

7E – Review Answers



Try these

Read the text and complete these sentences as in the example.

1. David isn't doing his dreads himself; *he is having them done.*
2. Stanley didn't redo the lighting himself; he *had it redone.*
3. He didn't rewire the place himself; he *had the contractors do it.*
4. He didn't repaint the walls himself; he *had them repainted.*
5. He didn't trim along the edge of the ceiling himself; he *got the carpenters to do it.*
6. He isn't going to suggest some furniture himself; he's *going to get someone to suggest some furniture.*

What are four things the queen is getting her workers to do?

She is getting them to walk the dog.

She is getting them to bring the packages in faster.

She is getting them to unpack the basket.

She is getting them to have her bath ready when she gets home.



What do you think? Answers may vary.

Your friend has a lot of problems and needs some help. Give him some advice about who can help him.

1. My wife and I want to go out on Friday night, but we can't leave the kids home by themselves.
(babysitter) *Why don't you get a babysitter to look after the kids?*

2. I want to find a book at the library, but the place is so confusing.

(librarian) *Why don't you get the librarian to show you how to find the book?*

3. I tried to paint my living room, but I just made a big mess.

(painters) *Why don't you get some painters to do it?*

4. My house is too big for me to take care of all by myself.

(maid) *Why don't you get a maid to help you?*

5. I've written a children's book, but I can't draw the pictures for it.

(illustrator) *Why don't you have an illustrator draw the pictures for it?*

6. I have to file my taxes this month but I don't know how to fill out the forms.

(accountant) *Why don't you get an accountant to do it for you?*

7. I want to dye my hair, but I'm too scared to do it myself.

(hairdresser) *Why don't you have a hairdresser do it for you?*

8. I tried to study English by myself but I'm having a lot of trouble.

(teacher) *Why don't you get a teacher to help you?*



How about you? Answers will vary.

If you could change five things about your house or apartment, what would you have done?

I would have the windows changed so I could see outside without having to open them.

I would have the tatami mats taken out of one of the rooms.

I would have shelves put into the futon cupboards.

I would get the owners to put in an elevator.

I would have shelves put in above the washing machine.

Do you like to do some things yourself rather than get others to do them? What things do you prefer to have other people do for you?

I prefer to have other people do my cooking and cleaning for me.