

Advanced English exercises

Phrasal verbs # 2

Put the following phrasal verbs into the correct sentence. Use the vocabulary clues in the sentences to help you, using a dictionary if necessary. There may be some answers that fit more than one place, but there is only one way of completing the exercise.

balk at	dawn on	doss down	dredge up	dress down
drop off	drum up	frown at	sniff at	walk back

- a. I _____ the prospect of spending four hours on a train with him
- b. Critics of the new tax have _____ the high tariffs and substandard services rendered by operators.
- c. A salary of £5,000 a year is not to be _____.
- d. It slowly _____ her that there were only women in the bar, no men.
- e. Hack reporters love to _____ scandal and gossip about politicians' past lives.
- f. Some companies allow their employees to _____ on Fridays.
- g. 'Could you just ____ me ____ at the corner here, by the church?'
- h. The last time I saw Frank he was trying to _____ support for some crazy investment plan.
- i. The President has a habit of saying something one day and ____ it ____ the following day.
- j. We don't have a spare bed but you're welcome to ____ on the sofa.