

Phrasal Verbs with 'Get'

1. Fill the phrasal verbs with the correct prepositions.

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- A. She's not really tired. She's just trying to get _____ doing the washing up.
- B. It's hard to know what he's saying. I wonder what he's getting _____.
- C. My dad's been promising to redecorate my bedroom for ages, but he never gets _____ it. I still have teddy bear wallpaper!
- D. He just made up some sob story that he was desperately poor. Unbelievably, the police fell for it. I don't know how he gets _____ with it!
- E. The rainy weather here really gets me _____.
- F. He's getting _____ it now, though. His spots have gone and he doesn't have to stay in bed.
- G. I don't get _____ until midday.

2. Match sentences A to G with sentences 1 to 7.

1. I don't understand what my brother is talking about. ()
2. I'm really sick of the way my bedroom looks. It's been the same since I was three. ()
3. I always have a lie-in on Sunday mornings. ()
4. Matt has been away from school all week with chicken pox. He's been very ill. ()
5. I hate winter in this part of the world ... the rain, the cold, the snow. ()
6. Last week Frank got caught shoplifting. He tried to steal a pair of shoes but a couple of security guards stopped him and handed him over to the police. ()
7. Don't be taken in by Jane's little tricks. Look at her now, pretending to be asleep on the sofa. ()