

PHRASAL VERBS

Part A: Match the preposition/adverb to its corresponding verb.

Word	--- Move:	Word	--- Move:
bring	on	sort	up
find	down	set	down
take	out	bump	into
turn	up	break	out

Part B: Match the phrasal verbs to their definition.

Word	Definition	--- Move:
bump into		create
find out		run into or see suddenly
take on		stop working
turn down		resolve/organize something
sort out		say yes/agree to something
set up		to start discussing a topic during a conversation
bring up		say no/reject
break down		learn something new

Part C: Conjugate these verbs into the simple past and past participle.

Base Form	Simple Past	Past Participle
bump into	bumped into	bumped into
find out		found out
take on		
turn down	turned down	
sort out		
set up		set up
bring up		
break down		

Part E: Separate these phrasal verbs.

<i>EXAMPLE:</i> Are you going to bring up the citizenship application during the meeting?	Are you going to bring the citizenship application up in the next meeting?
1. Are you going to turn down the job offer?	
2. I want to take on this new opportunity.	
3. Shelly is going to set up a business next week.	

Part D: Discussion Questions

1. When was the last time you _____ someone unexpectedly?
2. Have you ever _____ help from someone? Have you ever _____ a job offer?
3. Do you ever _____ too much responsibility?
4. What kind of business would you like to _____?
5. Has your car ever _____? Explain.
6. How could _____ your problems with a rude co-worker?

Part E: Look at the pictures and make sentences using phrasal verbs.

SET UP

BREAK DOWN

BUMP INTO

FIND OUT

TAKE ON

SORT OUT



