

3 VOCABULARY *get*

- a Match the **bold** phrases to the meaning of *get*. Write a, b, c, or d.

a buy / obtain b receive c become d arrive

- 1 When did you **get married**? c
- 2 Jack had an interview and he **got the job**. ____
- 3 It's going to **get colder** next week. ____
- 4 I **get very nervous** when I have to speak in front of a lot of people. ____
- 5 It's a really great book. I'm sure it'll **get a prize**. ____
- 6 Sorry to hear you're ill. I hope you **get better** soon. ____
- 7 Do you think we'll **get to the airport** on time? ____
- 8 When you go to the shop, could you **get a newspaper**? ____
- 9 I **got an email** from an old school friend yesterday. ____
- 10 It was almost 3.00 in the morning when we **got home** from the party. ____

- b Complete the sentences with the correct form of *get* and a word from the list.

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- 1 Her parents aren't happy together, so they're going to get divorced.
- 2 I don't feel like _____ today. I'm going to stay in bed.
- 3 Our satnav wasn't working and we _____ on the way to our friends' house.
- 4 I've started going to the gym because I want to _____.
- 5 The pain in my neck was _____, so I went to the doctor.
- 6 This morning I _____ for the concert online. They're very good ones at the front!
- 7 How well do you _____ with your brothers and sisters?
- 8 I _____ a _____ from my boyfriend saying he's going to be late.
- 9 Do you always have a coffee as soon as you _____?
- 10 Lucy's in her bedroom. She's _____ for the party.

- c Read Dana's problems. Then make sentences with *should* and the phrases in the list.

get fit get a new job get up earlier
get better get the bus not get stressed

- 1 'I spend too much on going out and new clothes.'
- 2 'I'm bored at work.'
- 3 'I never have enough time for breakfast.'
- 4 'It's difficult for me to relax.'
- 5 'I get tired very quickly when I play tennis.'
- 6 'It takes me an hour to walk to work.'

- 1 She should get better at saving money.
- 2 She _____.
- 3 _____.
- 4 _____.
- 5 _____.
- 6 _____.



- d Write three things you think you should do to make your life better.

- 1 I think I should _____.
- 2 I think _____.
- 3 I _____.