

# Conv. 4

Complete these sentences with the correct idiom(s)

- 1.A:What's your plan this weekend?  
B:Well, I'm \_\_\_\_\_ meet my girlfriend IU.
- 2.This year November 25 is \_\_\_\_\_ in the U.S.
- 3.I'm really \_\_\_\_\_ all the homework Severn gives us. Is he crazy or what?
- 4.These days most people use their cell phone instead of their \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5.My Mom \_\_\_\_\_ me \_\_\_\_\_, because I came home late. (1 idiom)
- 6.I was really thirsty so I ordered a \_\_\_\_\_ at the bar.
- 7.My friend was planning to move to a new apartment, so I decided to \_\_\_\_\_ and help her.
- 8.A:Do you want some broccoli?  
B:No! No! No! I think broccoli's disgusting! I hate it \_\_\_\_\_.
- 9.My watch's not \_\_\_\_\_ with the classroom clock. My watch said 12:30 and the clock said 12:35.
- 10.I usually hang out with my \_\_\_\_\_ on the weekend.
- 11.A:Hey \_\_\_\_\_! What's up?  
B:Not much! How are you doing?
- 12.The new band sang a \_\_\_\_\_ of the Beatles' hit "Yesterday".
- 13.I felt lonely, because I spent the holidays \_\_\_\_\_ my family.
- 14.IU and I had a big fight last night, but we \_\_\_\_\_ this morning.
- 15.Korean archer, 김제덕, was really \_\_\_\_\_ during the Tokyo Olympics. He ended up winning 2 gold medals.
- 16.One of my classmates called me a big fat \_\_\_\_\_.

- a.chewed out
- b.dude
- c.dialed-in
- d.fixin to
- e.cold one
- f.made up
- g.in sync
- h.sick of
- i.so and so
- j.pitch in
- k.posse
- l.cover
- m.land lines
- n.Turkey Day
- o.with a passion
- p.w/o

Write the meanings of these phrases and expressions in English

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(Type n>>> Learn 100 Common Phrases in English in 20 minutes)

- 1.let me know
- 2.get real
- 3.I'd like to pick your brain
- 4.right this way
- 5.I can't keep up
- 6.How's work going?
- 7.I've lost my touch
- 8.stay in touch
- 9.make time for (something)
- 10.Look out!
- 11.loosen up
- 12.will do
- 13.hang tight
- 14.you win some, you lose some
- 15.he wouldn't hurt a fly
- 16.we're short on time

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# Listen to us!

We carried out our own survey of the views of young people:

**AMBER HONESS, 21**  
*Student at Boston University*

This is my senior year of college. I've been studying business for four years. Some of my friends will be going into finance companies. Others don't really know what they'll be doing this time next year. But I know what I want to do—open a clothes shop with a friend of mine. We've got some great ideas.

My parents helped me a lot with money, but I still have about \$20,000 in debt. Terrifying, isn't it? It'll probably take me ten years to pay it off.

**ELLIE GREEN, 24**  
*Corporate lawyer, Chicago*

Young people are interested in politics, but it's very frustrating because you don't feel you can really make a difference.

The thing is, a lot of social problems never seem to get dealt with properly. We still have homeless people, health care costs keep going up no matter what the government does, and more and more old people don't have enough money for retirement. I'm buying a house with my husband soon, because I want to get into the real estate market before it's too late. I only hope I can manage to keep my job. If that does, I've had it. So I'm not very optimistic about the future.

**PETER JAMIESON, 24**  
*Restaurant manager, L.A.*

When my parents were young, they didn't have to worry about finding a secure job with a chance for promotion. They seemed to be a lot more relaxed about the future. Now they all put pressure on us to get ahead in the rat race. No wonder so many young people take antidepressants.

What really worries me is the cost of housing. I share a house with four other guys, and I'll probably be living here forever. There's no way I'll ever be able to afford a house of my own.

**"I don't think any of them know what it's like to be our age nowadays."**

**MICHAEL LIU, 25**  
*Stockbroker, New York*

I've still never voted for the winning side in an election. Whoever I vote for, loses. So I guess I'm doing something wrong, somewhere. I still think it's important to vote, though. Let's face it, people would throw a fit if they weren't allowed to.

I'm saving money, and as soon as my application has been processed, I'm going to leave the country and do business in Shanghai. Now there's a place with opportunities!

**KYLIE WILLIAMSON, 24**  
*Banker, Seattle*

Politics just isn't my kind of thing. Dry, dull people, who blabber on about the same old things. I don't think any of them know what it's like to be our age nowadays.

A decent income is what matters to me, and as soon as I can, I'm going to start my own business.

**JOE CASWELL, 20**  
*Engineering student, Dallas*

I know that if I don't graduate, I'll end up working in a dead-end job, just like my dad. So I know what I'm going to do—work my tail off to prove to my mom and dad that I can make it.

**ALEX WILLIAMS, 24**  
*Marketing manager, Miami*

There's no such thing as a job for life these days. Employers can lay you off as soon as there's a downturn, so people don't feel the same loyalty. A lot of my friends are changing jobs to boost their career prospects. I'm sure I'll have several jobs before I'm 30, and I hope that in my working life I'll have several careers. I just couldn't take doing the same thing for years and years. I'm going on an interview next week. More money, more responsibility. "Don't put off till tomorrow what you can do today" is my motto.

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# Call Me

Listen to us (Answer these questions)

A. Amber Holmes

1. How old is he?
2. What does she do?
3. What year is she in school?
4. What is she studying?
5. What's her dream?
6. Who helped her?
7. Do YOU have any doubts?  
What's YOUR dream?

B. Ellie Green

1. How old is she?
2. What does she do? Where does she work?
3. Why are politics frustrating for her?  
Are YOU interested in politics? Why or why not?
4. What is she buying and why?
5. Is she optimistic about her future?
6. Are YOU optimistic about your future? Why or why not?

C. Peter Jamieson

1. How old is he?
2. What does he do?
3. What do parents want?
4. What really worries him?
5. What worries YOU?
6. Who does he live with?

D. Michael Liu

1. How old is he?
2. What does he do? Where?
3. Has he ever voted for the winning side?
4. Do you think voting is important? Why or why not?
5. What is he saving money for?

E. Kyle Williamson

1. How old is he?
2. What does he do? Where?
3. What does he think of politics?>

4.What matters to him?

F.Joe Caswell

1.How old is he?

2.What does he do? Where?

3.Why does he want to graduate?

4.Why is school important to YOU?

5.What's he going to do?

G.Alex Williams

1.How old is he?

2.What does he do? Where?

3.What are his friends doing?

4.What's he doing next week?

5.What's his motto?

6.Do YOU have a motto? If yes, what is it?

# VOCABULARY

## Hot verbs – take, put

- 1 There are many expressions with *take* and *put*. Look at these examples from the text on p. 39.  
 He was given his own computer, which he **put to use** creating movies.  
 He **took part in** the Glastonbury Festival.  
 She **took it upon herself** to do volunteer work at a local hospice.

2 Put the words in the right box.

sb/sth for granted	my arm around her	my advice	offense	forever
somebody in charge of	pressure on sb	a stop to sth	criticism	part
a plan into practice	– his work first	place	no notice	a risk

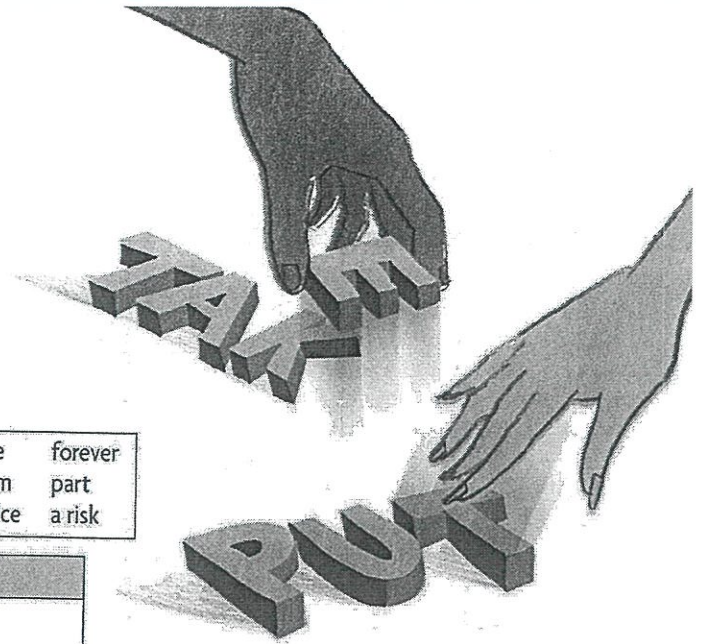
TAKE	PUT

- 3 Complete the sentences with an expression with *take* or *put* in the correct form.
- The wedding \_\_\_\_\_ in an old country church. It was beautiful, but it was miles away. It \_\_\_\_\_ to get there.
  - My son's always hanging out at the mall, but I'll \_\_\_\_\_ to that. I won't give him any more spending money.
  - Please don't \_\_\_\_\_, but I don't think your work has been up to your usual standards recently.
  - I told you that boy was no good for you. You should have \_\_\_\_\_ and had nothing to do with him.
  - If you really want to make a change in the world, you'll need to \_\_\_\_\_ yourself and do it!
  - My boss is \_\_\_\_\_ me to resign, but I won't go.
  - I tried to get the teacher's attention, but she \_\_\_\_\_ of me at all.
  - Children never say "Thank you" or "How are you?" to their parents. They just \_\_\_\_\_ them \_\_\_\_\_.

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4 Match the lines in A and B. Underline the expressions with *take* or *put*.

A	B
1 Take your time.	Put it on your calendar.
2 The party's on the 21st.	What would you do?
3 "I told her a joke about the French, and it turned out she was French."	There's no need to panic.
4 Take it easy. Calm down.	We're not in a hurry.
5 Put yourself in my shoes.	Not everything is your fault.
6 You always take things too personally.	"Whoops! You really put your foot in your mouth, didn't you?"



## Phrasal verbs

5 Use a dictionary. Complete the sentences with a phrasal verb with *take*.

take sth back take sth in take off take sb on

- The store \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of extra workers every holiday season.
- The lecture was too complicated, and the students couldn't \_\_\_\_\_ it all \_\_\_\_\_.
- My business really \_\_\_\_\_ after I picked up six new clients.
- You called me a liar, but I'm not. \_\_\_\_\_ that \_\_\_\_\_ and apologize!

Do the same with these phrasal verbs with *put*.

put sth out put sb off put sth away put sth on

- \_\_\_\_\_ some music \_\_\_\_\_. Whatever you want.
- The disgusting smell of the cheese \_\_\_\_\_ me \_\_\_\_\_ eating it.
- Could you \_\_\_\_\_ your clothes, please? Your room's a mess.
- The kitchen fire was scary, but luckily I \_\_\_\_\_ it \_\_\_\_\_.

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**UNIT 5 APPLYING FOR A JOB – A résumé and a cover letter**

- 1 What is a résumé? Why do you write one? What information do you include?
- 2 What is the purpose of a cover letter?
- 3 Write the headings from A in the correct spaces in the résumé in B.

- A**
- Education
  - Achievements
  - References
  - Skills
  - Work experience
  - Objective
  - Interests
  - Personal details

- 4 Answer the questions.
  - 1 Where did Kate go to school?
  - 2 What did she study in college?
  - 3 Who is Prof. Jane Curtis?
  - 4 Does Kate have a lot of work experience?



**B**

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\_\_\_\_\_ A position at a school or camp that combines my experience working with children, my love of travel, and my degree in education and psychology

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\_\_\_\_\_ **Clifton University 2015**  
BA, Psychology and Education  
Summa cum laude

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\_\_\_\_\_ **March–June 2014**  
Teaching assistant, East Boston High School

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\_\_\_\_\_ **June–August 2012**  
Swimming coach, KLC Swim Center, Boston

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\_\_\_\_\_ **June–August 2011**  
Lifeguard, KLC Swim Center

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\_\_\_\_\_ Dance, cooking, soccer, travel, movies

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\_\_\_\_\_ Clifton University Honor Roll, 2011–2014  
KLC Employee of the Month, 2011  
Performed in regional dance festival, 2010

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\_\_\_\_\_ Work well with children  
Fluent written and spoken Spanish  
Can use basic office software  
Able to adapt to foreign cultures

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Call Me

Echo and Reply Questions

1. I was sick last week.

Echo:

Reply:

2. My brother got married yesterday.

Echo:

Reply:

3. President Biden's coming to Korea next week.

Echo:

Reply:

4. I ate 3 large pizzas for lunch.

Echo:

Reply:

5. My friend won a speech contest the other day.

Echo:

Reply:

6. She was feeling really depressed.

Echo:

Reply:

7. I have to visit my grandmother tomorrow.

Echo:

Reply:

8. Severn has 3 dogs and 2 cats.

Echo:

Reply:

9. Mokwon gave free chocolates to every student.

Echo:

Reply:

10. My sister went to a BTS concert last weekend.

Echo:

Reply:



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Complete these sentences with the right word

1. My girlfriend's really \_\_\_\_\_. She's always texting me, "뭐해?" "어디야?"
2. I'm kind of \_\_\_\_\_, so I'm always dropping things.
3. Severn's really \_\_\_\_\_. He can never remember where he put his keys.
4. A lot of young children are \_\_\_\_\_, because their parents never discipline them.
5. 지나 is the most \_\_\_\_\_ student in her class. she always wears the latest designer clothes.
6. My friend is really \_\_\_\_\_. He works from 8-6 and then exercises from 6:30-9:30.
7. She's very \_\_\_\_\_. She wants to be president of Korea 1 day.
8. Don't be so \_\_\_\_\_! Stop asking so many questions!
9. I'm really \_\_\_\_\_. I usually cry when I watch a sad movie.
10. Severn's really cool! Nothing ever bothers him! He's a very \_\_\_\_\_ person.
11. I always ask my father for advice, because he's a very \_\_\_\_\_ person.
12. IU is one of the most \_\_\_\_\_ celebrities. She's always donating money to different causes.
13. A: Don't ask Severn for anything!  
B: Really? Why not?  
A: Because he's very very \_\_\_\_\_
14. She's always fighting her neighbors, because she's very \_\_\_\_\_.
15. He's very \_\_\_\_\_. He never changes his mind.

fashionable	sensitive	ambitious	jealous	stubborn
sensible	absent-minded	easygoing	stingy	energetic
clumsy	generous	nosy	spoiled	argumentative