothing, _____,
have	a break, a holiday, _____,
make	_____
take	a break, a holiday, _____,

## Unit round-up

### 5 Complete the text with one word in each gap. The first letter has been given.

#### That's entertainment!

Technology is often criticised, but it has its advantages. For example, it has (1) m\_\_\_\_\_ a huge difference to home entertainment. If you have access to a television, there are so many (2) c\_\_\_\_\_ to choose from, especially when you include (3) s\_\_\_\_\_ TV and things that you can watch on (4) d\_\_\_\_\_. If all you want to do is chill out at home, you can find (5) p\_\_\_\_\_ to suit all tastes, from documentaries to music and (6) r\_\_\_\_\_ shows.

Many of us like to take a (7) b\_\_\_\_\_ from home entertainment and go out to the cinema. Audiences may have dropped in some countries, but new technology means better sound and film quality, and it can be a great chance to (8) h\_\_\_\_\_ out with friends. But why not do something unrelated to technology for a change? Just (9) t\_\_\_\_\_ part in an activity with other people puts the focus back on communication and friendship. In a recent survey, teenagers were asked, 'When did you last (10) h\_\_\_\_\_ a good time?' The majority described being with friends, talking and laughing – no technology in sight.