Unit 9 – B
Separable Phrasal verbs with objects
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What is a phrasal verb?

- I usually clean my house on Saturdays.
  
  It is the regular routine of cleaning.

- Last Saturday I cleaned up my bedroom and I found my lost shirt.
  
  It was an exhaustive cleaning, more than the regular.

- This month I haven’t cleaned off the house, there are tons of things we have to remove.
  
  This has to be a very deep cleaning to remove things.

Normal verbs use A PARTICLE to have a specific meaning.
Verbs can be separated

- We can turn the TV after lunch.
- We can turn the TV on after lunch.
- We can turn it on after lunch.

When using object pronouns, they can be only between the verb and the particle.
More examples

- I need to **plug** my telephone **in** the computer so that the files can be transferred.
- I need to **plug in** my telephone.
- I need to **plug it in**.

- We have to **turn** the radio **down**, they are studying.
- We have to **turn down** the radio.
- We have to **turn it down**.

Only the pronoun can be in the middle
I would like to know how to do my homework. You don’t know the process for doing your homework.

Do you know when to turn off the oven? I guess the cake is already baked. You want to know the time to turn off the oven.

These aren’t questions but sentences referring to questions
Embedded questions or Question Word + verb?

- Do you know what time we have to arrive in their house?
  
  The question is indirectly embedded.

- Do you know what time to arrive in their house?
  
  There is no question embedded, only an infinitive.
Thank you