



## PHRASAL VERBS ABOUT USING MONEY ANSWER KEY

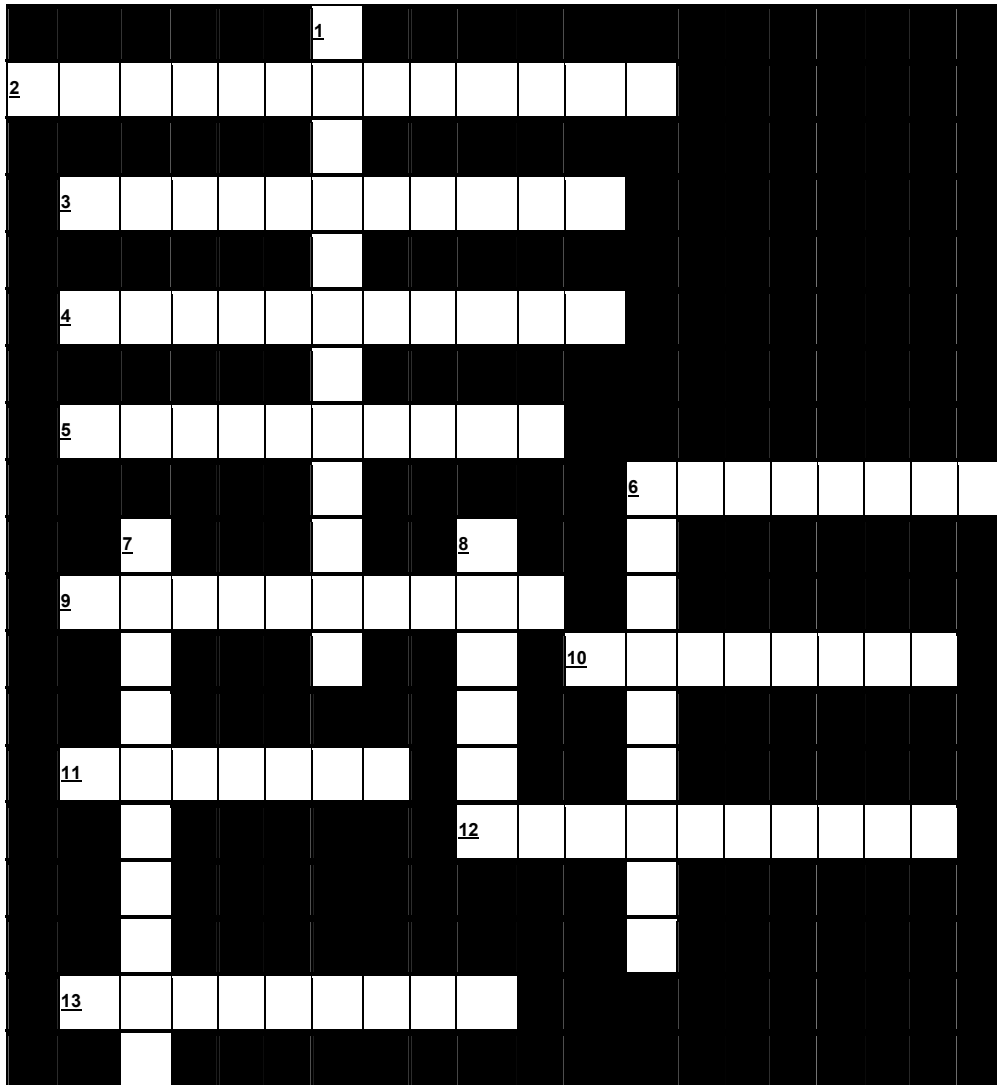
### EXERCISES

#### Practice Exercise 1

Match the definitions with the terms:

LAY OUT	to do things which cause you to owe a large amount of money.
SPLASH OUT	to return money owed to someone.
RUN UP	to help someone with money for a period of time until they have enough.
FORK OUT	to spend part of your saved money.
COUGH UP	to pay for something, usually something you would rather not have to pay for.
GET BY	to spend a lot of money on something you don't need, but is very pleasant.
SCRAPE BY	to have just enough money for your needs.
BAIL OUT	to finish paying all money that is owed.
TIDE OVER	to help a person or organization out of a difficult financial situation.
PAY BACK	to provide money for something you do not want to.
PAY OFF	to spend money, especially a large amount.
SAVE UP	to manage to live on very little money.
PUT ASIDE	to save money for a specific purpose.
DIP INTO	to keep money for a large expense in the future.

**Practice Exercise 2**



**Across:**

- 2) John's been \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of money recently on his girlfriend - he's always taking her out to expensive restaurants.
- 3) I don't mind lending you some money as long as you \_\_\_\_\_ by the end of the month.
- 4) The bank says they're going to repossess my house if I don't catch up with my mortgage payments. I was wondering if you could \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5) I \_\_\_\_\_ my savings to pay for my daughter's wedding.
- 6) I haven't quite \_\_\_\_\_ enough money for the deposit.
- 9) Paul only \_\_\_\_\_ to pay the speeding fine when he was given a final warning.
- 10) We've \_\_\_\_\_ all our savings to pay for a brand new BMW.
- 11) Richard just \_\_\_\_\_ on his salary. He has to be very careful with his money.
- 12) I've got a mortgage of \$140,000 but I hope to \_\_\_\_\_ before I'm 50.
- 13) We've \_\_\_\_\_ enough money to send our children to university.

**Down:**

- 1) I'm running a bit short of money. I was wondering if you could lend me \$500 to \_\_\_\_\_ until the end of the month?
- 6) Since Roger lost his job, he's had to \_\_\_\_\_ on social security payments.
- 7) Bill \_\_\_\_\_ \$15,000 for repairs to his house following the earthquake.
- 8) William has \_\_\_\_\_ huge gambling debts.

**Practice Exercise 3**

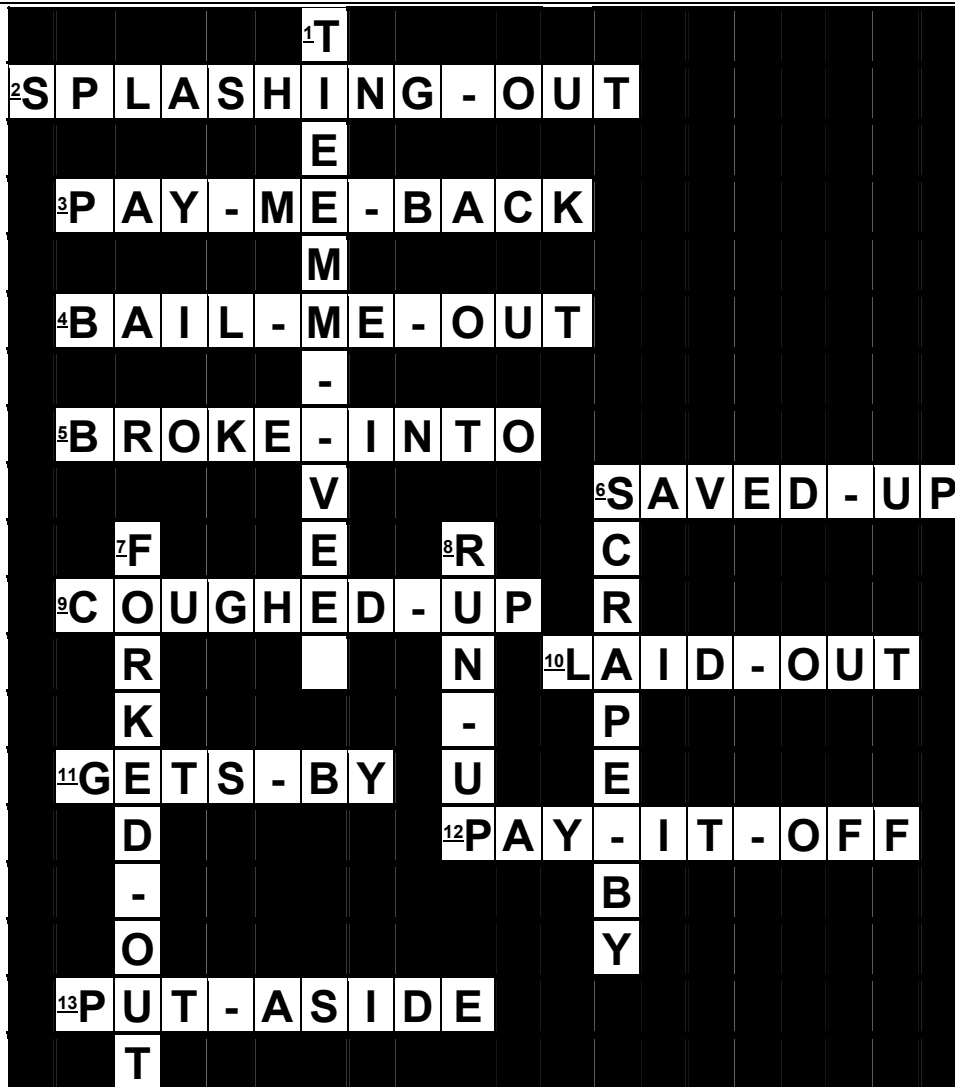
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**ANSWERS**

**Practice Exercise 1**

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