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PHRASAL VERBS: TAKE

Fill in the gaps with the missing preposition to form the correct phrasal verb with the correct meaning.

1. I am really taking \_\_\_ English as I study every day in a way that I enjoy.
2. I am considering taking \_\_\_ a new hobby to avoid boredom.
3. The new company should have finished taking \_\_\_ the competitor in no time.
4. We had better take \_\_\_ a new member of staff to deal with the increased workload.
5. Phrasal verbs can be difficult to take \_\_\_ at first, but they are easy when you use them in context.
6. You ought to take \_\_\_ all of this information in your notebooks as it is likely to be in the exam.
7. I have to take \_\_\_ the rubbish each day or it smells bad.
8. The plan took \_\_\_ smoothly despite the awful weather we are having.
9. Is the coffee to take \_\_\_ or to drink here?
10. You shouldn't take \_\_\_ too many subjects if you are to avoid feeling overwhelmed.
11. Wow, you look just like your mum, but I would say that you take \_\_\_ your dad, personality-wise.
12. It would be better to take the whole thing \_\_\_ and start from scratch.
13. I hardly ever take care \_\_\_ my parents as I should. Something that I truly feel sorry about.
14. I usually take \_\_\_ my shoes as soon as I get home from work.
15. The company has taken \_\_\_ more projects than last year.
16. I hardly ever take things \_\_\_ to shops, even though they do not fit well.
17. My 2 jobs take \_\_\_ the majority of my time so I don't tend to stick to my hobbies.
18. I have taken \_\_\_ that ugly picture that was in the living room.
19. We have taken \_\_\_ an exchange student for the next 3 months at our house.

20. I saw the thief steal my wallet so I took \_\_\_\_ him.

Answers:

1. I am really taking **to** English as I study every day in a way that I enjoy.
2. I am considering taking **up** a new hobby to avoid boredom.
3. The new company should have finished taking **over** the competitor in no time.
4. We had better take **on** a new member of staff to deal with the increased workload.
5. Phrasal verbs can be difficult to take **in** at first, but they are easy when you use them in context.
6. You ought to take **down** all of this information in your notebooks as it is likely to be in the exam.
7. I have to take **out** the rubbish each day or it smells bad.
8. The plan took **off** smoothly despite the awful weather we are having.
9. Is the coffee to take **away** or to drink here?
10. You shouldn't take **on** too many subjects if you are to avoid feeling overwhelmed.
11. Wow, you look just like your mum, but I would say that you take **after** your dad, personality-wise.
12. It would be better to take the whole thing **apart** and start from scratch.
13. I hardly ever take care **of** my parents as I should. Something that I truly feel sorry about.
14. I usually take **off** my shoes as soon as I get home from work.
15. The company has taken **on** more projects than last year.
16. I hardly ever take things **back** to shops, even though they do not fit well.
17. My 2 jobs take **up** the majority of my time so I don't tend to stick to my hobbies.
18. I have taken **down** that ugly picture that was in the living room.

19. We have taken **in** an exchange student for the next 3 months at our house.
20. I saw the thief steal my wallet so I took **after** him.