WORKSHEET

Phrasal Verb Examples

1. break down, check in, tear up

When we use phrasal verbs, we use them like normal verbs in a sentence, regardless if it's a regular or irregular verb.

- 1. Ella **tore up** the letter after she read it.
- 2. Their car broke down two miles out of town.

3. Did the manager **deal with** that customer's complaint. **More phrasal verb examples:**

- 1. Be sure to **put on** a life jacket before getting into the boat.
- 2. We **left out** the trash for pickup.
- 3. It's time to **get on** the plane.
- 4. What will she **think up** next?
- 5. I'm having some trouble **working out** the solution to this equation.
- 6. We're going to have to **put off** our vacation until next year.
- 7. **Stand up** when speaking in class, please.
- 8. We'll have to **wake up** early if we want breakfast.
- 9. Take off your shoes before you walk on the carpet.
- 10. My dog likes to **break out** of his kennel to chase squirrels.

Phrasal Verb Exercises

Choose the correct phrasal verb from the parenthesis at the end of the sentence.

- Someone <u>broke into</u> my car last night and stole the stereo. (broke down/broke into)
- 2. Will you be able to get by this month with the little you have?(get off / get by)
- His father always taught him not to _____ those people with less. (look up to / look down on)
- 2. Stop complaining and _____ your work! (get on with / get over)
- The boss wants you to _____ your figures for this month to him. (hand out / hand in)

- 4. We're going to have to _____ our trip to Spain until September. (put up/ put off)
- 5. I _____ Amir today at the supermarket. It was great to see him. (ran out of / ran into)
- I'm so tired of Sophie _____ her engagement ring all the time. (showing off, showing up)
- 7. The police would not ______ to the kidnapper's demands. (give up/ give in)
- 8. I thought I would ______ for a cup of coffee. Is that okay? (drop off/ drop in)
- Have you ever _____ such an unusual piece of art? (come forward/come across)
- 10. It's important to _____ on time. (show up / show off)
- 11. _____ your feet when walking; you don't want to trip! (uplift / lift up)
- 12. The tree was _____ by the wind. (blown up / blown over)
- 13. He _____ his hat to show me his new haircut. (took off / took up)
- 14. I just can't seem to _____ this book. (get off / get into) Answers: