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GRAMMAR WORKSHEET

PHRASAL VERBS: 'TAKE'



• take after	<i>to resemble another person</i>
• take away	<i>to remove</i>
• take back*	<i>to return something</i>
• take care of ¹	<i>to provide care for</i>
• take care of ²	<i>to arrange for something to happen</i>
• take down*	<i>to record in writing</i>
• take off ¹	<i>to rise from the ground (used for airplanes or rockets)</i>
• take off ^{2*}	<i>to remove clothing you are wearing</i>
• take off ^{3*}	<i>to arrange to be absent from school or work</i>
• take off ⁴	<i>to be successful very quickly</i>
• take over*	<i>to get control</i>
• take up*	<i>to begin something new (like a hobby)</i>



* *Separable phrasal verbs* (for example: 'Take back the pen.' OR 'Take the pen back.')

- **Complete the sentences below. Use the phrasal verbs in the box. Use the past tense when necessary.**

1. Let's hurry! Our plane is going to take off soon!
2. I need to _____ my books to the library tomorrow.
3. I'll be away for a week. Could you _____ my fish while I'm gone?
4. It's getting warm. You should _____ your jacket.
5. Patrick decided to _____ water color painting.
6. The army tried to _____ the country during the war.
7. Who is going to _____ the garbage?
8. I _____ the phone number yesterday, but I lost the paper.
9. My uncle started a new business last year, and it really _____.
10. You can buy the food for the party and I'll _____ the drinks.
11. I was sick, so I decided to _____ a day from work.
12. Katie _____ her mother. They both have brown hair and blue eyes.

Grammar Focus Phrasal Verbs: 'take'

Level Intermediate to Advanced

ANSWER KEY

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| 1. take off | 7. take away |
| 2. take back | 8. took down |
| 3. take care | 9. took off |
| 4. take off | 10. take care of |
| 5. take up | 11. take off |
| 6. take over | 12. takes after |

Note: Many phrasal verbs have multiple meanings. For example: 'take off'.

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