

10 Common Phrasal Verbs



check in

Example: we **checked in** at the hotel at 3pm.

Meaning: we **registered** at a hotel at 3pm.



check out

Example: they **checked out** early this morning.

Meaning: they **paid and left** early this morning.

find out

Example: she **found out** the answer very quickly.

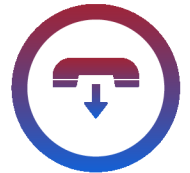
Meaning: she **discovered** the answer very quickly.



hang up

Example: she **hung up** before I could say goodbye.

Meaning: she **ended the call** before I could say goodbye.



sit down

Example: please **sit down** and wait here.

Meaning: please **take a seat** and wait here.



stand up

Example: please **stand up** for this activity.

Meaning: please **rise to your feet** for this activity.



turn on

Example: can you **turn on** the light?

Meaning: can you **make** the light **work**?



turn off

Example: don't forget to **turn off** the lights when you leave.

Meaning: don't forget to **stop** the lights when you leave.



wake up

Example: I usually **wake up** at 6:30 a.m.

Meaning: I usually **stop sleeping** at 6:30 a.m.



write down

Example: **write down** the address so you don't forget.

Meaning: **note** the address **on a paper** so you don't forget.

