

# Phrasal Verbs / Idioms

<b>At home:</b>	Today, children feel at home while using computer
<b>At hand:</b>	Products are at hand in the large shopping centers.
<b>Alive to:</b>	Pakistan army remains alive to meet any situation.
<b>Account for:</b>	I can understand the point, but cannot account for it
<b>Bestow on:</b>	The university has decided to bestow him an honorary degree of doctorate
<b>Break out:</b>	Cholera broke out in the flood hit areas due to dirt.
<b>Be on Lookout:</b>	Parties were on lookout for the lost child
<b>By no means:</b>	He is suitable for this seat by no means.
<b>Be the last word:</b>	The new model of the car is the last word in the market.
<b>Chuck one's weight about:</b>	Wise officers do not chuck their weight about.
<b>Cope with:</b>	Brave people cope with situation of all kinds.
<b>Devoured by fear:</b>	He was devoured by fears on his way back home
<b>Depend on:</b>	China depends on its domestic resource.
<b>Down on:</b>	It downed on him suddenly that there was the rope which he needed to reach water in the well.
<b>Few and far between:</b>	He visits me few and far between.
<b>For good:</b>	He had left playing hockey for good.
<b>Get something into bones: (Deeply)</b>	I got English lesson into my bones.
<b>Get rid of:</b>	One should get rid of old books as soon as possible.
<b>Go through:</b>	Go through the book as quickly and return me back.
<b>Give way to:</b>	He gave way in front of the opponents
<b>Get on in years:</b>	One feels sleepy while getting on in years.
<b>Hitch-Hiking:</b>	He travelled through Sahara via Hitch-Hiking.
<b>Hand over:</b>	He hand over the charge to the new officer.
<b>Hair's breadth:</b>	He escaped the accident from hair's breadth
<b>Hold sway:</b>	In past, death was a great mystery, where occult held sway
<b>Hold up:</b>	We should effort collectively to hold up terrorism.
<b>Hang on:</b>	My friend had been hanging on far me since morning
<b>Hit on:</b>	He hit on a new idea.
<b>Held with:</b>	He did not hold on to the new idea of his assistant.
<b>In due course:</b>	He gave up his try in the due course.
<b>Join issue with:</b>	My friend did not join issue with me in this matter.
<b>Keep one's end up:</b>	Women have kept their end up against men in every walk of life
<b>Look beneath the surface:</b>	Wise people always look beneath the surface.
<b>Lock out:</b>	Lock outs are harmful economy
<b>Look forward to:</b>	I am looking forward to pass the exam.
<b>Long for:</b>	He long for going to England.
<b>Let alone:</b>	She can't boiled potatoes, let alone cook a meal.
<b>Man in the Street:</b>	In developing countries, man in the street is always in trouble.

<b>Make for:</b>	The train cannot make for Lahore until tomorrow
<b>Make good:</b>	Finally he made good in his plans.
<b>Null and void:</b>	The supreme court declare NRO null and void
<b>Not turn a hair:</b>	The brave never turn a hair during war
<b>On the verge of:</b>	Two fast speed were moving on the verge of each other
<b>On the score:</b>	He was not selected into the army on the score that his gigot was not healthy
<b>On board:</b>	He is on board to travel to UAE
<b>Out of order:</b>	My car is out of order.
<b>Out of place:</b>	To discuss this issue here is out of place.
<b>Plug up:</b>	Please plug up the pipe, water is running out.
<b>Pull your weight:</b>	If you cannot pull your weight properly, give it up.
<b>Put up with:</b>	I cannot put up with this rude behaviour.
<b>Roll away:</b>	My old friend rolled away yesterday
<b>Shake off:</b>	I could not shake off the car which was following me.
<b>Swallow the bait:</b>	The scheme was a fraud, but many swallow the bait.
<b>Set aside:</b>	Set aside some amount for future.
<b>Suffer from:</b>	He is suffering from fever these days.
<b>Stay put:</b>	Most of Chinese peasant stay put and carry on their traditional labour.
<b>Step in:</b>	Good friends always step in when you are in trouble.
<b>Score off:</b>	The younger brother scored off his elder brother in studies.
<b>Take the Plunge:</b>	He was hesitating but finally he took the plunge
<b>To do without:</b>	He is doing without the personal conveyance
<b>Throw a faint:</b>	When he saw the blood, he throw a faint.
<b>To a man:</b>	They turned to man in the concert.
<b>Ward off:</b>	Let the danger ward off and then move on.
<b>Wheels to bite on:</b>	The servant helped driver to get the wheels to bite on, during their journey

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## Use of Phrasal Verbs / Idioms

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**Q.1 Use any FOUR of the following Phrasal Verbs/Idioms in sentences:**

- (i) **Blow hot and cold:** (behave inconsistently)  
 He's blowing hot and cold on whether or not to take the job.  
 The government has been blowing hot and cold on the talks
- (ii) **Bring into play:**  
 (cause something to start working so that one can make use of it.)  
 Bringing a merger into play might be the best option to save the company.
- (iii) **Come to grief:**  
 (unhappy end/ to fail suddenly/ to have a bitter experience meet with disaster )  
 The project came to grief after we lost our funding  
 In the end, he came to grief because he did not follow instructions.

