

# English Phrasal Verbs in Use Quiz

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*What do these phrasal verbs mean? Choose the correct option.*

- 1) Our father was very good at **making up** stories for us children.
  - a telling
  - b inventing
  - c reading
  - d remembering
  
- 2) I can **put you up** at my flat if you like.
  - a give you somewhere to sleep
  - b give you a lift home in my car
  - c give you a meal
  - d give you some work to do
  
- 3) Sandra is always **picking on** me these days.
  - a asking me to do things
  - b helping me
  - c criticising me
  - d playing games with me
  
- 4) I'll **get round to** writing the report soon.
  - a I'll find time to write the report soon.
  - b I'll finish writing the report soon.
  - c I'll persuade someone else to write the report soon.
  - d I'll go to the office and write the report soon.
  
- 5) I've been **snowed under** at work recently.
  - a It's been very busy at my work.
  - b The weather has been very bad.
  - c It's been very cold in the office.
  - d My boss has been causing problems.

Complete these phrasal verbs. Choose the correct option.

- 6) My sister has recently taken ..... yoga as a hobby.  
a on  
b over  
c in  
d up
- 7) Nadira and I are best friends; we've always ..... on very well together.  
a gone  
b got  
c done  
d took
- 8) Mum will leave us a meal to ..... up when we get home.  
a heat  
b hot  
c make  
d work
- 9) Things are difficult for you now but I'm sure everything will ..... out OK in the end.  
a break  
b pull  
c turn  
d stand
- 10) The writer puts ..... some very interesting ideas in this article.  
a away  
b on  
c up  
d forward

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### Answer key

- 1) b
- 2) a
- 3) c
- 4) a
- 5) a
- 6) d
- 7) b
- 8) a
- 9) c
- 10) d