

Happy New Year and Welcome Back.

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Advanced Lesson

I. Match the underlined phrasal verbs with their meanings:

- a.unconscious
- b.temporarily do someone's job
- c.give information that you missed
- d.return to consciousness
- e.stop acting childish and immature
- f.recover
- g.stop criticizing or teasing
- h.meet someone unexpectedly
- i.to be in love with
- j.add up to lots of money
- k.stop it
- l.remain where you are
- m.rose

- 1.Tom's having a rough time since his mom died. You guys should lay off him.
- 2.Oh grow up, Charlie. You're acting like a baby.
- 3.Can you fill in for me while I'm on vacation?
- 4.I missed the meeting today. Can you fill me in on the new tax rules?
- 5.I bumped into Karen the other day and she said to tell you hello.
- 6.If I fixed everything that didn't work on my old car it could run into thousands of dollars.
- 7.I'm so unlucky in love. Why do I always fall for losers?
- 8.Did you find out if Jack has a new job? No, the subject never came up.
- 9.The boxer was knocked out. He didn't come to for almost five minutes.
- 10.You kids knock it off. You know we don't allow running in the house.
- 11.Uncle Ed is really ill. If he pulls through it will be a miracle.
- 12.You guys stay put. I'm going to go look for your brother.

Note: To tease someone is to make fun of them or mock them playfully. For example, you might tease a child about his first girlfriend. Did your family tease each other when you were growing up?

II. These sentences have word order errors. Put the words in the correct order.

- 1.Diane isn't here still.
- 2.Never I am sick.
- 3.I go always to work by car.
- 4.She every day reads the newspaper.
- 5.It's the place most beautiful I know.
- 6.Michael has a life very complicated.
- 7.I was all day at home.
- 8.I have seen her only a few times.
- 9.He has always an apple after lunch.
- 10.She asked him what was it.

11. I have to improve a lot my English.
12. Always it is the same.
13. She lived for two years in Paris.
14. They don't treat very well the workers.
15. When was built the Sears Tower?
16. I was for a long time living in Madrid.
17. It depends what time is leaving the flight.
18. I never have been there.
19. I like a lot ice cream.
20. Where he lives did you say?

III. Discussion:

Read and discuss the story below.

John and Edna have been married a long time. They love each other and get along well. But sometimes they get frustrated with each other. Edna loves to talk and tells great stories. Sometimes she exaggerates a little to make the story better. She is the life of the party and is always able to make people laugh. John is an engineer. He believes accuracy is very important. It annoys him when Edna exaggerates. To him, it is important to be accurate and truthful when telling a story. Sometimes he interrupts Edna's story to correct her facts. Edna gets very angry when this happens. She feels it ruins her story. She doesn't think it matters if every fact is exactly correct. She enjoys entertaining people with her stories and feels it is OK to exaggerate a little.

1. Who do you sympathize with the most?
2. What advice would you give this couple for getting along?
3. Have you ever had a similar problem in a relationship?