B2 - Phrasal Verbs (Common).



PHRASAL VERBS

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1. Match the Phrasal Verbs

1. give up	a. search for
2. find out	b. discover
3. look after	c. refuse
4. pick up	d. stop trying
5. turn down	e. collect
6. look for	f. take care of

👀 Quick Reminder 💬

A phrasal verb = verb + particle

find out = discover

give up = stop trying

look after = take care of

pick up = collect

turn down = refuse

The meaning is often different from the main verb alone.

2. Complete the Sentences

Use the phrasal verbs from Activity 1.

1. Can you _____ my dog this weekend?
2. I need to _____ my keys. I can't find them.
3. She _____ the job because the salary was too low.
4. Don't _____! Keep trying.
5. I'll _____ you _____ at 7 p.m.
6. I just _____ that the meeting was cancelled.

3. Which Meaning?

Choose the correct meaning.

1. "I gave up smoking."
   a. I started smoking.
   b. I stopped smoking.

2. "Can you look after my children?"
   a. Can you take care of them?
   b. Can you look at them?

3. "I'll pick you up at eight."
   a. I'll collect you.
   b. I'll call you.

4. "He turned down the offer."
   a. He accepted it.
   b. He refused it.

4. Use It

Choose **two** phrasal verbs from the lesson.

Write a sentence with each.

1. _____
2. _____

Challenge: Write one sentence that uses a phrasal verb naturally in conversation.

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ANSWER KEY

1. Match the Phrasal Verbs

1–d | 2–b | 3–f | 4–e | 5–c | 6–a

2. Complete the Sentences

1. look after
2. look for
3. turned down
4. give up
5. pick / up
6. found out

3. Which Meaning?

1–b | 2–a | 3–a | 4–b

4. Answers will vary.

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