**Phrasal verbs**

**Exercise 1. Match the sentence halves.**

| 1. Guess who I bumped \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | a. up the timetable online. |
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| 2. I think the bus is at 7, but it’s easy to look \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | b. off an hour later than scheduled. |
| 3. Due to heavy rain, the plane took \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | c. out of petrol. |
| 4. Let’s buy our tickets and make \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | d. into on the train. |
| 5. Driving to work, Jim ran \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | e. for the platform. |

**Exercise 2. Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the ﬁrst. Use the words in capitals.**

1. We had no food left, nevertheless we continued to walk. **RUN/CARRY**

🡪 We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ food, nevertheless we \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

2. Kate has quit her career as a manager and she can’t wait to go to India. **WALK/LOOK**

🡪 Kate \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her career as a manager and she \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to India.

3. Dan took us to the station in his car. He went to work and we went towards the platform. **DROP/MADE**

🡪 Dan \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at the station. He went to work and we \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the platform.

4. Pat stopped by the side of the road and tried to ﬁnd the hotel’s address in her guidebook. **PULL/LOOK**

🡪 Pat \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the hotel’s address in her guidebook.

5 I met my old friend unexpectedly when we were delayed at the airport. **BUMP/HOLD**

🡪 I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ my old friend when we were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at the airport.

**Exercise 3. Choose one word, A, B or C to complete both sentences.**

1. - Is Dan going to pick us \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from the station?

- Mark is a great cyclist and it’s really hard to keep \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with him.

A. on B. off C. up

2. - The taxi driver dropped us \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at the wrong terminal.

- Pat had a long way to go so she set \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at dawn.

1. down B. off C. out

3. - They’re going to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ this old building into a hostel.

- What time did they ﬁnally \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ up?

1. turn B. make C. put

4. - We were held \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in a trafﬁc jam and we missed the last train home.

- The hotel was full but, fortunately, Sue put them \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

1. up B. off C. down

5. - Paul gave \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his job to travel the world.

- Have you ever put \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a tent in the rain?

1. over B. off C. up

6. - Let’s not put this trip \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ anymore.

- The plane didn’t take \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ due to the fog.

1. off B. away C. down

**ANSWER KEY**

**Exercise 1.**

1. d 2. a 3. b 4. e 5. c

**Exercise 2.**

1. We had run out of food, nevertheless we carried on walking.

2. Kate has walked away from her career as a manager and she is looking forward to going to India.

3. Dan dropped us off at the station. He went to work and we made for/ made our way towards the platform.

4. Pat pulled over and looked up the hotel’s address in her guidebook.

5. I bumped into my old friend when we were held up at the airport.

**Exercise 3.**

1. C 2. B 3. A  
4. A 5. C 6. A