English

in Use

70 units of vocabulary reference and practice

Self-study and dassroom use

Michael McCarthy Felicity O'Dell

CAMBRIDGE UNTVERSITY PRESS

Contents

Acknowledgements	3
Using this book	4

Learning about phrasal verbs

- 1 Phrasal verbs: the basics
- 2 Phrasal verbs: what they mean
- 3 Particles in phrasal verbs
- 4 Nouns and adjectives based on phrasal verbs
- 5 Metaphor and register

Key verbs

- 6 Come
- 7 Get
- 8 Go
- 9 Look .
- 10 Make
- 11 Put
- 12 Take

Key particles

- 13 Up
- 14 Out
- 15 Off
- 16 On and in
- 17 Down and over
- 18 Around and about
- 19 For and with
- 20 Through and back
- 21 Into and away

Concepts

- 22 Time: spending time
- 23 Time: passing of time
- 24 Location
- 25 Cause and effect
- 26 Change
- 27 Success and failure
- 28 Starting and finishing
- 29 Actions and movement
- 30 Destroying and reacting to destruction
- 31 Communication

Functions

- 32 Describing people and places
- 33 Describing public events
- 34 Describing situations
- 35 Giving and getting information
- 36 Solving problems

- 37 Decisions and plans
- 38 Disagreeing
- 39 Persuading
- 40 Praising and criticising
- 41 Exclamations and warnings

Work, study and finance

- 42- The classroom and learning
- 43 Student life: courses and exams
- 44 Student life: reading and writing
- 45 Work:Jobs and career
- 46 Work: being busy
- 47 Money: salaries, bills, payments
- 48 Mpney: buying and selling
- 49 Business
- 50 Telephoning

Personal life

- 51 Feelings
- 52 Relationships
- 53 Relationships: problems
- 54 Secrets and conversations
- 55 Stages through life
- 56 Health
- 57 Sport
- 58 Homes and daily routines
- 59 Socialising
- 60 Food and drink

The world around us

- 61 Weather
- 62 Travel
- 63 Driving
- 64 Technology
- 65 Computers
- 66 News
- 67 Crime
- 68 Power and authority
- 69 American and Australian phrasal verbs
- 70 New phrasal verbs

Key 146

Mini dictionary 183