

Phrasal Verbs

Read the sentences on the left and match the phrasal verbs with their definitions on the right by writing the correct number in the box next to each definition.

A KEEP, HOLD, CATCH

- The government **kept back** vital information concerning the oil spill.
- Skaters were warned to **keep off** the thin ice.
- The students **kept on** working hard despite the terrible heat.
- We were told to **keep out** of the abandoned house.
- Ted, you got an A in your Biology test. **Keep up** the good work!
- Hold on!** I'll just get my jacket and we can leave.
- Despite his financial problems, he managed to **hold on to** his fortune.
- Sorry I'm late, but I was **held up** in traffic on the way here.
- Two men **held up** a supermarket last night and stole £ 2000.
- Even though he was injured during the race, he still managed to **catch up with** the other runners.

- ☐ rob
- ☐ prevent from being taken away
- ☐ maintain
- ☐ reserve, not reveal
- ☐ reach
- ☐ stay off, not approach
- ☐ continue
- ☐ delay
- ☐ wait for a short time
- ☐ not enter

B CARRY, WEAR, WORK, MOVE

- It was impossible for Alison to **carry on** working after receiving the bad news.
- Recent studies **carried out** by the government show that more and more people are relying on the state health system.
- The fans got **carried away** during the concert and climbed onto the stage.
- The tyres of my car have **worn out**. I must get new ones.
- I'm too **worn out** to go anywhere tonight.
- Scientists still haven't **worked out** what caused the death of the animals.
- Working out** on a regular basis reduces the risk of heart disease.
- I took a week off work in order to **move into** my new home.
- My landlord won't renew my contract so I have to **move out** by the end of the month.

- ☐ start living in
- ☐ continue
- ☐ find a solution, discover
- ☐ stop living in
- ☐ over-excited
- ☐ take part in physical exercise
- ☐ perform, conduct
- ☐ tired
- ☐ become thin, weak or unsuitable for further use

Words with Prepositions

A Complete the blanks with prepositions.

Adjectives	Nouns	Verbs
bad _____	a connection _____	arrive _____ a building
bound _____	a decrease _____	arrive _____ a city/country
close _____	an increase _____	depart _____ a place
different _____	a lack _____	differ _____
full _____	a reduction _____	divide sth _____ people (=give each a share of sth)
generous _____ sb		divide sth _____ sth (=separate into small parts)
inferior _____		divide a number _____ another number (Maths)
separate _____		receive sth _____ sb
superior _____		translate sth _____ one language _____
terrified _____		another