

## “Up” Phrasal Verbs Exercises (2) Answers

Fill in the blank spaces with the correct verb to complete the phrasal verb:  
(Refer to the **Up Phrasal Verbs 2** worksheet for phrasal verb meanings)  
(be careful of correct tenses!!)

**hold**                      **end**                      **warm**                      **drum**                      **run**

1. I didn't warm up before I went running and I pulled a leg muscle.
2. If you don't stop smoking, you'll end up getting lung cancer!
3. Johnny held up a bank with a real-looking toy gun.
4. I handed out fliers on the street to try and drum up some customers.
5. Susie is going to run up against some great skiers in the Olympics.

**beat**                      **brush**                      **dry**                      **give**                      **queue**

1. Tim spent weeks brushing up on his dance skills before the wedding.
2. We had to queue up for a long time at the event just to use the restroom.
3. Jim was drunk and beat up his wife and put her in the hospital.
4. Wow! Only 9% of the lake is remaining! The rest has dried up.
5. The killer gave himself up after being surrounded by the police.

**tear**                      **gang**                      **bring**                      **cover**                      **turn**

1. I tried to steal a bag, but the staff all ganged up on me and *beat me up*!
2. We need at least 500 people to turn up to our event to make money.
3. Mary covered up her answers with her hand so no one could see them.
4. The owner didn't bring up the fact that a man was killed in his house!
5. My teacher tore up my report, saying I did a horrible job!

**end**                      **give**                      **tear**                      **brush**                      **bring**

1. Becky had to give up alcohol and sweets as part of her intense diet.
2. Someone brought up politics and it started a fight in the bar.
3. I missed my last train and ended up sleeping on a park bench all night.
4. Sally forgot to brush up on her golf skills after not playing for so long, and scored an embarrassing 140 in the charity golf event.
5. Ed angrily tore up the ticket in front of the police, and was arrested.