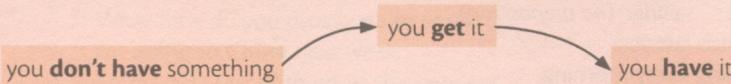


get

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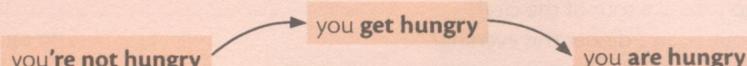
get + noun = receive/buy/find, etc.



- I **got** an email from Sam this morning. (= receive)
- I like your sweater. Where did you **get** it? (= buy)
- Is it hard to **get** a job at the moment? (= find)
- "Is Liz here?" "Yes. I'll **get** her for you."

B

get hungry / get cold / get tired, etc. (get + adjective) = become:



- If you don't eat, you **get hungry**.
- Drink your coffee. It's **getting cold**.
- I'm sorry your mother is sick. I hope she **gets better** soon.
- It was raining very hard. We didn't have an umbrella, so we **got** very **wet**.

also **get married**
get dressed (= put your clothes on)
get lost (= lose your way)

- Nicole and David are **getting married** soon.
- I got up and **got dressed** quickly.
- We didn't have a map, so we **got lost**.

C

get to a place = arrive:

- I usually **get to work** before 8:30. (= arrive at work)
- We left Boston at 10:15 and **got to Ottawa** at 11:45.

get here/there (without to):

- How did you **get here**? By bus?

get home (without to):

- What time did you **get home** last night?

D

get in/out/on/off



get in (a car)

get out (of a car)

get on

(a bus / a train / a plane)

get off

- Kate **got in the car** and drove away. (You can also say: Kate **got into** the car and ...)
- A car stopped and a man **got out**. (but A man **got out of** the car.)
- We **got on the bus** outside the hotel and **got off** at Church Street.

Exercises

54.1 Complete these sentences. Use **get/gets** and choose from the box.

a doctor	a lot of rain	another one	<u>my email</u>	the job
a good salary	a new computer	a ticket	some milk	your boots

- Did you get my email ? I sent it a week ago.
- Where did you ? They're really nice.
- Quick! This man is sick. We have to
- I want to return this phone. It doesn't work. Can I , please?
- Tom has an interview tomorrow. I hope he
- When you go out, can you ?
- "Are you going to the concert?" "Yes, if I can "
- Hannah has a well-paid job. She
- The weather is horrible here in the winter. We
- I'm going to The one I have is too slow.

54.2 Complete these sentences. Use **getting** + these words:

<u>cold</u>	dark	late	married	ready
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- Drink your coffee. It's getting cold .
- Turn on the light. It's
- "I'm next week." "Really? Congratulations!"
- "Where's Karen?" "She's to go out."
- It's It's time to go home.

54.3 Complete the sentences. Use **get/gets/got** + these words:

angry	better	<u>hungry</u>	lost	married	old	wet
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- If you don't eat, you get hungry .
- Don't go out in the rain. You'll
- My brother last year. His wife's name is Sarah.
- Dan is always very calm. He never
- We tried to find the hotel, but we
- Everybody wants to stay young, but we all
- Yesterday the weather wasn't so good at first, but it during the day.

54.4 Write sentences with **I left ... and got to ...**

- home / 7:30 → work / 8:15
I left home at 7:30 and got to work at 8:15.

- 2 Toronto / 10:15 → New York / 12:00

I left Toronto at 10:15 and

- 3 the party / 11:15 → home / midnight

..... .

I left

54.5 Write **got in / got out of / got on / got off**.

- 1 Kate got in the car and drove away.

- 2 I the bus and walked to my house from the bus stop.

- 3 Olivia the car, locked the doors, and went into a store.

- 4 I made a stupid mistake. I the wrong train.