

I. Study the vocabulary on page 153.

II. Look at the pictures and fill in the blanks with the correct word.

- 1. The man is getting out of the _____.
- 2. The man is running across the _____.
- 3. The woman is walking up the _____.
- 4. The truck is driving through the _____.
- 5. The lady is going under the _____.
- 6. The old man is going over the _____.
- 7. The man is walking down the _____.
- 8. The woman is running around the _____.
- 9. The car is getting off the _____.
- 10. The blue car is getting on the _____.
- 11. The woman is getting into the _____.

III. Make a sentence that begins with these phrases. Take turns reading your sentences to the class. Teachers will correct any errors.

get on: _____

get off: _____

get into: _____

get out of: _____

get under: _____

get up: _____

go over: _____

go across: _____

go under: _____

run across: _____

run around: _____

drive through: _____

walk down: _____

walk under: _____

walk up: _____

IV. A new student is standing in front of the church. She cannot find our class. Write directions telling her how to get to our class. Use prepositions such as up, down, through and verbs such as follow, turn, go. Read your directions to the class.

V. Using GET:

Get can mean go after: Get me that book on the counter, will you? Let's get some Chinese food tonight. We need to get groceries today. She was cold, so I got her a blanket.

Get can mean you are able to: I get to sleep late on weekends. My children get to swim every day at camp.

Get can mean receive: I got a traffic ticket for speeding. I got permission from my boss to leave early. I got a puppy for my birthday. I always get good grades in school. He got a broken arm in the accident.

Get can mean to succeed in communicating with: I couldn't get him by phone, so I went to his office. You can always get me on my cell if my home phone is busy.

Get can mean to understand: I don't get this math question. You can get the answer if you divide the total by 12. I'm sorry, I didn't get your name.

Get can mean to cause to come or go: Get this dog out of the kitchen. She got us through the traffic jam quickly by taking side streets.

Get can mean to arrive: We got to Austin at midnight. They didn't get here until yesterday.

VI. Read these paragraphs and explain what the underlined phrases mean.

The police ordered the crowd to get back. They didn't want anyone getting hurt. But they couldn't get across to the crowd that they should stay out of the way. People kept getting closer and closer.

My parents got in late last night after we had gone to sleep. They were hungry, so we got out some cheese and crackers to snack on. My husband and I finally got back to sleep around 2 AM.

Our air conditioning stopped working yesterday. The repair man didn't get around to fixing it until almost 6 PM. Until then we got by using ceiling fans. I can't get over how hot it is in Austin.