

PHRASAL VERBS



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START OFF

START OUT

SET OUT

CALL OFF

DRY UP

BREAK OFF

FINISH OFF

POLISH OFF

PACK UP

GIVE UP

CUT DOWN

WIND DOWN

FIZZLE OUT

Use the **phrasal verbs** at the left side (in the right form) to **fill in the empty spaces**. **please note that sometimes several options and different verb forms are possible**

1. I'll _____ by using this piece of wood.
2. His main source of work _____, leaving him short of money.
3. We don't need to do big things; we can _____ small.
4. We have accomplished all we _____ to do.
5. He decided to _____ the conference.
6. Foreign investment may _____.
7. It's not an easy task to _____ a bad habit.
8. I want to _____ this work while the light is good.
9. I can _____ the rest of the typing in no time.
10. They went to different universities and their relationship just _____.
11. He was told by his boss to _____.
12. _____ your toys children!
13. Keep trying. Don't just _____.
14. He _____ on coffee and cigarettes. That is why he feels much better.
15. I stopped pushing and let the swing _____ to a stop.
16. I find it difficult to _____ after a day at work.
17. He was accused of _____ his former partner.
18. When he goes on holiday, it takes him the first couple of days just to _____.
19. It's 6, time to _____ and head home.
20. I _____ three essays in one week.
21. I need to _____ on food if I want to lose some weight.
22. She _____ a piece of chocolate and gave it to me.
23. She _____ to break the world record.
24. She _____ on her legal career in 1997.
25. The discussion _____ mildly enough.

KEY:

Use the **phrasal verbs** at the left side (in the right form) to **fill in** the empty spaces.

1. I'll **start off** by using this piece of wood.
2. His main source of work **dried up**, leaving him short of money.
3. We don't need to do big things; we can **start out** small.
4. We have accomplished all we **set out** to do.
5. He decided to **call off** the conference.
6. Foreign investment may **dry up**.
7. It's not an easy task to **break off** a bad habit.
8. I want to **finish off** this work while the light is good.
9. I can **polish off** the rest of the typing in no time.
10. They went to different universities and their relationship just **fizzled out**.
11. He was told by his boss to **pack up**.
12. **Pack up** your toys children!
13. Keep trying. Don't just **give up**.
14. He **cut down** on coffee and cigarettes. That is why he feels much better.
15. I stopped pushing and let the swing **wind down** to a stop.
16. I find it difficult to **wind down** after a day at work.
17. He was accused of **polishing off** his former partner.
18. When he goes on holiday, it takes him the first couple of days just to **wind down**.
19. It's 6, time to **pack up** and head home.
20. I **polished off** three essays in one week.
21. I need to **cut down** on food if I want to lose some weight.
22. She **broke off** a piece of chocolate and gave it to me.
23. She **set out** to break the world record.
24. She **started out** on her legal career in 1997.
25. The discussion **started off** mildly enough.