

Phrasal Verbs Practice | Lesson 20

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Example Dialogues

Sean : I'm leaving for Budapest tomorrow morning. Will you come see me off?

Maria : Of course! What time?

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Mia : I'm so tired! I wish I could get away to the Bahamas just for one week.

Sophie : Me too! It's probably a paradise. But we have to put our holiday off until next summer!

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Chloe : Guess what I found when I went over to grandma's house yesterday.

Liam : I don't know. What?

Chloe : I came across our mom's wedding pictures! I had never seen them before.



Try to figure out the meaning of these phrasal verbs.

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Example Passage

Recently, Hannah came across a travel agency in her neighborhood. She read their brochure and really liked their packaged tour to Sweden. Hannah wanted to get away for some time, but her last vacation had been put off because of a relative's visit. Now Hannah decided to go to Sweden by herself. Hannah has a cat, so before leaving she went over to her friend to leave him the cat. Hannah is very excited to see Stockholm and try Swedish cuisine. Although nobody is seeing Hannah off at the airport, she doesn't feel sad at all.



Again, try to figure out the meaning of these phrasal verbs.

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 Definitions**get away** | go somewhere (usually for holiday)*I want to **get away**, at least for one day.***see ... off** | go to a place that someone is leaving from, and say goodbye*I'll **see** you **off** at the airport.***come across** | to find something unexpectedly*The woman **came across** a valuable pendant in an antiques shop.***go over** | visit someone nearby*I'll **go over** to our neighbors' house to borrow some sugar.***put ... off****put off ...** | postpone; change the time for later*We wanted to hold a meeting today, but it will be **put off** until next week.**She **put** the wedding **off** by a month for unknown reasons!**Make sure to understand the meaning of these phrasal verbs.***get away | see off | come across | go over | put off**

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**Practice**

Answer using the correct **phrasal verbs** (in a correct form) to complete the sentences.

- 1 | They had to _____ the picnic because of the bad weather.
- 2 | When children go on trips, some parents will go _____ them _____.
- 3 | The collector _____ the painting at the flea market.
- 4 | Max _____ to his friend's house to play some video games.
- 5 | Candy would like to _____ to Cyprus this summer.
- 6 | I keep _____ this task _____; I really ought to finish it.
- 7 | We don't have salt. I guess I'll _____ to the neighbors and ask them.
- 8 | I _____ this recipe in a magazine a long time ago.
- 9 | Unless he _____, he'll go crazy from all this pressure at work.
- 10 | Sorry I won't be able to _____ you _____ at the pier.

**APPLICATION:**

Create your own sentences using these phrasal verbs.

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 **Exercise**

Answer using the correct **phrasal verbs** (in a correct form) to complete the dialogue.

(Carmen has come to say goodbye to Ron.)

Ron : Carmen? Hey! You came to ___ me _____. How sweet of you.

Carmen : Oh, it's no big deal. I'll miss you. I wish I could _____ with you!

Ron : Sorry, I couldn't _____ this holiday, so we couldn't go together.

Carmen : It's okay!

Ron : I promise I'll _____ to your house and bring souvenirs once I come back.

Carmen : That would be nice.

Ron : Would you like something specific?

Carmen : If you _____ jewelry...

Ron : Local jewelry? Okay, no problem. I'll pick the prettiest pieces for you!

Carmen : Haha! Thanks, Ron! Have a safe trip.

 **APPLICATION:**

Create your own dialogue using these phrasal verbs with your teacher.

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