

3rd Exam Preparation
Phrasal verbs and preposition

1. Choose the correct phrasal verb to complete the following sentences:

Sarah couldn't find her keys anywhere. She spent hours _____ them.

- a) looking after
- b) taking off
- c) looking for
- d) carrying on

The meeting will _____ at 3 PM, so make sure you are back by then.

- a) go up
- b) go away
- c) go on
- d) turn on

Please _____ the lights when you leave the room.

- a) go up
- b) fall out
- c) switch of
- d) take off

He always gets angry and _____ everyone at the slightest provocation.

- a) goes on
- b) puts off
- c) falls out
- d) looks after

The plane will _____ in fifteen minutes, so please proceed to the gate.

- a) go up
- b) take off
- c) put off
- d) get off

After a long day at work, all I want to do is _____ and relax.

- a) put on
- b) go away
- c) fall out

d) lie down

The children are too young to be left alone. Please make sure someone is there to _____ them.

a) go on

b) put off

c) look after

d) carry on

The party was so much fun; it just kept _____ all night.

a) looking for

b) falling out

c) going on

d) turning on

I need to _____ this trip until next month because of my work commitments.

a) take off

b) put on

c) look after

d) put off

Please _____ your shoes before entering the house.

a) get off

b) turn on

c) switch off

d) put off

2. Replace the highlighted words from the sentences with the correct phrasal verb

1. I couldn't find my phone anywhere. I spent hours **[searching for]** it.

2. The sun will gradually disappear as it begins to **[disappear]**.

3. Please make sure to **[power off]** all the lights before leaving the room.

4. The argument between them was so severe that they eventually **[quarreled]**.
5. The plane is scheduled to **[depart]** in fifteen minutes.
6. After a tiring day, I just want to **[rest]** and relax.
7. Could you please **[care for]** my cat while I'm away this weekend?
8. The party was so enjoyable that it just kept **[continuing]** all night.
9. I have to **[postpone]** our meeting until next week due to a scheduling conflict.
10. Remember to **[wear]** your seatbelt before the car starts moving.

3. Complete the sentences with the correct phrasal verb

take off, put on, switch off, turn on, fall out, get off, look for, lie down, go on, carry on, go up, put off, look after, go away, put out (fire)

1. The fire department arrived quickly and managed to ____ the fire before it spread to other houses.
2. Please ____ the air conditioning; it's getting hot in here.
3. We need to ____ with the project despite the challenges we're facing.
4. The children are too young to be left alone. Please make sure someone is there to ____ them.
5. The party was so much fun; it just kept ____ all night.
6. I have to ____ my shoes before entering the house.
7. The argument between them was so severe that they eventually ____.
8. I couldn't find my keys anywhere. I spent hours ____ them.

9. The sun will gradually disappear as it begins to ____
10. The firefighters are trying to ____ the forest fire before it spreads further.
11. Please ____the lights when you leave the room.
12. The plane is scheduled to ____in fifteen minutes.
13. After a tiring day, I just want to ____and relax.
14. I have to ____our meeting until next week due to a scheduling conflict.
15. Remember to ____your seatbelt before the car starts moving.

4. Match the words with the definitions

1. Put off	a) To be responsible for the well-being of someone or something
2. Turn on	b) To ignite a fire or to extinguish it
3. Look after	c) To end a relationship or a gathering
4. Take off	d) To continue doing something
5. Go away	e) To have a strong interest in something
6. Carry on	f) To remove clothing or accessories
7. Fall out	g) To stop the operation of something
8. Put out	h) To have an argument or disagreement with someone
9. Switch off	i) To search for information in a book or database
10. Lie down	j) To leave a place
11. Go out	k) To recline or rest horizontally
12. Put up with	l) To activate or start the operation of something
13. Be keen on	m) To postpone or delay something
14. Break up	n) To tolerate or endure a difficult situation or person
15. Let someone down	o) To fail to meet someone's expectations or obligations
16. Look something up	