Phrasal verbs

Three-word phrasal verbs

En expresiones de tres palabras, la última también forma parte del grupo: **look forward to** (tener ganas de).

Ejemplo resuelto / Worked example

I look forward to seeing you. We put up with the noise. / Tengo ganas de verte. Aguantamos el ruido.

Complete each gap with the whole expression.

01. Tengo muchas ganas de visitar a mis primos durante las vacaciones.
I _____ visiting my cousins during the holidays.

02. Tengo muchas ganas de descansar unos días durante las vacaciones.
I _____ having a few days off during the holidays.

03. Tengo muchas ganas de conocer la ciudad durante las vacaciones.
I _____ exploring the city during the holidays.

04. Tengo muchas ganas de volver a casa durante las vacaciones.
I _____ going home during the holidays.

05. Tengo muchas ganas de probar la comida local durante las vacaciones.
I _____ trying the local food during the holidays.

06. No soporto el ruido de la calle todas las noches.
I cannot _____ the traffic noise every night.

07. No soporto la música alta todas las noches.
I cannot _____ the loud music every night.

08. No soporto las interrupciones todas las noches.
I cannot _____ the interruptions every night.

09. No soporto la luz del pasillo todas las noches.
I cannot _____ the light in the hallway every night.

10. No soporto los ladridos todas las noches.
I cannot _____ the barking every night.

11. Quiero alcanzar al líder antes de que termine la carrera.
I want to _____ the leader before the race ends.

12. Quiero alcanzar a la corredora de delante antes de que termine la carrera.
I want to _____ the runner ahead before the race ends.

13. Quiero alcanzar al grupo de cabeza antes de que termine la carrera.
I want to _____ the leading group before the race ends.

14. Quiero alcanzar a mis compañeros antes de que termine la carrera.
I want to _____ my teammates before the race ends.

15. Quiero alcanzar al ciclista que va delante antes de que termine la carrera.
I want to _____ the cyclist ahead before the race ends.

16. El médico me aconsejó reducir el azúcar.
The doctor advised me to _____ sugar.

17. El médico me aconsejó reducir la sal.
The doctor advised me to _____ salt.

18. El médico me aconsejó reducir el café.
The doctor advised me to _____ coffee.

19. El médico me aconsejó reducir los alimentos procesados.
The doctor advised me to _____ processed food.

20. El médico me aconsejó reducir las bebidas con gas.
The doctor advised me to _____ fizzy drinks.

Three-word expressions

Continue. Complete only the gap in English.

21. Tenemos que deshacernos de los muebles viejos antes de la mudanza.
We need to _____ the old furniture before we move.

22. Tenemos que deshacernos de las cajas vacías antes de la mudanza.
We need to _____ the empty boxes before we move.

23. Tenemos que deshacernos de la ropa que ya no usamos antes de la mudanza.
We need to _____ the clothes we no longer wear before we move.

24. Tenemos que deshacernos de estos papeles antes de la mudanza.
We need to _____ these papers before we move.

25. Tenemos que deshacernos de la bicicleta rota antes de la mudanza.
We need to _____ the broken bicycle before we move.

26. Nos quedamos sin agua durante la excursión.
We _____ water during the hike.

27. Nos quedamos sin comida durante la excursión.
We _____ food during the hike.

28. Nos quedamos sin pilas durante la excursión.
We _____ batteries during the hike.

29. Nos quedamos sin espacio en la mochila durante la excursión.
We _____ space in our backpacks during the hike.

30. Nos quedamos sin tiempo durante la excursión.
We _____ time during the hike.

31. Admiro mucho a mi profesora por su trabajo.
I really _____ my teacher.

32. Admiro mucho a la entrenadora por su trabajo.
I really _____ the coach.

33. Admiro mucho a mi hermana mayor por su trabajo.
I really _____ my older sister.

34. Admiro mucho a esa científica por su trabajo.
I really _____ that scientist.

35. Admiro mucho a la directora del centro por su trabajo.
I really _____ the head of the centre.

36. Me llevo bien con mis compañeros.
I _____ my colleagues very well.

37. Me llevo bien con la nueva vecina.
I _____ the new neighbour very well.

38. Me llevo bien con el equipo.
I _____ the team very well.

39. Me llevo bien con la familia de mi amiga.
I _____ my friend’s family very well.

40. Me llevo bien con nuestros clientes.
I _____ our customers very well.

Answer key

Complete sentences. The phrasal verbs or missing key words are shown in bold.

01. I **look forward to** visiting my cousins during the holidays.
02. I **look forward to** having a few days off during the holidays.
03. I **look forward to** exploring the city during the holidays.
04. I **look forward to** going home during the holidays.
05. I **look forward to** trying the local food during the holidays.
06. I cannot **put up with** the traffic noise every night.
07. I cannot **put up with** the loud music every night.
08. I cannot **put up with** the interruptions every night.
09. I cannot **put up with** the light in the hallway every night.
10. I cannot **put up with** the barking every night.
11. I want to **catch up with** the leader before the race ends.
12. I want to **catch up with** the runner ahead before the race ends.
13. I want to **catch up with** the leading group before the race ends.
14. I want to **catch up with** my teammates before the race ends.
15. I want to **catch up with** the cyclist ahead before the race ends.
16. The doctor advised me to **cut down on** sugar.
17. The doctor advised me to **cut down on** salt.
18. The doctor advised me to **cut down on** coffee.
19. The doctor advised me to **cut down on** processed food.
20. The doctor advised me to **cut down on** fizzy drinks.
21. We need to **get rid of** the old furniture before we move.
22. We need to **get rid of** the empty boxes before we move.
23. We need to **get rid of** the clothes we no longer wear before we move.
24. We need to **get rid of** these papers before we move.
25. We need to **get rid of** the broken bicycle before we move.
26. We **ran out of** water during the hike.
27. We **ran out of** food during the hike.
28. We **ran out of** batteries during the hike.
29. We **ran out of** space in our backpacks during the hike.
30. We **ran out of** time during the hike.
31. I really **look up to** my teacher.
32. I really **look up to** the coach.
33. I really **look up to** my older sister.
34. I really **look up to** that scientist.
35. I really **look up to** the head of the centre.
36. I **get on with** my colleagues very well.
37. I **get on with** the new neighbour very well.
38. I **get on with** the team very well.
39. I **get on with** my friend’s family very well.
40. I **get on with** our customers very well.