

# Phrasal Verbs Exercise

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

1. The soldiers killed the terrorists by acting ..... tips from the villagers.

on

up

out

2. The children acted ..... the story of Snow White on stage.

on

out

of

3. The car has started acting ..... again. It doesn't start.

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out

up

on

4. Your explanations just don't add .....

out

up

on

5. Mutton or beef does not agree  
..... me.

to

with

at

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6. Commercials aimed ..... children must be banned.

with

at

to

7. You must never answer ..... your elders.

out

back

up

8. You will never manage to argue me

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out

on

down

9. Her children live abroad but they ask  
..... her every day.

out

after

up

10. If you like her, why don't you ask her  
..... for lunch?

in

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over

up

11. The brave villagers forced the invaders to back .....

up

off

on

12. She had promised to lend me some money but backed ..... at the last moment.

up

out

off

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## Answers

1. The soldiers killed the terrorists by acting on tips from the villagers.
2. The children acted out the story of Snow White on stage.
3. The car has started acting up again. It doesn't start.
4. Your explanations just don't add up.
5. Mutton or beef does not agree with me.
6. Commercials aimed at children must be banned.
7. You must never answer back your elders.
8. You will never manage to argue me down.
9. Her children live abroad but they ask after her every day.
10. If you like her, why don't you ask her over for lunch?
11. The brave villagers forced the invaders to back off.
12. She had promised to lend me some money but backed out at the last moment.