

Phrasal verbs – PUT 2

put away	put down	put on
put back	put in	put through
put by	put up with	

Exercise 1: Choose the correct phrasal verb to complete each sentence.

1. After dinner, the children were asked to _____ their toys in the cupboard.
A) put back
B) put away
C) put down
D) put on
2. He decided to _____ his old books on the shelf after cleaning them.
A) put back
B) put away
C) put by
D) put through
3. They had to _____ the noise from the ongoing construction every day.
A) put in
B) put away
C) put up with
D) put back
4. She has been _____ a small amount of money every month to save for her vacation.
A) put down
B) put by
C) put in
D) put on
5. The operator accidentally _____ me to the wrong department.
A) put back
B) put through
C) put away
D) put in
6. After finishing the novel, he _____ it carefully on the desk.
A) put away
B) put back
C) put down
D) put on
7. I need to _____ extra hours at work this week to finish the project.
A) put in
B) put away
C) put down
D) put on
8. Before heading out, she _____ her warm jacket because it was cold outside.
A) put on
B) put through
C) put down
D) put up with
9. Could you _____ the ladder after using it to fix the roof?
A) put back

- B) put in
- C) put away
- D) put up

10. The family generously _____ us during our visit to their town.

- A) put through
- B) put down
- C) put up
- D) put away

Exercise 2: Complete the sentences with the correct phrasal verb: *put away, put back, put by, put down, put in, put up with, put on, put through*.

1. Don't forget to _____ your clothes neatly after folding them.
2. The teacher asked the students to _____ their phones before the test began.
3. He always tries to _____ money every month for unexpected expenses.
4. She _____ a lot of hard work to prepare for the upcoming conference.
5. After answering the call, he _____ the phone on the table.
6. It's incredible how much she can _____ without complaining.
7. Could you _____ these decorations after the party?
8. Before starting the hike, we all _____ sunscreen to protect our skin.
9. The receptionist _____ me to the manager's office.
10. When they arrived, the hotel staff kindly _____ their luggage in the storage room.

Exercise 3: Read the text below and answer the questions.

Last weekend, James spent the day tidying up his house. He started by organizing the living room, where he had to put away stacks of magazines that had piled up on the coffee table. After that, he put back the books he had borrowed from the library. While cleaning the attic, James found an old piggy bank he used as a child, which reminded him of the importance of putting by money for future needs. Later, his neighbor called him for help, and he had to put in a couple of hours fixing their broken door handle. When James finally returned home, he put down his tools and decided to relax. However, he had to put up with some loud music coming from the party next door. Exhausted, James turned on the TV, put on his favorite movie, and fell asleep halfway through.

Questions

1. What did James do first in the living room?
2. Where did James put the books after he finished with them?
3. What did the piggy bank remind James of?
4. How much time did James spend helping his neighbor?
5. What noise did James have to tolerate after returning home?
6. What did James do after putting down his tools?
7. How did James try to relax after cleaning the house?
8. What did James do with his favorite movie?
9. Where was the piggy bank found?
10. Why do you think James fell asleep during the movie?