



20 PHRASAL VERBS WITH GO

1. **Go up** : To increase or rise.

- The cost of living continues to go up every year.
- The elevator will go up to the top floor.

2. **Go down** : To decrease or be accepted.

- The temperature tends to go down in the evening.
- The sun will go down soon, and it will get dark.

3. **Go away** : To leave or disappear.

- We usually go away for the summer.
- The smell went away when he opened the window.

4. **Go out** : To leave home for social activities.

- Let's go out for dinner tonight and try that new restaurant.
- They often go out with friends on weekends.

5. **Go for** : To choose or aim for.

- I'll go for the pasta; it's my favourite dish.
- She decided to go for the job that offered more opportunities.





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6. Go through : To experience or examine carefully.

- She had to go through a difficult time after losing her job.
- Before signing any contract, it's essential to go through the terms and conditions.

7. Go on : To continue or proceed.

- Please go on with your story; I'm interested in hearing more.
- I can't believe what's going on in the world right now; it's so unpredictable.

8. Go without : To lack or not have something.

- I can't go without my morning coffee; it's a daily ritual.
- During the camping trip, we had to go without electricity.

9. Go around : To circulate or spread

- There won't be enough pizza to go around if you take two pieces.
- Be cautious; there's a flu bug going around the office.

10. Go off : To explode or make a loud noise.

- The fireworks will go off at midnight to celebrate the New Year.
- Please check why the alarm went off; there might be an issue.

11. Go on about : To talk continuously or at length about something.

- He can go on about his travel experiences for hours; it's fascinating.
- Sorry, I didn't mean to go on about my problems for so long.





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12. Go ahead : To proceed or start.

- If you're ready, you can go ahead and begin the presentation.
- Go ahead and open the package; I'm curious to see what's inside.

13. Go after : To pursue or chase.

- He decided to go after his dream of becoming a professional musician.
- The police went after him but he got away.

14. Go against : To oppose or disagree with something or someone.

- What you're asking me to do goes against everything I believe in.
- It's not easy to go against the majority opinion, but sometimes it's necessary to stand up for what you believe in.

15. Go by : To move past.

- Time seems to go by quickly when you're having fun.
- Don't let opportunities go by

16. Go over : To review or examine.

- Let's go over the details of the contract before signing.
- I need to go over my notes before the exam.

17. Go along : To accompany or cooperate.

- Would you like someone to go along with you to the event?
- The two companies decided to go along with the merger.





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18. Go back to : To have existed since a time in the past.

- Our relationship goes back to when we were at college together.
- Alex and I go back years. I've known her since kindergarten.

19. Go about : To approach or undertake a task.

- There are different ways to go about learning a new language; find what works best for you.
- The team discussed how to go about the project.

20. Go under : To sink or to fail.

- The ship went under just minutes after the last passenger had been rescued.
- Nothing could be done to keep the company from going under.

