

Sample Vocabulary

Phrasal Verbs | Phrasal idiomatic expressions

We use **phrasal idioms** in everyday life. We use these combinations of words to help convey the main ideas of our sentences and to help move along the conversation in a natural way. Here is an example of a phrasal verb:

“It’s been two weeks already. I just can’t get over this cold.”

In this sentence, the phrase “get over” conveys to the listener that the speaker still has a cold. The speaker cannot get rid of his or her cold. In effect, the speaker cannot get over or move past the physical state in which he or she is right now.

Remember, an expression such as the one above is best used in informal settings!

Let’s look at some more example sentences using similar expressions!

- It’s been 2 months since we broke up but I can’t get over her.
- This has been a tough semester but if I can just get past these last two exams, I’ll be fine.
- Once we got over the initial shock, we were able to discuss the situation calmly.

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New Idioms

1. Get over – to end or finish any current feelings for something or someone.

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2. Get over – to complete or finish the current state you are in and move on to the next stage. “Get past” is another expression you can use when conveying the meaning of this definition of “get over”.

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3. Got over – past tense usage of the phrase “get over”. Applicable to both definitions of the phrase “get over”.