ANSWER KEY WITH EXPLANATIONS

Get in English Quiz: Common Phrases With Get (A2)

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Explanations

1. I ___ a message from my teacher this morning.
✔ **A) got**
We get a message: someone sends it, and it comes to us.

2. It's very late. Let's ___ a taxi home.
✔ **C) get**
We get a taxi (or take a taxi). We don't make, do or go a taxi.

3. What time do you usually get ___?
✔ **C) home**
We say get home, with no to, at or in before home.

4. I get ___ work at half past eight.
✔ **D) to**
Get to + a place means arrive there: get to work, get to school.

5. In winter, it gets ___ at four o'clock.
✔ **A) dark**
Get dark means the sun goes down and night comes. Get + adjective = become.

6. We didn't have a map, so we got ___.
✔ **C) lost**
Get lost means you don't know where you are. We use the -ed form: lost.

7. Take your umbrella, or you'll get ___.
✔ **B) wet**
Get wet means rain or water goes on you.

8. Your friend is ill. You say: "I hope you get ___ soon."
✔ **B) better**
Get better means you feel well again after an illness.

9. My sister and her boyfriend got ___ last summer.
✔ **B) married**
We say get married: they had a wedding and are now husband and wife.

10. Eat your dinner before it gets ___.
✔ **C) cold**
Get cold means it was hot, and now it isn't. Hot food gets cold.

11. The bus comes in five minutes. Get ___!
✔ **A) ready**
Get ready means wash, get dressed and pack your bag before you go.

12. In which sentence does get mean buy?
✔ **D) I got two tickets for the concert.**
Get a ticket means buy a ticket. The other sentences mean become or arrive.

13. After university, Maria ___ a job in a bank.
✔ **D) got**
We get a job: a company says yes, and now we work there.

14. Which one does NOT go with get?
✔ **B) get a mistake**
We say it gets dark, get ready and get a job, but we make a mistake.

15. We got ___ the station at ten, and the train left at five past.
✔ **A) to**
Get to + a place means arrive there.

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