

Subject: **20 + 5**

**1. Read the article and find sentences with similar meaning.**

a. I'm totally jaded. I don't feel like going out tonight.

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b. I'd do anything to be able to stay and fix it.

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c. I don't get what you mean.

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d. I can't stand your complaints any more.

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e. I was really out of sorts.

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f. I'm overworked.

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g. I'm broke at the moment.

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h. It was so sweltering that I felt like taking a nap.

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i. Give me a sec and I'll be with you.

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j. I need to turn in.

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k. I was a newbie then.

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Answer key: 1 a. I'm dog tired. I don't fancy going out tonight. / b. I wish to hell I could stay and fix it. / c. I've only a hazy idea what you mean. / d. I'm sick and tired of hearing your complaints. / e. I was feeling really under the weather. / f. I'm snowed under with work. / g. I'm hard up at the moment. / h. It was so hot that I dozed off. / i. I'll be with you in a mo/in a jiffy. / j. I'm gonna hit the sack. / k. I was a rookie then.

**2. Fill in the gaps with the missing words/prepositions.**

- a. I'll take a torch in ..... it gets dark.
- b. Are you going to put up ..... it?
- c. It's hot and I'm pouring .....
- d. We are ..... and tired of your orders.
- e. He hit it ..... with her at the first meeting.
- f. We'll be there ..... a jiffy.
- g. It's been a long day. Let's ..... the sack.
- h. It was such a huge disappointment ..... us all.
- i. I was snowed ..... with work at that time.
- j. I'll be there ..... a jiffy.



Answer key: a. case, b. with, c. sweat, d. sick, e. off, f. in, g. hit, h. to, i. under, j. in

**3. Finish the sentences so they make sense to you.**

- If I were you, .....
- I'm sick and tired of .....
- I can't get used to .....
- I wouldn't put up with .....
- I'm sorely tempted to.....
- I was astonished to.....