Can you use phrasal verbs correctly? Take a moment to do this exercise.

Fill in the blanks.
1. We cannot without food or water.
do
with
Either could be used here
2. Child marriage is a bad custom and should be with.
done off
done away
done up
3. His elder brother did him his rightful inheritance.

out
of
out of
4. We are the kitchen on the weekend.
making up
doing up
doing out
5. As soon as the thief saw the dog rushing towards him, he the gate.
made out
made for
made off

6. What do you make her new boyfriend?
out
of
off
ир
7. He made as soon as he heard that his mother had fallen ill.
up
off
out
8. The superb food at the restaurant made

out for
for
up for
9. The boy made to his mother until she allowed him to go to the movies.
ир
out
off
10. The human body is of the five elements.
made out
made up
made off

11. I find it rather difficult to make him
up
out
off
12. I always fight with my husband but we soon after.
do up
make off
make up

Answers

- 1. We cannot do without food or water.
- 2. Child marriage is a bad custom and should be done away with.
- 3. His elder brother did him out of his rightful inheritance.
- 4. We are doing up the kitchen at the weekend.
- 5. As soon as the thief saw the dog rushing towards him, he made for the gate.

- 6. What do you make of her new boyfriend?
- 7. He made off as soon as he heard that his mother had fallen ill.
- 8. The superb food at the restaurant made up for the bad service.
- 9. The boy made up to his mother until she allowed him to go to the movies.
- 10. The human body is made up of the five elements.
- 11. I find it rather difficult to make him out.
- 12. I always fight with my husband but we make up soon after.