

word	1185	<b>hang about</b>
definition		to take too long doing something
example		Don't hang about because if you want to invest the money, do it now or you could lose everything.
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word	690	<b>keep out</b>
definition		to prevent access to something or somewhere
example		There was a sign by the side of the road advising people to keep out, as a building was in danger of collapsing.
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word	49	<b>blow up</b>
definition		to explode
example		The car blew up after the accident, but fortunately nobody was hurt.
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word	71	<b>catch up</b>
definition		to reach the same level as something or someone
example		Despite missing so many lessons, Liam managed to catch up with the rest of the class.
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word	632	<b>count out</b>
definition		to exclude someone or something
example		You can count me out of your guest list.
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word	461	<b>breathe in</b>
definition		to breathe air, smoke, etc into your lungs
example		When I had pneumonia the doctor told me to breathe in deeply to listen to my congested lungs.
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word	99	<b>do up</b>
definition		to decorate something
example		The house was so old that it had to be done up from top to bottom.
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word	207	<b>play up</b>
definition		when a machine is not working properly
example		The cd player was playing up again and Joe could not practise his listening test, which made him very angry.
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word	202	<b>phone up</b>
definition		to make a phone call
example		I'll phone you up later on to discuss further details about the project.
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word	1049	<b>stand for</b>
definition		to represent
example		The white dove stands for peace.
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word	91	<b>cover up</b>
definition		to prevent certain facts from being discovered
example		Mr Lee tries hard to cover up his son's mistakes so as to keep the family's reputation intact.
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word	9	<b>go about</b>
definition		to begin doing something
example		I haven't any idea how to go about it, could you advise me?
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word	923	<b>drag on</b>
definition		to take longer than necessary
example		I liked the course but I found it dragged on a bit towards the end.
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word	656	<b>farm out</b>
definition		to give work to someone else to do for you
example		The company had so many orders that it started to farm out some of them.
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word	392	<b>pass down</b>
definition		something that comes from a higher level or time
example		Her gold necklace was passed down to her by her grandmother.
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word	13	<b>horse about</b>
definition		to be inconsiderate about something
example		The police believed the statue was broken by someone horsing about and not with criminal intent.
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word	902	<b>bang on</b>
definition		to talk continuously in a boring manner
example		I hate it sometimes the way the boss just keeps banging on about something we already know.
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word	265	<b>stand up</b>
definition		to be in a standing position
example		The teacher told the student to stand up and leave the classroom immediately, due to his impolite behaviour.
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word	798	<b>storm out</b>
definition		to leave a place quickly, showing your anger
example		Jenny stormed out of the room after having a quarrel with her husband.
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word	181	<b>meet up</b>
definition		when you meet someone to do something with them
example		Why don't we meet up later on to discuss the terms of the contract?
series	00	random phrasal verbs
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word	907	<b>border on</b>
definition		to be near the limits of something
example		His behaviour at the meeting was bordering on insanity.
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word	904	<b>bargain on</b>
definition		to consider that something could happen
example		Computer programs often have bugs because of things the programmer hadn't bargained on.
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word	509	<b>keep in</b>
definition		to make someone stay inside a place
example		The student was kept in for an hour after his lesson as a punishment for not doing his homework.
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word	48	<b>block up</b>
definition		to block something completely
example		A water pipe in my house was blocked up so I had to call the plumber to solve the problem.
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word	58	<b>brighten up</b>
definition		to become brighter
example		It was a cloudy day but, according to the weather forecast, it would soon brighten up.
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word	92	<b>crack up</b>
definition		to start having mental problems
example		After the death of her mother, nobody could understand her behaviour and she seemed to be cracking up.
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word	128	<b>get up to</b>
definition		to do something
example		What did you get up to last weekend ?
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word	960	<b>live on</b>
definition		to manage to live with a certain amount of money
example		It's very hard to live on such a small amount of money a month.
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word	248	<b>sign up</b>
definition		to take part in an activity
example		She's decided to sign up for free Spanish lessons at the local school.
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word	205	<b>pin up</b>
definition		to fasten something using pins
example		Her hair looked a mess so she she pinned it up to appear better.
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word	943	<b>hang on</b>
definition		to wait a short time
example		Can you hang on a bit? I just have get my books from the desk.
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word		<b>flash cards</b>
definition		vizzz credit card sized flash cards - 31 days of revision
example		Instructions: Print on A4 paper. CUT into credit card sized units, or FOLD, first vertically then horizontally 3 times to form a concertina like pocket chart.
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