

INTERMEDIATE

EXPRESSIONS WITH 'GET'

Task 1 Fill in the table with the correct definitions

1. get	
2. get together	
3. get around	
4. get at	
5. get by	
6. get in touch	
7. get on	
8. get over	
9. get rid of	
10. get tired of	

- a) go or travel to different places
- b) initiate contact, communication
- c) begin to feel better after a very upsetting experience
- d) have friendly relationships
- e) no longer want something because you are bored with it
- f) understand
- g) suggest or express something in a way that is not direct or clear
- h) throw away or destroy something you do not want anymore
- i) meet in order to spend time with each other
- j) have enough money to buy the things you need, but no more

Task 2 Complete the questions with the phrases from the previous task

1. What do you do if you don't _____ what someone is saying, you ask them to repeat it, but still don't _____ it?
2. Do you prefer to _____ with people by texting or calling them?
3. How do you recharge if you _____ of working?
4. Do you _____ well with children? Have you ever had to babysit someone?
5. How often do you _____ with your family on holidays? When did you last have a family celebration?
6. What is the best way to _____ extra weight? Have you ever been on a diet?
7. How do you prefer to _____ a new city when you travel? Do you walk or use some means of transport?
8. Are you good at understanding hints? Do you always know what people are _____ even if they don't say it directly?
9. What can help a person to _____ a difficult period in their life?
10. Which is better: work a lot and be rich or have more free time and earn just enough to _____?