

Fast Phrasals



Sam sees Fred's girlfriend with another boy. Should he tell Fred? How will Fred react? Watch the video on our website and find out!

1. Check your understanding: ordering

Write the events from the story in the correct order.

Sam realises Laura has a twin sister and he has made a mistake.

Fred ends his relationship with Laura.

Sam sees Fred's girlfriend with another boy.

Fred wants Sam to go shopping with him to make him feel better.

Sam suggests to Fred that his girlfriend is seeing another boy.

Sam is not sure if he should tell Fred what he's thinking.

2. Check your phrasal verbs: gap fill – in context

Fill the gaps with the correct phrasal verb from the box (continued on page 2).

messing around with	cheating on	making it up	going on
bumping into	hang out with	splits up with	broken up with
cheer him up	sort it out	gets on well with	get over it

Sam sees Laura with another boy and thinks she is ¹ _____ (*having a secret romantic relationship while going out with*) Fred. Sam is worried about how Fred will react when he finds out. Sam asks Fred if he has ² _____ (*ended the relationship with*) Laura, but Fred says he just wants to ³ _____ (*spend time with*) Sam today. Sam hopes there's really nothing ⁴ _____ (*happening*) between Laura and the boy he saw, and he asks Fred if Laura has a male cousin who she ⁵ _____ (*likes and is friendly towards*). Fred realises something unusual is going on and Sam tells him about ⁶ _____ (*unexpectedly meeting*) Laura and how she was ⁷ _____ (*spending time doing unimportant things with*) another boy. Sam hopes Fred and Laura can ⁸ _____ (*resolve the problem satisfactorily*). Fred is very upset. He accuses Sam of ⁹ _____ (*inventing what he's saying*). Fred ¹⁰ _____ (*ends his relationship with*) Laura and wonders how he will ever ¹¹ _____ (*recover*). Meanwhile, Sam realises he has made a terrible mistake! Fred decides he wants Sam to go shopping with him to ¹² _____ (*improve his mood*).

3. Check your phrasal verbs: word 2 word – form

Write the words in the correct order to make sentences.

1. cheated on him She

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2. He with her up broke

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3. made it They up

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4. it out I'll sort

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5. get it He'll over

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6. doesn't on She with him get

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4. Check your understanding: gap fill – using the verbs

Complete the sentences with the correct preposition or adverb.

1. She was obviously lying. She'd made _____ a story about how she'd met Lady Gaga after the concert and gone to a party with her.
2. He was devastated that nobody liked his book. It took him months to get _____ it, but he's OK now - he's writing another one!
3. I knew something weird was going _____, but she wouldn't tell me what was happening.
4. My grandma was ill and fed up, so I showed her my funny holiday photos to cheer her _____.
5. Why don't you hang _____ with me for a while? I haven't seen you for ages and I want to spend some time with you.
6. I don't really get _____ with my stepdad. He hardly ever talks to me and I don't like his jokes.
7. I don't want to speak to Anna any more! If I bump _____ her in the street, I'll just ignore her.
8. He cheated _____ his girlfriend, but then he felt really guilty.
9. Have you heard? Jacob and Amelia have broken _____! They've been together for ages. I'm really surprised.
10. The tickets had the wrong names on and they nearly didn't let us on the plane. Luckily my friend speaks really good English and she managed to sort it _____.

Discussion

Should you tell your friend if you think their boyfriend or girlfriend is cheating on them?

You should tell them because ... / It might be a bad idea because ...

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