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PHRASALS FOR USE OF ENGLISH 2
CONTEXT & EXERCISES - AT VINCE
NO RESPONSIBILITY. USE AT WILL.

add up
ask after
back down
bargain for
bear out
break down
break off
break up
bring about
bring off
bring on

bring round

bring up
call up
carry off

carry out
catch on
come about
come down to
come in for
come off
come out
come up
come up against
come up to

come up with

count on
crop up
do away with

do up
draw up
draw up
drop in
drop off
end up
face up to

fall about

fall back on

make sense
inquire about
yield in an argument
take into account
confirm the truth
lose control of the emotions
stop talking
come to an end
cause to happen
succeed in doing something
cause the onset of an illness
cause trouble to happen to
influence someone to your point of view

mention
mobilise for military service
complete successfully - perhaps despite a
problem
complete a plan
become popular - colloquial
happen
be in the end a matter of
receive - especially criticism, blame
take place successfully
appear
occur - usually a problem - colloquial
meet a difficulty
equal - especially expectations, standard

think of - especially an answer, a plan, a
solution
rely on
happen unexpectedly - colloquial
abolish - colloquial
murder - colloquial
decorate - colloquial
come to a stop
organise - especially a document
pay a visit - colloquial
fall asleep - colloquial
finish in a certain way, or place
have courage to deal with - especially
responsibilities
show amusement - especially laughing -
colloquial
use as a last resort

fall for	be deceived by - colloquial
fall out with	fall in love with - colloquial
fall through	quarrel with
feel up to	fail to come to completion
follow up	feel capable of doing
get across	act upon a suggestion
get at	be understood - especially get an idea across
get down	imply - about personal matters - colloquial
get down to	make to feel depressed - colloquial
get off with	begin to seriously deal with
get on for	avoid punishment
get on	approach a certain age/time/number
get over	make progress - especially in life
get over with	be surprised
get round to	come to the end of something, usually unpleasant
get up to	find time to do - also around
give away	do something - usually bad when about children - colloquial
give off	betray
give out	send off a smell - liquid or gas
give over	be exhausted
give up	abandon, devote
go back on	stop - colloquial
go in for	surrender
go off	believed to be dead or lost
go on	break a promise
go round	make a habit of
go through with	enter a competition
grow on	become bad - food
hang onto	happen - usually negative
have it in for	be enough
have it out with	complete a promise or plan - usually unwillingly
have someone on	become more liked - colloquial
hit it off	keep - colloquial
hit upon/on	be deliberately unkind to someone - also as have got
hold out	express feeling so as to settle a problem
hold up	deceive - colloquial
hold with	get on well with - colloquial
keep up	discover by chance - often an idea
lay down	offer - especially with hope
let down	delay
let in on	use as an example - ie a model of good behaviour
let off	agree with - an idea
let on	continue
	state a rule - esp. lay down the law
	disappoint, break a promise
	allow to be part of a secret
	excuse from punishment
	inform about a secret - colloquial

(not) live down
live up to
look into
look on
look someone up
make for
make off with
make out
make someone out
make up
make up for
miss out

own up
pack in
pay back
pick up
pin someone down
play up
point out
pull off
push on
put across
put down to
put in for
put oneself out
put off
put up
put up with
rip off
run down

run into
run to
run over
run up

run up against
see someone off

see through
send up
set about
set in
set out

set up
set (up)on
sink in
slip up
sort out
stand by
stand for

stand in for

suffer a loss of reputation
reach an expected standard
investigate
consider
visit when in the area
result in
run away with
pretend
understand someone's behaviour
invent
compensate for
fail to include
lose a chance - colloquial
confess - colloquial
stop an activity - colloquial
take revenge - colloquial
improve - colloquial
force to give a clear statement
behave or work badly
draw attention to a fact
manage to succeed
continue with some effort - colloquial
communicate ideas
explain the cause of
apply for a job
take trouble - to help someone
discourage, upset
offer accommodation
tolerate, bear
charge too much - colloquial
criticise
lose power, allow to decline
meet
have enough money
check - also run through
a bill - let a bill get longer without paying
encounter - usually a problem
go to station, airport, etc to say goodbye
to someone
realise the truth about
make fun of by imitating
start working
establish itself - esp. weather
give in detail in writing
arrange
start an action
establish
attack
realise slowly - colloquial, intransitive
make a mistake - colloquial
find a solution - colloquial
keep to an agreement
represent - initials
tolerate
take the place of

stand up to
step down
step up
stick up for

take in
take (it) out on

take off
take n

take out

take over
take to someone
take up
talk out of or into
tell off
tie in with
track down
try out
turn down
turn out

turn up
wear off
work out

resist, bear stress
resign - colloquial
increase
defend - esp. yourself, your rights -
colloquial
deceive
make someone else suffer because of
one's own sufferings
imitate - colloquial
acquire a new characteristic
do something extra
insurance - sign an insurance agreement

gain control of
develop a liking for
time - occupy time
dissuade from, persuade into
scold - colloquial
be in agreement with
trace the whereabouts of
test - a machine
reject an offer
happen to be in the end
come to a meeting or to form a crowd
be discovered by a chance
lose effect - esp *a drug*
calculate - also work out at for specific
amounts