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## B1 Dialog #50 Put and take

Hi everyone,

Today we are going to have some practice with the verbs “to put” and “to take”. We are going to ask each other a few questions and answer them. As always you can read the text in the PDF which you can find in the description. Follow our podcasts on iTunes and Yandex Music. For more new dialogs subscribe to our channel.

As a rule, we use these verbs when we put something on and take it off. However, there are a lot of other phrases with these verbs that can be pretty useful for a conversation.

So let's get to the questions.

- 1) When was the last time you took something apart? What was it and how old were you? - Когда вы в последний раз разбирали что-то? Что это было и сколько вам было лет?**

A few days ago I had to take my laptop apart to do some cleaning. I have done it successfully.

- 2) When did you last have to take back something you had said? - Когда вам в последний раз приходилось забирать свои слова обратно?**

I can hardly remember a situation like that. I think it was a long time ago.

- 3) Have you ever taken something back to a shop? What was it and why? - Вы когда-нибудь возвращали что-нибудь в магазин? Что это было и почему?**

Yes I have. One year ago I bought a coffee machine that didn't work well. I had to take it back to the shop within two weeks. I did so and they gave me another one by warranty. I was absolutely happy.

- 4) Can you tell us a time when you had to take on new responsibilities in your job or family? - Можете ли вы рассказать нам, когда вам приходилось брать на себя новые обязанности на работе или в семье?**

I usually take on new responsibilities when my boss is on holiday. I'm always taking over while he is away.

- 5) What was the last hobby you took up? - Каким последним хобби вы занимались?**

The last hobby I took up was learning languages. I still keep learning them. It's interesting for me.

- 6) When were you last taken out? By who? - Когда вас в последний раз звали на свидание? Кто это был?**

I am a man. So I am supposed to take someone out. The last girl I took out was you of course.

- 7) Do you take after anyone else in your family? - Вы похожи на кого-нибудь из вашей семьи?**

I think I took pretty much after my grandfather. Our characters are so similar sometimes. What do you think?

- 8) When did you last have a take away? What did you have? - Когда вы последний раз брали еду на вынос? Что это было?**

My last take away was burgers with fries in some good restaurant. It's very convenient to take food away when you don't have enough time.

- 9) When you were a child, was anything ever taken away from you? What was it and why? - Когда вы были ребенком, у вас что-нибудь забирали? Что это было и почему?**

I remember mom was taking my video games away when I played too much. But it was not so often.



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**1) Do you often get told off for not putting things away? - Часто ли вас ругают за то, что вы не убираете вещи на место?**

I think it's more about kids. Some of them don't put away their toys.

**2) Do you know anyone that has been put away? What did they do? - Вы знаете кого-нибудь, кого посадили? Что они сделали?**

No, I don't know people that have been put away.

**3) Have you ever put anyone down or has anyone put you down? Why? - Вы когда-нибудь унижали кого-нибудь или кто-нибудь вас унижал? Почему?**

No, I haven't. I think it's really rude to put someone down.

**4) Is there anything that you sometimes put off? - Есть ли что-то, что вы иногда откладываете на потом?**

Yes, of course. I often put off my visits to the dentist. I know that it's not very good, but there is nothing I can do with myself.

**5) Who do you have the most difficulty putting up with? - С кем вам труднее всего мириться?**

I'm a friendly person and I don't like to quarrel with anybody. So I don't know such people.

**6) When was the last time you put somebody up? Who was it and for how long? - Когда вы в последний раз кого-нибудь подставляли? Кто это был и как долго?**

I think I have never put anyone up.

**7) Do you often put on special clothes to go out? - Вы часто надеваете особенную одежду, чтобы выйти на улицу?**

Yes I do. I like looking good and combining different styles, brands and colours.

**8) Have you ever put on a play / show / concert or know anyone who has? - Вы когда-нибудь ставили спектакль / шоу / концерт или знаете кого-нибудь, кто это делал?**

My friend puts on a dance show sometimes. They dance tango and like such performances.

**9) When was the last time you put someone on? Did they find it funny? -**

**Когда вы в последний раз кого-то разыгрывали? Им было смешно?**

In childhood, I used to put my brother on. It was funny and we were laughing a lot!