

Focus 3. Unit 3. Phrasal verbs

Phrasal verbs

1 Complete the sentences with the verbs in the box.

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set bring head keep pull

0 After driving for four hours, we decided to pull over for a rest.

1 I wasn't expecting Matt to turn up at our house on Saturday. I wish he'd called first.

2 I can set you off at the train station on my way to work.

3 My car is in poor condition, so I hope it doesn't break down during our trip.

4 My hiking companion is so fast that it's difficult to keep up with her!

5 We plan to head off on our journey at 6 a.m. on Sunday.

6 It is not easy to keep children up to be decent people when they have so many outside influences.

7 Sara wants us to pick her up at the airport when she arrives on Saturday.

8 We were surprised when Tim decided to get away from his job to travel the world.

9 When you reach 15th Avenue, turn for the big church, then turn right on Park Street.

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0 After driving for four hours, we decided to pull over for a rest.

1 We decided to head off the train at a tiny station in the countryside.

2 We were afraid the car would break down, so we stopped at a service station for repairs.

3 Janet chose to get away from her highly-paid job to become a tour guide.

4 We can pick you up for two nights, but then we'll need the spare room for my brother.

5 I'm afraid I can't keep you up at the station. Can you get a taxi instead?

6 Can you set me off at the art museum on your way to work?

7 The weather was so hot that we decided to turn for the coast, where it was cooler.

8 I dislike it when friends drop up at my door without calling first.

9 If we head off on our trip early in the morning, there won't be much traffic.

2 Choose one word, A, B or C to complete both sentences.

0 I pulled B and stopped the car so I could safely talk on the phone.
Just be patient. I'm sure the storm will be B soon.
A in B over C out

1 I hope we don't run out of money before the end of our holidays!
I'd like to try out that new type of snowboard and see how it feels.
A out B on C away

2 This sofa turns up a very comfortable bed when you fold it down.
Go up the station on the north side and I'll be waiting for you inside.
A up B down C into

3 I don't want to hold you up when you're in such a hurry.
It's difficult to put up a tent when you don't have all of the parts.
A up B out C off

4 I've seen enough of this place. Let's carry on with our tour.
Don't put your bag up the floor – someone might trip over it.
A for B up C on

5 You can't put off making a decision forever, so just make up your mind!
We should get off the train at the next station.
A off B away C up

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1 If we put up our tent too close to the water, it might flood.
Hotel prices have gone up a lot since last year. I can't find a place I can afford.
A out B up C away

2 By the time we got to London, we had almost run out of money so we got our parents to send us some.
Do you want to go out for a meal at a restaurant?
A down B on C out

3 After resting for a couple of hours, we decided to carry on with our bike tour.
If your feet hurt, we can sit on this bench for a while.
A in B on C out

4 This sofa turns up a very comfortable bed when you fold it down.
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5 I'm sorry to hold you up, but I need to send an email before we leave.
With her back injury, she had trouble picking her phone up from the floor.
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