Phrasal verbs using 'in' and 'out' example sentences

Listen to the accompanying MP3 and read these sentences. This will train your brain to master these **phrasal verbs**.

- 1. The company is **moving in** to its new offices next month. It's going to be a really busy period.
- 2. Jack's friend: "Hi Jack. Can I drop in to talk about something later?"

Jack: "Sure, what time do you want to come?"

3. Don't **plug in** the hair dryer. I think it has a problem so it could be dangerous.



- 4. Paul didn't want to join in with class activities today. Is he feeling OK?
- 5. The professional criminals **broke into** the bank and stole more than \$1 million in cash.
- 6. Wife: "What would like for your birthday dinner tonight?"

Husband: "Let's eat out at the Chinese buffet restaurant."

- 7. Studying at university and working at the same time is very tiring, but I'm not going to **drop out**. I'm determined to finish my studies.
- 8. Hello Madam. Please **fill out** this form and we can open your account today.
- 9. My daughter has a skin allergy, so we decided to **cut out** dairy products from her diet. It might help.
- 10. Sir. I can't **figure out** the answer to question four. Could you please help me?
- 11. John and I are having some problems with the business, but we're **figuring out** how to solve them.
- 12. I told Jane to cut out Facebook because she's using it too much.
- 13. Sir, would you please **fill out** this short questionnaire? It will only take one minute to complete.
- 14. I **dropped out** of school when I was just 13, but I managed to turn my life around and start my own business.

- 15. We need to stop eating out so often. It's costing too much money.
- 16. Oh my god, call the police! Someone is **breaking into** that car over there.
- 17. Hey Matthew, don't just sit on the side. Come and join in our game.
- 18. Can you plug in my phone? The battery is dead.
- 19. We **dropped in** to the library to return the books.
- 20. Michael: "Tina is moving in with me next week."

Harry: "Wow. Your relationship with her is getting serious."

- 21. I am taking night classes at the local college, but I'm thinking about **dropping out**. It's not a very useful course for me.
- 22. Brenda is being really strange lately, but she won't tell me why. I just can't **figure out** what's wrong with her.
- 23. Look at this funny story. The thieves **broke into** a bank, but got locked inside! The police came an hour later and arrested them.
- 24. We are going to have a big housewarming party at our new house after we **move in**. Will you come?
- 25. When I lived in Thailand, I often **ate out** because it was so cheap compared to London.
- 26. Mark's father: "How was Mark's first day at school?"

Mark's mother: "He really loved it. He **joined in** with all the class activities and made lots of new friends."

27. Mary: "Would you like a cup of tea or coffee?"

Joanne: "Coffee please, but no sugar. My dentist told me to **cut out** sugar."

- 28. I need an adaptor to **plug in** my laptop. Do you have one?
- 29. Excuse me sir, you filled out this section incorrectly. Please do it again.
- 30. Hi Terry. Can you **drop in** sometime today for a few minutes? I have got a present for you.

