

# Mixed Phrasal Verbs Exercise

Fill in the blanks with a preposition or an adverb particle.

1. Put a coat ..... before going out.

- up
- in
- on

2. The business was losing money, so they closed it .....

- up
- off
- down

3. I am going to the airport to see ..... my friend.

- up
- off
- of

4. It is always a good idea to take ..... travel insurance.

# Mixed Phrasal Verbs Exercise

off  
up  
out

5. The doctor advised him to give  
..... smoking.

in  
on  
up  
off

6. I make it a point to catch .....  
my sleep when I am on holiday.

up in  
up  
on  
up on

7. Because of your irresponsible act, we got  
caught ..... in a great deal of  
trouble.

off  
up

# Mixed Phrasal Verbs Exercise

out

8. This achievement calls ..... a celebration.

on  
in  
for

9. Her performance was amazing. I was blown ..... by it.

out  
up  
away

10. She has come ..... a lot of criticism over the manner in which she handled the situation.

up for  
in for  
on for

# Mixed Phrasal Verbs Exercise

11. I came ..... these old photographs while I was clearing up the closets.

- on
- at
- across

12. The company chalked ..... record profits last year.

- out
- up
- in

## Answers

1. Put a coat on before going out.
2. The business was losing money, so they closed it down.
3. I am going to the airport to see off my friend.
4. It is always a good idea to take out travel insurance.
5. The doctor advised him to give up smoking.
6. I make it a point to catch up on my sleep when I am on holiday.
7. Because of your irresponsible act, we got caught up in a great deal of trouble.
8. This achievement calls for a celebration.
9. Her performance was amazing. I was blown away by it.
10. She has come in for a lot of criticism over the manner in which she handled the situation.
11. I came across these old photographs while I was clearing up the closets.

# Mixed Phrasal Verbs Exercise

12. The company chalked up record profits last year.