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Multiple Choice Questions on Phrasal verbs:

1. What is a phrasal verb?
 - a. A single word
 - b. A verb combined with a preposition or an adverb
 - c. A noun phrase
 - d. An idiom

Ans: b. A verb combined with a preposition or an adverb.

2. What does the phrasal verb "run away" mean?
 - a. To jog slowly
 - b. To escape from a place
 - c. To pursue someone
 - d. To stay behind

Ans: b. To escape from a place

3. Which of the following sentences uses "run away" correctly?
 - a. He decided to run away from home.
 - b. They run away from their work yesterday.
 - c. She runs away her fears by facing them.
 - d. We will run away the project soon.

Ans: a. He decided to run away from home.

Explanation : "run away" means to leave a place suddenly, The sentence clearly conveys that he intends to leave home for that reason.

4. Which of the following sentences uses "look up to" correctly?
 - a. She looks up to her parents for guidance.
 - b. They look up to finish the project.
 - c. He looked up to the sky for answers.
 - d. We look up the meaning of the word.

Ans: a. She looks up to her parents for guidance.

Explanation : "look up to" means to admire or respect someone. The sentence indicates that she holds her parents in high regard and seeks their guidance.



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5. What does the phrasal verb "break down" mean?

- To stop functioning
- To build something
- To take apart
- To ignore

Ans: a. To stop functioning

6. Which of the following sentences uses "break down" correctly?

- The car broke down on the highway.
- She decided to break down her schedule.
- They break down for lunch every day.
- He broke down the wall last summer.

Ans: a. The car broke down on the highway.

Explanation: Break down" means to stop functioning, especially in machinery or vehicles. The first sentence uses it correctly, as the car stopped working.

7. What does the phrasal verb "break up" mean?

- To form a partnership
- To end a relationship
- To make something whole
- To interrupt a conversation

Ans: b. To end a relationship

8. What does the phrasal verb "call out" generally mean?

- To speak loudly
- To summon someone
- To cancel an event
- To ask a question

Ans: a. To speak loudly



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9. During the concert, the fans began to _____ the band's name.
- call up
 - call in
 - call out
 - call for

Ans: c. call out

Explanation: "call out" means to shout or express loudly. The sentence indicates that fans are expressing their excitement by loudly saying the band's name.

10. I will _____ to your house later.
- call in
 - call back
 - call round
 - call out

Ans: c. call round

Explanation: Call round means to visit someone's house.

11. If you want to succeed, you need to _____ the time and energy required.
- put on
 - put up
 - put in
 - put off

Ans: c. put in

Explanation: Put in refers to the effort

12. He will _____ in five minutes.
- call back
 - call off
 - call up
 - call for

Ans: a. call back

Explanation: Call back means to return a phone call.

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13. The recipe _____ a pinch of salt to enhance the flavor.

- a. calls back
- b. calls for
- c. calls up
- d. calls off

Ans: b. calls for

Explanation: Calls for means to require or demand

14. The scientist _____ a new theory to explain the phenomenon.

- a. put down
- b. put forth
- c. put in
- d. put up

Ans: b. put forth

Explanation: Put forth means to present or propose an idea.

15. What does the phrasal verb "call off" mean?

- a. To cancel something
- b. To invite someone
- c. To start a meeting
- d. To shout at someone

Ans: a. To cancel something

Explanation: Call off means to cancel something.

16. He will _____ them to see what he still wants.

- a. pick in
- b. pick over
- c. pick through
- d. pick off

Ans: c. pick through

Explanation: Search for something that is disordered.



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17. What does the phrasal verb "get over" mean?

- a. To recover from something
- b. To cross over an obstacle
- c. To start a new project
- d. To meet someone

Ans: a. To recover from something

18. It took him a while to ____ the flu, but he's feeling better now.

- a. get over
- b. get up
- c. get in
- d. get off

Ans: a. get over

Explanation: Get over means to recover

19. What does the phrasal verb "get up" mean?

- a. To stand up from a sitting position.
- b. To dress in formal clothing
- c. To become excited
- d. To move quickly

Ans: a. To stand up from a sitting position

20. Every Saturday, I like to ____ a bit later than usual.

- a. get down
- b. get off
- c. get up
- d. get in

Ans: c. get up

Explanation: Get up means to arise from a sitting or lying position.



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21. Make sure to ____ your shoes before entering the house.

- a. get off
- b. get over
- c. get in
- d. get around

Ans: a. get off

Explanation: Get off means to leave a place

22. I've _____ time to finish the project..

- a. run up
- b. run through
- c. run off
- d. run out of

Ans: d. run out of

Explanation: "run out of" means to have no more milk left

23. After climbing, make sure to ____ carefully.

- a. get off
- b. get in
- c. get down
- d. get up

Ans: c. get down

Explanation: Get down means to bring or come down.

24. We had to _____ because of the heavy rain.

- a. turn off
- b. turn in
- c. turn down
- d. turn back

Ans: d. turn back

Explanation: "turn back" means to return to a previous location



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25. If you can, try to ____ from the noise and relax.

- a. get off
- b. get over
- c. get away
- d. get down

Ans: c. get away

Explanation: "get away" means to escape or distance oneself from something

26. The battery will _____ for hours if it's fully charged.

- a. run out
- b. run off
- c. run in
- d. run on

Ans: d. run on

Explanation: "run on" means to powered by any vehicle

27. What does the phrasal verb "give and take" mean?

- a. To argue until a decision is made
- b. To reach a compromise
- c. To refuse to change one's position
- d. To walk away from a discussion

Ans: b. To reach a compromise

Explanation : "Give and take" refers to a situation where the idea of mutual cooperation and compromise.

28. There is a lot of _____ in a team.

- a. give in
- b. give away
- c. give and take
- d. give off

Ans: c. give and take

Explanation : "Give and take" refers to a situation where the idea of mutual cooperation and compromise.

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29. Which of the following phrases is synonymous with "give up"?

- a. Carry on
- b. Quit
- c. Take on
- d. Hold on

Ans: b. Quit

30. Which sentence uses "give up" incorrectly?

- a. She doesn't want to give up.
- b. He gave up his keys on the table.
- c. They will not give up on their team.
- d. I will never give up on my dreams.

Ans: b. He gave up his keys on the table.

Explanation : In option B, "give up" is used incorrectly because it means to stop trying. It should say "He left his keys on the table" instead.

31. The teacher will _____ the exam papers.

- a. give in
- b. give up
- c. give away
- d. give out

Ans: d. give out

Explanation : "give out" means to distribute

32. What does the phrasal verb "give back" mean?

- a. To return
- b. To donate money
- c. To refuse
- d. To keep

Ans: a. To return



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33. She has to _____ her garden every weekend.

- a. look into
- b. look after
- c. look out
- d. look for

Ans: b. look after

Explanation: Look after means to take care of.

34. What does the phrasal verb "look into" mean?

- a. To search for something
- b. To examine
- c. To avoid a topic
- d. To look at something casually

Ans: b. To examine

35. Please _____ the room to see if you left your book.

- a. look into
- b. look out
- c. look around
- d. look up

Ans: c. look around

Explanation: Look around means to examine.

36. He told me to _____ the report before submitting.

- a. look into
- b. look at
- c. look up
- d. look around

Ans: b. look at

Explanation: Look at means to read something quickly.



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54. He can _____ a song in just a few minutes.

- a. make up
- b. make after
- c. make out
- d. make for

Ans: a. make up

Explanation: Make up means to create something.

55. What does the phrasal verb "look up to" mean?

- a. To admire or respect someone
- b. To search for information
- c. To decrease in value
- d. To avoid someone

Ans: a. To admire or respect someone