

## Phrasal Verb questions from previous SSLC English examinations

**Q1: Choose the appropriate phrasal verbs from the ones given and complete the passage given below: (2015, March)**

Mother rejected (a) the children's plea for going out and play. Finally they were allowed to play within the compound. They started (b) to play hide and seek. Ravi hid in a shed and could not understand (c) what was happening outside. When he came out, other children had abandoned (d) hide and seek and started another game.

Give up	Set out	Turn down	Put on	Make up	Make out
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**Q2: Fill in the blanks with the suitable forms of the phrasal verbs from the box given below: (2016, March)**

The results of the annual exam have been.....(a) on the notice board of the school. Mira reached home and .....( b) her uniform and .....(c) to school. She checked the results and informed her classmate Ravi that he had.....(d) the exam.

Set off	Get through	Put up	Put on	Put up with
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**Q3: Complete the following passage choosing appropriate phrasal verbs given in the box: (2017, March)**

Amal has never been able to .....(a) early from bed. Though his mother set the alarm clock, he simply turned it off and went back to sleep. Every morning he would.....(b) late to school. So he.....(c) the class late every day. Amal knew well that his class teacher would not .....(d) the situation.

Put up with	Get up	Give up	Put out	Set out	Get into
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**Q4: Complete the passage using appropriate phrasal verbs given below (2018, March)**

Adolf created some problems in our home. Our mother couldn't .....(a) it. One day Adolf .....(b) the curtain-rod with a smash. We .....(c) our hope to tame him. Finally we .....d..... to send him away to the wild woods.

Put up with	Gave up	Pulled down	Made up our mind	Take off
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**Q5. Complete the following passage using the appropriate phrasal verbs from the ones given below: (2019, March)**

Vanka tried his level best to.....(a) the torture his master had inflicted on him. But it was unbearable for him. He tried to.....(b) this to other apprentices. But they made fun of him. Then he decided to write a letter to his grandfather hoping he would.....(c) the letter and .....(d) the troubles Vanka was facing.

<b>Go through</b>	<b>Put up with</b>	<b>Make out</b>	<b>Put across</b>
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**Q6. Complete the following passage using appropriate phrasal verbs from the ones give below. (2020, March)**

Aunt Jane thought Jack and Jill were working hard to ....a....very well in their life. But she could not .....b.....the idea of instalment plans. She gave them a check and asked them to.....c.....one of their bills. She reminded them that if they didn't pay their bills, they would.....d.....in the streets.

<b>put up with</b>	<b>pay off</b>	<b>end up</b>	<b>get along</b>	<b>taken aback</b>
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**Q7. Fill in the blanks using the right phrasal verbs from the ones given in the box. (2021, March)**

A lot of people .....a..... to watch the shooting of the film. The film crew .....b..... requesting the people to clear the field. But all the requests were .....c.....by the big crowd that assembled there. But when the tiger emerged from the cage and .....d.....the crowd, they ran for their lives.

<b>put up with</b>	<b>go on</b>	<b>turn down</b>	<b>go for</b>	<b>turn up</b>
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**Answers:**

Q1: a. turned down / b. set out / c. make out / d. given up

Q2: a. put up / b. put on / c. set out / d. got through

Q3: a. get up / b. set out / c. get into / d. put up with

Q4: a. put up with / b. pulled down / c. gave up / d. made up our mind

Q5: a. put up with / b. put across / c. go through / d. make out

Q6: a. get along / b. put up with / c. pay off / d. end up

Q7: a. turned up / b. went on / c. turned down / d. went for

## Some Phrasal Verbs and their meanings

1	be taken aback	be shocked or astonished
2	come across	meet or find by chance
3	end up	to be in a place or situation
4	get along	make a friendly relation; manage a situation
5	get away	escape
6	get over	recover from, overcome
7	get through	Succeed in an exam, competition etc
8	get up	rise from bed after sleeping
9	give in	surrender, yield
10	give up	abandon; stop making an effort, yield
11	go for	compete; move to attack
12.	go on	continue
13	go through	experience a difficult situation; read or examine
14	let off	release, forgive
15	look after	take care of; protect
16	make out	understand
17	make up one's mind	make a decision, decide
18	pay off	to be successful
19	put across	explain an idea; convey something
20	put off	postpone
21	put on	wear
22	put up	display a notice etc.; construct
23	Put up with	tolerate
24	set out	begin a journey; start an activity
25	set up	arrange something; establish or build
26	take off	remove clothe, etc. (bird, aircraft) begin to fly
27	turn down	decline; reject
28	turn up	appear; show up; arrive

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