

**get on my case”**  
(scold / remind  
strongly)

A public expression of  
appreciation or  
acknowledgment.

**“break the  
news to  
someone”**

You shouldn't automatically  
believe that people will always  
be available or present in your  
life

**“shout out”**

value the good things in your  
life—especially the simple  
things you might usually  
ignore.

**You can't always  
assume  
someone's going  
to be there.**

To criticize someone  
repeatedly or complain  
about what they do

**“appreciate  
stuff”**

To tell someone important  
or usually difficult  
information

-get on my case

- can't always assume

- broke the news

- shout out

- appreciate stuff

1.- My sister always \_\_\_\_\_ me when I forget to call her back.

2.- You \_\_\_\_\_ that people will be there tomorrow, so you should call them today.

3.- When her cousin \_\_\_\_\_ about the accident, she didn't know how to react.

4.- Before we start the meeting, I want to give a quick \_\_\_\_\_ to my team for their  
hard  
work.

5.- After that difficult week, he started to \_\_\_\_\_ the little things in life.