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PHRASAL VERBS



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List of Phrasal Verbs

1. ask for
2. back up
3. blow up
4. blow out
5. break away
6. break out
7. break through
8. break in
9. break up
10. break down
11. break into
12. break off
13. bring about
14. bring out
15. bring up
16. call off
17. call by
18. call on / upon
19. call for
20. call in
21. call out
22. care for
23. carry on (with)
24. carry out
25. catch up (with)
26. catch on
27. check out
28. check in
29. cheer up
30. clear up
31. come across
32. come about
33. come before
34. come along
35. come around / round
36. come at
37. come into
38. come off
39. come out
40. come to
41. come up with
42. come upon
43. come by
44. come down with
45. come down to
46. count on
47. cover up
48. cross out
49. cut down (on)
50. do without
51. do away with
52. doze off
53. draw up
54. draw back
55. dress up
56. drop in
57. drop out
58. drop off
59. fall back upon / on
60. fall off

19. **call for** *gerektirmek = require*

- The murder cases **call for** attentive judgment from the jury as they are highly emotional.

rica etmek, istemek
= publicly ask for,
demand

- The president is **calling for** calm in the present economic crisis.

20. **call in (on)** *ziyaret etmek = pay a short visit*

- I thought we could **call in** Lisa on our way home.

yardıma çağırarak = ask for help, consult

- The landlord have **called in** the police to investigate the burglary.

21. **call out** *bağırarak, seslenmek = shout*

- He said he tried to **call out** through the window, but I didn't hear anything.

devreye sokmak, göreve çağırarak = call in, summon into service

- The government officials were **called out** to deal with the matter.

22. **care for** *bakmak, ilgilenmek = look after*

- Mike doesn't **care for** his pets well.
- The patient is well **cared for** in the hospital.

23. **carry on (with)** *devam etmek = continue doing*

- Although they were tired, they **carried on** walking.
- I would like to **carry on with** my education here as this is the best school I can get into.

24. **carry out** *yapmak, uygulamak = perform*

- Mike is **carrying out** research on noise pollution.
- They're in Romania **carrying out** research for their book.

25. **catch up (with)** *yetişmek, yakalamak = approach*

- Although I left earlier, he soon **caught me up**.

aynı seviyeye gelmek = reach the same standard and level

- It is hard for him to **catch up with** the others at school.

EXERCISES

1. Complete each sentence with one of the phrasal verbs below.

come out	come down with	come up with	come across
come into	count on	do without	come before

- My brother, sister and I had to _____ a lot of things that the others kids had in the past.
- Anger arises whenever we _____ some difficult and unfavourable circumstances.
- Every year from October to May, billions of people across the globe _____ flu.
- Including his family, nothing in this world will ever _____ Jason's work and career.
- Scientists have _____ a solution to reduce the number of lions shot by farmers in Africa.
- We always want someone whom we can trust and can always _____ in times of need.
- Though not purely nocturnal, these bed bugs tend to _____ in the dark and bite humans.
- Those who suddenly _____ a fortune may lack the financial knowledge needed to manage their newfound resources.

2. Complete each sentence with one of the phrasal verbs below.

clear up	check out	cheer up	cross out
catch on	come about	come by	come upon

- Prepare a shopping list and take a pen with you to _____ the items you've purchased.
- While adding showers to small bathrooms, there are various options that you can _____ to find the best one for your taste.
- Bruises _____ when blood vessels present under the skin rupture, usually due to trauma.
- Telling some funny jokes is probably the best way to _____ someone.
- While travelling through the tropical forests of South America, you can _____ different species of animals.
- Instagram is indeed a rather interesting app, and it isn't surprising how it has managed to _____ with teens.
- Steam will help _____ the nasal passages, and provide significant relief from a headache.
- Genuine leather is not only expensive, but also very hard to _____ these days.

3. Choose the correct phrasal verb in each sentence.

1. One in four billionaires **dropped out / dozed off** of university or didn't receive any higher education at all.
2. Maybe this year you should **draw back / dress up** as your favourite cartoon character for Halloween.
3. An infestation of termites must be **done away with / got on with** as soon as possible to stop further damage.
4. A busy lifestyle and misunderstandings can make some marriages **fall through / fall apart**.
5. The German comedian found it hard to **get across / drop off** her jokes to the Russian audience.
6. The archaeologists **found out / fell upon** that the excavated stone tools are between 118,000 and 194,000-year old.
7. The two siblings **got at / fell out** with each other over an inheritance during the post-war years.
8. Please try not to **fall behind / fall to** with your payments as the consequences can be terrible.

4. Complete each sentence using the correct prepositions.

on

upon

off

out

in

behind

1. The number of people suffering from the disease has fallen _____ markedly in recent years.
2. China was an advanced culture in the past but later, it fell _____ technologically.
3. Some students tend to drop _____ of college as their courses get more difficult.
4. The soldiers fell _____ the enemy with anger and took half of them captive, killing the rest.
5. Nicholas will fill _____ for the general manager while she is on maternity leave.
6. Studies show that getting _____ with your colleagues is crucial to your job satisfaction.

5. Complete each sentence using the correct verbs.

go (x2)

give

get (x3)

1. Birds _____ **through** moulting when they are ill, stressed, experiencing hormonal changes.
2. We want to arrange a competition and _____ **out** some special prizes to the winners.
3. A high school diploma is necessary for one to _____ **into** a college he has chosen.
4. Companies are updated with what's new on the market as they don't want to _____ **behind** with their competitors.
5. I like to sit and watch people _____ **by**, imagine their lives and create stories in my mind.
6. Cherry juice leaves visible stubborn marks which are really hard to _____ **off**.

6. Choose the synonyms of the phrasal verbs.

1. **get over**

- A) recover B) continue C) support D) oppose

2. **give up**

- A) like B) chase C) quit D) avoid

3. **get to**

- A) donate B) reveal C) explode D) arrive

4. **go ahead**

- A) manage B) proceed C) announce D) survive

TESTS



1. The yacht ---- a distress signal which was picked up by a passing steamer even so it couldn't do anything to save it.

- A) turned down
- B) let off
- C) sent out
- D) put on
- E) broke away

4. The teacher had to ---- the whole lesson again because nobody had been listening.

- A) go over
- B) break out
- C) pay off
- D) run after
- E) bring about

2. I was relieved to see that the police let my father go after they had ---- his statement.

- A) turned back
- B) run down
- C) watched out
- D) taken down
- E) set out

5. He's ---- all the documents and they seem okay, but he'll need more time to study them.

- A) looked over
- B) tried on
- C) dropped in
- D) come by
- E) turned into

3. He made her reveal everything, using his charm to ---- the information he wanted.

- A) give in
- B) get at
- C) put aside
- D) lay off
- E) look out

6. When I was a student I used to be able to ---- on 5 TL a day. Those were hard days for me as my father was ill and couldn't work.

- A) fall behind
- B) get by
- C) show off
- D) call for
- E) pull down

ANSWER KEY

