

English Slang A1-A2

Beginner & Elementary Informal Words, 4 exercises + answer key

NAME _____ DATE _____

KEY RULE:

cool · yeah · gonna · gotta · wanna · kinda · no biggie · totally · hang out · a big deal · mate · knackered · gutted · buzzing · sorted

1 Exercise 1

EASY

Fill in the correct informal word.

1. Are you ____ come to the party?

3. That jacket looks really ____.

5. I'm ____ tired but I'll come.

7. I ____ agree, you're right.

9. Moving abroad is ____, plan it.

2. I ____ try that new café.

4. You've ____ see this show.

6. A: Late again. B: ____, no worries.

8. We should ____ more often.

10. Did you enjoy it? ____, loved it!

2 Exercise 2

MEDIUM

Write the slang. Use the hint.

1. ____, going to

3. ____, have to / must

5. ____, no problem (2 words)

7. ____, absolutely

9. ____, very important (3 words)

2. ____, want to

4. ____, kind of / a little

6. ____, great / impressive

8. ____, spend time with friends (2 words)

10. ____, things in general

3 Exercise 3

MEDIUM

Write the meaning of each slang word.

1. mate = _____

3. buzzing = _____

5. dead (British) = _____

7. dodgy = _____

9. cheesy = _____

2. knackered = _____

4. gutted = _____

6. sorted = _____

8. fancy = _____

10. literally = _____

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Exercise 4

HARD

Complete with the correct slang.

1. I'm ____, on feet all day.

3. I'm ____ we didn't win.

5. Don't worry, it's all ____.

7. That film was a bit ____.

9. That website looks ____ to me.

2. She's ____ about the promotion.

4. That was ____ funny.

6. Hey ____, long time no see!

8. Do you ____ going out tonight?

10. I was ____ in shock.

Answer Key

Check your answers below

1 Exercise 1 Easy, fill in the blank

1 gonna

2 wanna

3 cool

4 gotta

5 kinda

6 No biggie

7 totally

8 hang out

9 a big deal

10 Yeah

2 Exercise 2 Medium, write the slang

1 gonna

2 wanna

3 gotta

4 kinda

5 no biggie

6 cool

7 totally

8 hang out

9 a big deal

10 stuff

3 Exercise 3 Medium, write the meaning

1 friend (British)

2 very tired

3 very excited

4 very disappointed

5 very / really

6 arranged / done

7 suspicious

8 want / like

9 too sentimental

10 used for emphasis

4 Exercise 4 Hard, mixed practice

1 knackered

2 buzzing

3 gutted

4 dead

5 sorted

6 mate

7 cheesy

8 fancy

9 dodgy

10 literally