Put it Away

EAE Learning objectives for this lesson

Learn and practice phrasal verbs and practice and review prepositions of place.

Activity 1 - Q and A..

1. How tidy are you as a person?

2. Do you like to store your things, or do they end up all over the floor?

3. Do you have enough storage space in your home?

4. What do you do with old items that you don't want anymore?

5. Are you organised in your workplace? Does everything go in a special place?

Activity 2 - Size Matters

Before 2014, Sweden had the biggest Ikea store. But that has changed now.

Do you know where the largest Ikea store is? Why do you think it is there? Where is the largest French store? How do IKEA stores manage the storage of their stock?

Activity 4 - Phrasal Verbs to Store in Your Mind

A phrasal verb is a combination of a verb and preposition or verb and adverb.

A phrasal verb has a meaning which is different from the original verb. You may need to try to guess the meaning from the context and look it up in a dictionary.

The adverb or preposition that follows the verb are sometimes called a particle. The particle changes the meaning of the phrasal verb in idiomatic ways.

Phrasal verbs are usually used informally in everyday speech as opposed to the more formal verbs,.For example - "to get together" rather than "to congregate", "to put off" rather than "to postpone", or "to get out" rather than "to exit".

Fill in the text with the correct verbs relating to storage. **ONLY ONE USE OF EACH VERB**

(reminder – some phrasal verbs can be split up. EXAMPLE – keep IT safe.)

Keep safe	**tidy up**	**take out**	**take down**	**put together**
throw away	**stock up on**	**put up**	**put away**	**take apart**

When you live in an apartment is a good idea to _____ your room from time to time, so that you don't create a pile of junk. However it is a good idea to _____ screws, because they are very easy to misplace. You could _____ them _____ in a tool box, but then if you lose your tool box you are in big trouble! Screws are important for customers of Ikea because for many items of furniture, the customer themselves must _____ the piece of furniture. If they start to build a piece of furniture and realise they don't like it, they will have to _____ it _____ again It was recently Christmas, so many people had _____ Christmas decorations. But now January has arrived, and it is time to get out the ladders and _____ them _____. People _____ their decorations in boxes and bags. They will never touch them for a whole year, until Christmas comes again, and they have to _____ them _____ again. Sadly, we have to _____ the Christmas tree because it is starting to smell!

Activity 5 – Phrasal Verb Phrases

Using the verbs above, make new sentences with each! Be as creative as you can!

For example - I have to take out the rubbish very often so that I can tidy up the room.

Activity 6 – Know Your Storage Places

Match the item with the correct aisle – in which place in the shop would you store this item?

Aisle	Item
Crockery	Flowers
Frozen foods	Cheese
Canned items	Chorizo
Bakery	Plate
Dairy products	Baked beans
Cleaning products	Rice
Floral	Bread
Dried foods	Peas
Deli	Washing up liquid

Activity 7 – Item Location



Can you identify all of these items? Look at the picture and give the location of all of the items in relation to other items. Prepositions you can use:

Above **Below** **Next to** **Beside** **Underneath** **On top of**

EXAMPLE: The cup is next to the books.

Activity 8 – Show me The Way

It's role-play time.

a) You are helping a customer find something very particular in Ikea. Your teacher will tell you what item they are looking for. You must give them directions to which aisle, which shelf, and all the processes for buying the item.

b) You are guiding a tourist to a famous place in your town/city from the train station. Give them the directions to the famous place.

Activity 9 – Where Can You Put It?

Give examples of places where you can store things – in a house, in an office, anywhere, etc.

Clues: Where do you store clothes? Where do you store food?

