

### Activity Type

Grammar Exercises: gap-fill, crossword

### Focus

Phrasal verbs with *up*

### Aim

To write verbs in sentences to make phrasal verbs with *up* and to complete a crossword with the missing verbs.

### Preparation

Make one copy of the worksheet for each student.

### Level

Intermediate (B1)

### Time

20 minutes

### Introduction

This phrasal verbs crossword activity helps students to practice phrasal verbs with *up*.

### Procedure

Give each student a copy of the worksheet.

Students then write verbs in the sentences on the worksheet to make phrasal verbs with *up* and complete the crossword with the missing verbs.

When the students have finished, go through the answers with the class and review the meanings of the phrasal verbs.

### Answer key

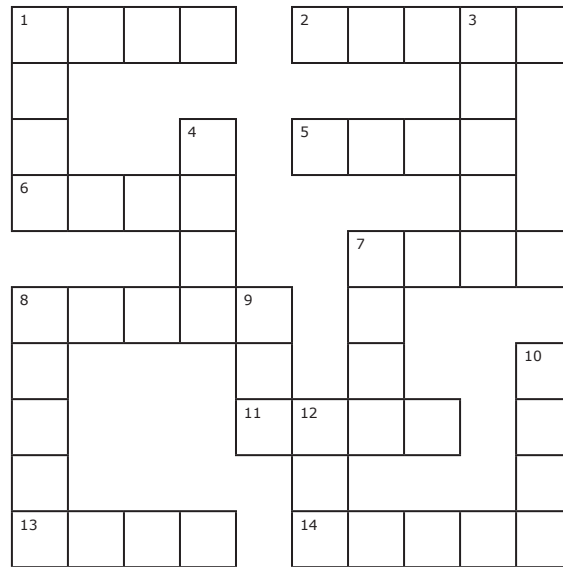
#### Across

1. sign
2. catch
5. give
6. wrap
7. line
8. bring
11. take
13. keep
14. throw

#### Down

1. show
3. clean
4. open
7. look
8. break
9. get
10. grow
12. act

Write verbs in the sentences below to make phrasal verbs with *up* and complete the crossword with the missing verbs.



**Clues across**

1. There's a new yoga course starting next week, you should ..... up for it.
2. I have missed a lot of classes. I really need to ..... up. Can I borrow your textbook?
5. I've tried to do this ten times, I ..... up!
6. This meeting has gone on for too long. Let's ..... it up.
7. There's a long queue for the new iPhone. You'd better ..... up now.
8. That's an important issue. You should ..... it up at the next meeting.
11. Since you love computers, you should ..... up programming as a hobby.
13. Technology is changing so fast. I just can't ..... up.
14. I shouldn't have eaten all that pizza. I feel sick. I think I might ..... up.

**Clues down**

1. You're late for work. If you ..... up for work late again, you're fired.
3. Look at the mess you made. .... it up now!
4. I usually ..... up my presents on Christmas morning.
7. Stephen Hawking is so clever, I really ..... up to him.
8. My girlfriend has decided to ..... up with me.
9. You have a class in 15 minutes and you're still in bed. You really should ..... up.
10. You love computer games and watching cartoons. Why don't you just ..... up?
12. You are always causing problems, there's no need to ..... up.