

SEPARABLE PHRASAL VERBS

Transitive phrasal verbs need an object, and they can be separable or inseparable. When a phrasal verb is separable, we can use either verb + particle + object or verb + object + particle.

- You need to put on your jacket. ✓
- You need to put your jacket on. ✓
- I took off my shoes. ✓
- I took my shoes off. ✓

We can also replace the object with a pronoun, but then the object **MUST** go between the verb and the particle.

- You need to put it on. ✓
- You need to put on it. ✗
- I took them off. ✓
- I took off them. ✗

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