

1. Match the words:

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| 1. Put off | a) leave/begin a journey |
| 2. Laugh off | b) make a joke of |
| 3. Make off | c) Cancel |
| 4. Fend off | d) Resist/ protect yourself from sth |
| 5. Cut off | e) Remove |
| 6. Set off | f) Feel lonely/isolated |
| 7. Call off | g) Steal and hurry away |
| 8. Cross off | h) Postpone |
| 9. Warn off | j) Make sth become less strong |
| 10. Ease off | k) Tell sb to leave |

2. Match the words:

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| 1. Shelf life | a) the best time in life |
| 2. New lease of life | b) be lucky and safe |
| 3. live a charmed life | c) bring ideas to sth |
| 4. Every walk of life | d) every status and occupation |
| 5. Milestones in life | e) duration that sth can be used |
| 6. Prime of life | f) very important event |
| 7. Breathe life into | g) chance to live longer/ with better quality |

3. all the time, ahead of time, behind the time, in next to no time, in the nick of time

1. We arrived at the station _____ — the train was just about to leave!
2. He's _____ with fashion; he still uses an old mobile phone from 2005.
3. I'm never alone. My siblings are with me _____.
4. We completed the task _____ so we had time to relax.
5. Don't worry, I'll be back _____.

4. Choose the correct word:

1. The disabled and elderly populations are the most *vulnerable/ adolescent/self-reliant*.
2. The girl tried to wear make-up so that she looked *infantile/ mature /set in her way* enough.
3. She criticized his *long in the tooth /juvenile/supportive* behavior at the party.
4. She couldn't find a job as she was *wise/ experienced/ over the hill*.
5. Although she is young, she is very *independent/ dependent/ inexperienced*.