

## Let's Talk – Phrasal verbs

### Solving Problems



1. Match phrasal verbs with their definitions:

to **talk** something **over**

to find a solution, to solve

to **knuckle down** to something

to deal with, cope with, struggle with

to **run into** problems

to discuss

to **sort** something **out**

to get into problems

to **wrestle with** something

to study something very diligently

2. Fill in the correct preposition in each phrasal verb:

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- That won't be hard for him, he makes \_\_\_ solutions for every single problem very easily.
- I am tired, I need to switch of \_\_\_\_\_ all these problems.
- Not again! Problems are piling \_\_\_\_\_ so fast this week!
- Oh hurry up! Please sort something \_\_\_\_\_ !
- Help me \_\_\_\_\_ of this box, I got stuck.

3. Put the verbs into each space. Use the correct form of the verbs. There is one extra verb you do not need:

make	talk	wrestle	knuckle	run	sort
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- You don't have to rush, \_\_\_\_\_ it **over** with your family and let me know next week.
- Could you please help me to \_\_\_\_\_ **up** a solution for this problem?
- To memorize it you simply have to \_\_\_\_\_ **down** to it. No pain no gain.
- They have been \_\_\_\_\_ **with** this technical problem for over 2 weeks now.
- My flatmate is bad at \_\_\_\_\_ **out** problems.