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I've lived in a rented flat for the last six months and until recently my life has been very quiet and peaceful. But now a new couple have **moved in** next door, and they are making my life impossible. The main problem is that they have parties during the week that **go on** all night. Sometimes their Friends **turn up** at their flat at two or three in the morning and when I complain they just tell me to **go away**. My two children can't sleep because of the noise, so I don't get enough sleep either. I was doing evening classes twice a week, but I've had to **give them up** because I'm too tired to go. Now when I get home, I just **take off** my coat, **sit down** in front of the TV and fall asleep – until the party starts next door of course.

All this is making me very depressed and **fed up** and just can't **put up with** the noise any longer. I like living here and I **get on well with** all my neighbours, but those are a nightmare. I don't want to **go back** to my parents' house where we were living before, but I don't know what else to do. Do your readers have any advice for me?

- Mrs. Yvonne Chapman
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Read the letter again. Match the phrasal verbs in bold with their meanings a – j.

Start living in a new home	Like someone and be friendly to him or her.	Be standing and then sit in a chair.	tolerate	Stop doing
Leave a place	continue	Arrive at a place	Return	remove

MATCHING EXERCISE