

“For” Phrasal Verbs (5)

Choose the answer with the closest meaning to the **for - phrasal verb**:

1. I **fell for** Paula the first time I saw her standing at the counter.
fell in love believed a scam fell down
2. Oliver is **bucketing for** a promotion by doing lots of overtime.
asking to get trying hard to get is uninterested in
3. **Speak for yourself!** Don't say “WE don't like Bob!” I like him!
you should talk it's agreed don't include me in this
4. Please give Rachel the job. I can **vouch for** her character.
train/teach trust & be responsible for take care of
5. The school bully is **gunning for** you for telling that he cheated.
looking to attack has a weapon has a question
6. I **can't wait for** summer vacation! I'm going to Tahiti!
will go/do now very excited about disappointed about
7. The pollen count is very high this year, **accounting for** bad hay fever.
doesn't explain a small part of the reason why
8. Janet **worked** really **hard for** her law degree from Harvard.
didn't do enough had a part-time job made effort to get
9. I'm going to **run out for** a few things. Need anything?
go and get go jogging ask for more of
10. I **played for time**, hoping class would end before my speech.
refused to do stalled/delayed doing extended/lengthened
11. The President said that we were **coming for** the terrorists.
planning to meet requesting a meeting targeting for attack
12. Mark **stood in for** me while I was in the hospital and taught.
helped/assisted substituted/replaced took over
13. We've been **waiting for** a taxi for 20 minutes! Let's just walk!
awaiting the arrival of standing in line trying to decide
14. Our team is **aching for** a chance to play our rivals again.
wanting very much still feeling pain hoping to avoid
15. The shop didn't have my car part and had to **send away for** it.
told to leave denied a request request a delivery