

Phrasal Verbs : Assorted

Many idioms consist of common one-syllable verbs plus prepositions. These are called **Phrasal Verbs**.

keep on* continue

keep off* refrain from going on

look after* take care of

look up search for information

make out understand

make up* become reconciled

pass out* distribute
faint

pick out select

pick up come to get

put off postpone

put on don (clothes)

put out extinguish

run across* meet or find by chance

(also come across)

run over* (get) hit by a car

take after* resemble

take over assume control

take up consider, discuss

take off remove (clothes)

turn down reject

turn off stop some kind of power

turn on start some kind of power

turn up* appear

* the verb-preposition combination is non-separable.

Use the appropriate PHRASAL VERB and make any other necessary changes.

1. How can you _____ the promotion _____ ! It would have been a great career move.
2. Can you _____ his handwriting? Is it a “3” or an “8”?
3. She felt dizzy and _____ after hearing the terrible news.
4. _____ only one article from the ones on display as I can only afford one.
5. Do not _____ what you can do today as it can't wait until next week.
6. I _____ an old friend from high school on the street last Thursday.
7. He almost got _____ by that car because he didn't look before crossing the street.
8. Please _____ those wet clothes _____ before you catch a cold.
9. A stray cat _____ in my back yard and I took him in.
10. They _____ after not speaking to each other for two days.
11. Who is _____ the children when their parents are away?
12. _____ the lights once you leave the room.
13. As she gets older, she _____ her father more and more.
14. The firemen _____ the fire; luckily no one was hurt.
15. At what time will you _____ me _____ this afternoon?
16. Bob and Janet _____ yet. They still aren't talking to each other after 3 days.
17. How long will the employees _____ picketing in front of the restaurant?
18. _____ the phone number _____ in the yellow pages.
19. The disc jockey at the radio station _____ the tickets to the lucky winners.
20. _____ the radio as I want to listen to the news.
21. The bank _____ the building after the owner couldn't pay the mortgage anymore.
22. Let's _____ it _____ with the lawyers after we list the problems in the contract.