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wade in  
wades, wading, waded  
wade in

بِقَوْمٍ بَرَّةٍ فِعْلٌ عَنِيفٌ دُونَ تَفْكِيرٍ.

e.g. The large banks waded in to avert economic crisis.

wade into  
wade into (sth.)

تَتَوَرَّطُ فِي مَوْقِفٍ صَفْبٍ دُونَ تَفْكِيرٍ.

e.g. She has waded into one controversy after another.

wade through (sth.)

تَحْوِضُ (عَمَلًا صَفْبًا) نَقُومُ بِجُحْدٍ كَبِيرٍ فِي عَمَلٍ صَفْبٍ وَبِئَلٍ.

e.g. We had to wade through pages of legal language before we found what we wanted.

waffle on  
waffles, waffling, waffled

waffle on

بِقَوْلٍ أَوْ بِكُتْبٍ بِمَرَاوِغَةٍ أَوْ عَمُوضٍ.

e.g. She waffled on about the public's right to information.

waft + participle

(١) (الرَّائِحَةُ الْجَمِيلَةُ) تَنْسَابُ. تَسِيرُ فِي الْجَوِّ.

e.g. A delicious smell wafted out from the kitchen.

(٢) تَحْمِلُ الرِّيحُ الْقَارِبَ.

e.g. The breeze wafted the boat along.

wag about/ around

wag about/ around

بِهَذِهِ يُوَزَّجِحُ بِجَعْلِهِ بِتَمَلِيلٍ بِلُوحٍ (بِالْأَعْلَامِ مَثَلًا).

e.g. The long poles were wagging about in the breeze.

e.g. The children were wagging the flags about.

wait about/ around  
waits, waiting, waited  
wait about/ around

يَنْتَظِرُ عَيْنًا، بِلا طَلِيلٍ، يَطُولُ انْتِظَارُهُ.

e.g. They waited about for another bus, but none came.

wait behind

تَتَخَلَّفُ فِي الْمُنْشَى، تَنْتَظِرُ فِي الْخَلْفِ أَوْ الْمَوْجِرَةِ.

e.g. The teacher made us wait behind after school.

wait in

يَبْقَى فِي الْمَكَانِ، لَا تُغَادِرُ الْمَكَانَ.

e.g. I had to wait in all day for the plumber.

wait on (sb./ sth.)

(١) يُحَدِّمُ عَلَى، يَقُومُ عَلَى خِدْمَةٍ.

e.g. The guests were waited on by a highly trained team of young staff.

(٢) يَنْظُلُّ مُنْتَظِرًا.

e.g. They waited on at the scene of the accident until the ambulance arrived.

(٣) تَتَفَاسَى قَلْبًا وَرُوحًا فِي خِدْمَةِ (الشَّخْصِ مَثَلًا).

e.g. To wait on someone hand and foot.

e.g. Creg waited on me hand & foot.

wait out (sth.) or wait (sth.) out

تَنْتَظِرُ حَتَّى يَزُولَ أَمْرٌ مَكْرُوهٌ.

e.g. There will be a long period of negotiation but we're willing to wait it out.

wait up

تَبْقَى سَاهِرًا حَتَّى حُضُورِ (الشَّخْصِ مَثَلًا).

e.g. I'll be home late, so don't wait up for me.

wait up! (عادة بصيغة الأمر)

انْتَظِرِي!

e.g. Hey, Jennie, wait up! I need to talk to you.

wake up (sb.) or wake (sb.) up  
wakes, waking, woke, woken (also woked)  
wake up

(١) بَضَحُو. يَسْتَيْقِظ. يَفِيقُ مِنَ النَّوْمِ.

e.g. He woke up at seven o'clock.

e.g. Stewart woke me up with his coughing.

wake up to (sth.)

تُفِيقُ بَعْدَ غَفْلَةٍ. تُدْرِكُ الْأُمُورَ. تَنْتَبِهُ إِلَى (حَاطِرٍ مَثَلًا).

e.g. I wish I can wake them up to the danger they are in.

walk away  
walks, walking, walked

walk away

يَنْسَحِبُ مِنْ مَوْقِفٍ صَغْبٍ لَا جَدْوَى مِنْهُ.

e.g. You can't just walk away from a five, year relationship because you're having a few problems.

walk away with (sth.) (عَامِيَّةً)

حَاصِلٌ عَلَى جَائِزَةٍ أَوْ تَنْفَوقَ فِي مَسَابِقَةٍ بِسُهُولَةٍ.  
e.g. He walked away with all three gold medals.

walk in on (sb.)

تَتَلَصَّصُ عَلَى (شَخْصٍ) تَدْخُلُ عَلَى (شَخْصٍ) خِلْسَةً.

e.g. She walked in on me as I was getting undressed.

walk into (sth.)

حَاصِلٌ عَلَى وَظِيْفَةٍ بِسُهُولَةٍ.

e.g. She walked straight into a well paid job after leaving university.

walk off (sth.)

تُعَادِرُ مَكَانًا مِنْ شِدَّةِ الْغَضَبِ أَوْ كَعَلَامَةٍ مِنَ الْاِخْتِجَاحِ.

e.g. Some of the workers wanted to walk off in protest at factory conditions.

walk off (sth.) or walk (sth.) off

تَتَمَسَّى لِتَنْخَلِّصَ مِنْ أَلَمٍ (صُدَاعٍ مَثَلًا) أَوْ تَهْضِمَ الطَّعَامَ.

e.g. I went to the beach to walk off my headache.

e.g. Let's go & walk off our lunch.

walk off with (sth.) (عَامِيَّةً)

(١) حَاصِدٌ جَائِزَةً أَوْ تَنْفَوقَ فِي مُتَابِقَةٍ بِسُهُولَةٍ جَدًّا.

e.g. He walked off with the most sought-after title in tennis.

(٢) يَنْسَرِقُ. يَنْيْسِلُ (سَاعَةً مَثَلًا).

e.g. He walked off with several watches.

walk out

(١) تَخْرُجُ مِنْ مَسْرَجِيَّةٍ قَبْلَ انْتِهَائِهَا؛ لِأَنَّكَ غَاضِبٌ أَوْ لِأَنَّ (الْمَسْرَجِيَّةَ) لَا تُعْجَبُكَ.

e.g. She was so disgusted by some of the language in the film that she walked out.

(٢) تَتَوَقَّفُ عَنِ الْعَمَلِ. تُضْرِبُ عَنِ الْعَمَلِ بِنَاءً عَلَى خِلَافِ مَعَ صَاحِبِ الْعَمَلِ.

e.g. Staff walked out after further job losses were announced.

(٣) يَنْهِي عِلَاقَةَ مَعَ (الرَّوْجِ أَوْ الرُّوْحَةِ أَوْ الْحَبِيبِ).

e.g. She walked out on her boyfriend after three years of abuse.

walk (sb.) through (sth.)

تَسْرَحُ سَبِيئًا بِطَءٍ وَوُضُوحٍ لِشَخْصٍ أَوْ تُزِيْدُ شَخْصًا كَيْفَ يَقُومُ بِعَمَلٍ مَا.

e.g. She walked me through the six page document.

wall off

walls, walling, walled

wall off

يَحْطُوطُ بِسُورٍ. يَفْصِلُ أَوْ يَغْرِزِلُ بِجِدَارٍ.

e.g. The garden has been walled off from its neighbors.

wall up (sth.) or wall (sth.) up

يَسِدُ (الْمُدْخَلَ) بِقَوَالِبِ مِنَ الطُّوبِ مَثَلًا.

e.g. The entrance has been walled up.

wallow in (sth.)

wallows, wallowing, wallowed

wallow in

تَتَمَرَّعُ فِي الْحُزْنِ وَكَأَنَّكَ تَتَمَتَّعُ بِهِ.

e.g. After a few weeks of wallowing in misery, I decided to look for a job.

waltz off with (sth.) (عاهية)

waltzes, waltzing, waltzed

waltz off with (sth.)

بَتَقَدَّمَ بِحِجْمَةٍ وَيَنْطَلِقُ بِشَيْءٍ لَا يَمْلِكُهُ.

e.g. David's just waltzed off with the only copy of the report.

wander off

wanders, wandering, wandered

wander off

تَتَرَكُ إِخْوَانَكَ وَتَسْرُدُ مَنْ عَلَيْهِمْ مَكَانِكَ. بَتَجَوَّلُ  
بِلا هَدَفٍ.

e.g. Small children tend to wander off if you don't watch them all the time.

want for (always negative) (تعبير لبيبي)

wants, wanting, wanted

want for

لَا بَعُوزَهُ شَيْءٌ. لَا يَحْتَاجُ لِشَيْءٍ.

e.g. As a child I wanted for nothing.

want in (عاهية)

(أ) تَنْضَمُ إِلَى.

e.g. We've started an athletic club and a lot of local schools want in.

(أ) تُرِيدُ الدُّخُولَ فِي مَكَانٍ.

e.g. The cat wants in. Can you open the door?

want out (عاهية)

(أ) تُرَغِبُ فِي الانْسِحَابِ مِنْ حُطَّةٍ أَوْ عَمَلٍ مَا.

e.g. I want out of this deal before I lose all my money.

(أ) تُرِيدُ الخُرُوجَ مِنْ مَكَانٍ.

e.g. I want out here, the noise and the smoke are really getting to me.

ward off (sth.) or ward (sth.) off

wards, warding, warded

ward off

نَتَقَيَّ. نَتَجَنَّبُ (مَرَضًا أَوْ سَرًّا).

e.g. I eat an orange every day to ward off colds.

warm over (sth.) or warm (sth.) over

warms, warming, warmed

warm over

(أ) يُسَخِّنُ (الطَّعَامَ الْمُطْبُوعَ مَثَلًا).

e.g. There's some food left from last night which I can warm over for lunch.

(أ) تُتَأَفِسُ مَوْضُوعًا قَبْلَ بَحْثًا مِنْ قَبْلِ.

e.g. Voters are bored with politicians warming over old policies.

warmed-over (adj.)

مَوْضُوعٌ بَحِثٌ مِنْ قَبْلِ (قَدِيمٍ). نُسَخَةٌ مُجَدِّدَةٌ مِنْ  
مَشْرُوعٍ قَدِيمٍ.

e.g. His dissertation doesn't contain anything original, just warmed over theories.

warm to (sth.)

تَبْدَأُ فِي حُبِّ شَخْصٍ مَا. تَتَأَلَّفُ مَعَهُ.

e.g. Tom's so friendly that you can't help warming to him.

warm up (sth./ sb.) or warm (sth./ sb.) up

تُدْفِئُ. تُسَخِّنُ.

e.g. The room warms up fairly quickly once the heating is turned on.

warm up (sth.) or warm (sth.) up

(أ) (الرِّيَاضِيَّ) يُسَخِّنُ قَبْلَ بَدْءِ مُبَارَاةٍ. يَقُومُ بَعْدَهُ  
حَرَكَاتٍ رِيَاضِيَّةٍ اسْتِعْدَادًا لِلْمُبَارَاةِ.

e.g. You're less likely to injure yourself if you warm up before playing a sport.

warm-up (n.)

e.g. Stretching exercises form a part of the warm-up.

(أ) المَوْثُورُ أَوْ الآلَةُ تُسَخِّنُ قَبْلَ أَنْ تَعْمَلَ.

e.g. The computer takes a couple of seconds to warm up.

warm up (sb.) or warm (sb.) up

تُهَيِّئُ الْجُمْهُورَ لِلِاسْتِمْتَاعِ (بِحَفْلٍ مَثَلًا).

e.g. He warmed the audience up by telling a few jokes.

warm-up (n.)

مُقَدِّمَةٌ لِطَبِيقَةِ الحَفْلِ.

e.g. They booked a comedian for the studio audience warm-up.

## warm up

(١) تَهَيَّئِ نَفْسَكَ بِبَعْضِ التَّمَارِينِ الْبَسِيطَةِ قَبْلَ التَّبَارَةِ أَوْ الْغَنَاءِ عَلَى الْمَسْرَحِ.

e.g. She usually warms up in her dressing room by singing a couple of short songs.

(٢) الْحُفْلُ يَزْدَادُ دِفْئًا وَحَرَارَةً وَتَشْوِيقًا.

e.g. The party has begun to warm up.

warn away (sb./ sth.) or warn (sth./ sb.) away

warns, warning, warned

warn away

حَذَّرَ شَخْصًا مِنْ حَظَرٍ.

e.g. Flashing lights are used to warn ships away from the rocks.

warn off (sb.) or warn (sb.) off (sth.)

حَذَّرَ شَخْصًا (وَمِنْ عَمَلِ شَيْءٍ أَوْ التَّوَرُّطِ فِي شَيْءٍ).

e.g. When we tried to enter the place, some men warned us off.

wash away (sth.) or wash (sth.) away

washes, washing, washed

wash away

(١) (أَمْوَاجُ الْبَحْرِ) تُطَيِّحُ (بِسَفِينَةٍ مَثَلًا).

e.g. Whole ships were washed away in the floods.

(٢) يَجْرِفُ الْفَيْضَانُ (الْقُرْبَةَ أَوْ الْقَرِيَةَ).

e.g. Heavy rain had washed away most of the soil.

wash down (sth.) or wash (sth.) down

(١) تَتَسَرَّبُ مَاءٌ أَثْنَاءَ الْأَكْلِ أَوْ حِينَ تَتَقاطى دَوَاءٌ لِإِسَاعِدِكَ عَلَى الْبَلْعِ.

e.g. She took a gulp of milk to wash the pills down.

(٢) تَغْسِلُ (السَّيَّارَةَ مَثَلًا) غَسْلًا تَامًا.

e.g. The hospital floors are washed down with antiseptic every morning.

wash out (sth.) or wash (sth.) out

(١) تَغْسِلُ الْإِنَاءَ مِنَ الدَّخِيلِ.

e.g. Wash the pan out with detergent.

(٢) تُغْسِلُ (قِطْعَةَ مَلَابِسٍ مُشْبِخَةً مَثَلًا).

e.g. He washed his socks out in the hotel sink.

(٣) (الْأَمْطَارُ) تَتَسَبَّبُ فِي الْغَاءِ (الْمُبَارَاةِ مَثَلًا).

e.g. The rain has washed the game out.

wash out (sth.) or wash (sth.) out

تُرِيدُ (الْبُقْعَ) بِالْقَيْسِيلِ.

e.g. They washed all the stains out.

wash out (sth.) or wash (sth.) out

تَمَسَّلَ فِي حَقِيقِ نَصْرٍ.

e.g. He was a big baller star in the college, but he washed out in the professional game.

wash-out (n.)

فَمَسَّلَ دَرِيْعٍ.

e.g. The festival was a complete wash-out.

wash over (sb.)

شُعُورٌ أَوْ إِحْسَاسٌ يَغْمُرُ (الشَّخْصَ).

e.g. A sense of despair washed over him.

wash up (sth.) or wash (sth.) up

يَغْسِلُ (الْأَطْبَاقَ مَثَلًا).

e.g. I'd better wash up the dishes before I go.

washing-up (n.)

e.g. There was a pile of washing up.

wash up

يَغْتَسِلُ (يَغْسِلُ وَجْهَهُ أَوْ بَدَنَهُ).

e.g. I went into the rest room to wash up.

wash up

(الْقُرْبَى) يَجْرِفُ سَبِيْنًا إِلَى الشَّاطِئِ.

e.g. His body was washed up on a remote beach.

waste away

wastes, wasting, wasted

waste away

(صِحَّتُهُ) تَذْبُلُ. تَدَّهْوَرُ.

e.g. It's terrible to watch someone you love waste away like that.

watch out (فعل أمر)

حُدِّ حَذَرَكَ. تَقُولُهَا لِشَخْصٍ لِيَتَجَنَّبَ حَظَرًا مَا.

e.g. "Watch out, there's a car coming".

watch out for (sth.)

يُنْتَبِهْ إِلَى

e.g. Drivers were told to watch out for black ice on the road.

watch out for (sb./ sth.)

تُلاحِظ. تُرَاقِبُ شَخْصًا أَوْ شَيْئًا مُسَلِّبًا.

e.g. Watch out for his latest movie which comes out next month.

watch over (sb./ sth.)

(١) حَمِي أَوْ نَفَقَتِي بِشَخْصٍ أَوْ حَيَوَانٍ.

e.g. The princess' bodyguard was by the pool watching over them as they played.

(٢) تُرَاقِبُ بِيَقَّةٍ شَخْصًا لِتَتَأَكَّدَ مِنْ أَنَّهُ يَتَصَرَّفُ بِالطَّرِيقَةِ الصَّحِيحَةِ.

e.g. Observers were sent from several countries to watch over the elections.

water down (sth.) or water (sth.) down

waters, watering, watered

water down

(١) تُحَفِّفُ (السُّرَابَ) بِالْمَاءِ.

e.g. I suspect they water down the beer in that pub.

e.g. You have watered down your argument considerably since we last met.

watered-down (adj.)

(الْقَانُونِ) مُحَفَّفٍ.

e.g. The new law is a watered-down version of what the judges recommended.

wave aside (sth.) or wave (sth.) aside

waves, waving, waved

wave aside

يُنَحِّي جَانِبًا.

e.g. Her objections to the plan were quickly waved aside by the committee.

wave down (sth.) or wave (sth.) down

يَلْوِجُ. يُبَسِّرُ إِلَى (سَائِقٍ) بِذِرَاعِيهِ لِيَتَوَقَّفَ.

e.g. I waved down the first car that came along.

wave off (sb.) or wave (sb.) off

تَلْوِجُ لِشَخْصٍ مُؤَدِّعًا.

e.g. We went to the station to wave him off.

wave on (sb.) or wave (sb.) on

صَاطِطُ التُّورِ يُبَسِّرُ بِيَدَيْهِ لِلسَّائِقِ لِيَسْتَمِرَّ فِي طَرِيقِهِ.

e.g. Police officers at the scene of the accident were waving other drivers on.

wean (sb.) off (sth.)

weans, weaning, weaned

wean off

بُفْطِمُ. يَجْعَلُ شَخْصًا يُفْلِعُ عَنِ عَادَةِ.

e.g. I'm trying to wean myself off sugary food generally.

wean on

be weaned on (sb./ sth.) (always passive)

(الشُّخْصِ) يَتَرَبَّى عَلَى شَيْءٍ مِنَ الصَّغِيرِ.

e.g. This is a generation that has been weaned on dance culture.

wear down (sth.) or wear (sth.) down

wears, wearing, wore, worn

wear down

يَبْلَى. (الْحَجَرَ) يَتَأَكَّلُ.

e.g. Your back tire has worn right down, it needs replacing.

wear down (sb.) or wear (sb.) down

يُنْهَكَ قُوَى (شَخْصٍ مَثَلًا).

e.g. His strength has been worn down by illness.

e.g. The general has decided to wear down the enemy's strength by a long slow campaign.

wear in (sth.) or wear (sth.) in

تَلْبَسُ حِذَاءً جَدِيدًا وَمَيْسِي بِهِ حَتَّى يَرِيحَكَ.

e.g. Make sure you wear in your new shoes properly before the trip.

wear off

شُعُورٌ أَوْ إِحْسَاسٌ يَتَلَاثَسِي.

e.g. The anesthetic wears off after a couple of hours.

**wear on**

بَتَّهِيَ الرِّمَنَ بِسُرْعَةٍ.

e.g. As the harsh winter wore on, supplies of coal became scarce.

**wear out (sth.) or wear (sth.) out**

تَسْتَعْمِلُ سِدْنِيًّا لِكَدَّةٍ طَوِيلَةٍ حَتَّى يَبْلَسَ.

e.g. I've already worn out two pairs of shoes this year.

**worn-out (adj.)**

مُنْهَكَ الْقُوَى.

e.g. It's dangerous to drive around with worn-out tires.

e.g. I was completely worn out by the end of the term.

**weazel out of (sth.) (عَامِيَّة)**

weazels, weazeling, weazel  
weazel out of

تَرَاوَعُوا وَتَنَسَّجَبُوا مِنْ اتِّفَاقِ سَابِقٍ.

e.g. They'd promised to pay us for the work, but they tried to weazel out of it.

**be wedded to (sth.) (always passive)**

wed to

تَتَمَسَّكُ بِفِكْرَةٍ.

e.g. The party is still wedded to the idea of high taxation.

**weed out (sb./ sth.) or weed (sb./ sth.) out**

weeds, weeding, weeded  
weed out

يَفْتَلِحُ بِفَضِي عَالِيٍّ يَسْتَأْصِلُ.

e.g. I want you to weed out trouble-makers.

e.g. The exam helps to weed out unsatisfactory candidates.

**weigh (sth.) against (sth.)**

weighs, weighing, weighed  
weigh against

(١) يَزِنُ الْأُمُورَ قَبْلَ حَقِيقَتِهَا.

e.g. Economic benefits have to be weighed against the possible damage to the environment.

(٢) تَقَارَنَ بَيْنَ مَوْجِبِينَ أَوْ حَقِيقَتَيْنِ قَبْلَ أَنْ تَخْتَارَ أَحْسَنَهُمَا.

e.g. Our school has a limited budget so requests for books have to be weighed against the need for more teachers

weigh against (sth./ sb.) (تَعْبِيرِيٌّ)

يَقْلَلُ مِنْ فُرْصِ النَّجَاحِ.

e.g. Political unrest weighed against their chances of achieving a lasting peace.

**weigh down (sb.) or weigh (sb.) down**

(١) حَمَّلَ بَعْبَاءَ زَائِدٍ.

e.g. You don't want to be weighed down with extra luggage.

(٢) تُضَيِّحُ مُنْقَلًا (بِالْأَحْزَانِ مَثَلًا) أَوْ الْأَعْيَاءَ أَوْ مُرَهَقًا.

e.g. I thought she looked older somehow, weighed down by all her responsibilities.

**weigh in**

weighs, weighing, weighed

(١) يُسْهِمُ فِي نِقَاشٍ.

e.g. He weighed in with a strong argument against the policy.

(٢) قَبِلَ الْمُبَارَاةَ يُوَزِنُ (الْمُلَاكِمَ).

e.g. The boxers weighed in.

**weigh-in (n.)**

e.g. At the official weigh-in, Tyson promised to regain his title.

**weigh on/ upon (sb./ sth.)**

نُضِي أَوْ تُنْهِكُ الْمَسْئُويَّةَ أَوْ الْحُزْنَ الْقَرْدَ.

e.g. He's having a few problems at work and I think they're weighing heavily on him.

**weigh out (sth.) or weigh (sth.) out**

يَزِنُ (السُّكَّرَ) مَثَلًا.

e.g. I weighed out all the ingredients for the cake.

**weigh up (sth.) or weigh (sth.) up**

يُؤَاوِنُ بَيْنَ سَلْبَتَيْنِ.

e.g. You have to weigh up the pleasures of living in the country against the convenience of living in a town.

**weigh up (sb.) or weigh (sb.) up**

بَقَيْمٍ. يُرَاقِبُ اشْخَصًا عَنْ قُرْبٍ لِمَعْرِفَةِ مَا هُوَ عَلَيْهِ.  
e.g. I could tell she was weighing me up as we spoke.

**welch/ welsh on (sth.)** (تغيب/تسوي)  
**welches, welching, welched/ welshes, welshing, welshed**  
**welch/ welsh on**

يُفَسِّلُ فِي تَنْفِيذِ مَا اتَّفَقَ عَلَيْهِ. يَتَوَهَّبُ مِنَ الْاِتِّفَاقِ.  
e.g. They've agreed to pay half the costs, but they welched on the deal at the last minute.

**well up**  
**wells, welling, welled**  
**well up**

(١) (الْعَيْنَانِ) تَفِيضَانِ بِالدَّمْعِ. (الماء) يَتَبَيَّقُ مِنَ الْعَيْنِ.  
e.g. I felt tears welling up in my eyes.  
e.g. He planned to build his house close where the spring welled up.

(٢) (التشاعر) تَدُورُ.  
e.g. As I walked through the forest, a feeling of great joy welled up inside me.

**whale into**  
**whales, whaling, whaled**  
**whale into**

تَهَاجِمُ شَخْصًا وَتَكِيلُ لَهُ اللَّكِمَاتِ.  
e.g. She whaled into him, her fists flying.

**wheel around/ round** (تغيب/تسوي)  
**wheels, wheeling, wheeled**  
**wheel around/ round**

تَلْفُ وَتَدُورُ فَجَاءَهُ.  
e.g. She wheeled around to face her opponent.

**wheel out (sth./ sb.) or wheel (sth./ sb.) out**  
**يَكْرُرُ (كَلَامًا) رِيًّا**

e.g. You hear them wheeling out the same tired clichés every time they speak.  
e.g. Year after year they wheel out the same old celebrities to entertain us.

**while/ wile away (sth.) or while (sth.) away (never passive)**  
**whiles, whiling, whiled/ wiles, wiling, wiled**

**while/ wile away**

يَتَكَاسَلُ. يَفْتُلُ الْوَقْتَ.  
e.g. I whiled away the days playing cards and reading.

**whip out (sth.) or whip (sth.) out**  
**whips, whipping, whipped**  
**whip out**

بِحَاوِلِ الْإِمْتِسَاكِ بِشَيْءٍ فَجَاءَهُ وَبَسْرَعَةٍ. يَسْتَلُّ (سِكِّينًا) بِسْرَعَةٍ.  
e.g. He whipped out a knife.

**whip through (sth.)** (شبه عامية)

تَقُومُ بِعَمَلِ شَيْءٍ بِسْرَعَةٍ.  
e.g. She whipped through the ironing in a matter of minutes.

**whip up (sth.) or whip (sth.) up**

(١) يَضْرِبُ (الْبَيْضَ مَثَلًا) بِالضَّرْبِ.  
I'll whip up some cream to go with the strawberries.

(٢) (عَامِيَّة) جَهَّزَ (الْأَكْلَ مَثَلًا) بِسْرَعَةٍ.  
e.g. Within minutes, he had whipped up a plate of spaghetti.

(٣) تُبِيرُ الرِّيَاحُ الرَّمَالَ أَوْ تُحَرِّكُ الْمِيَاءَ.  
e.g. Waves grew to gigantic heights whipped up by the wind.

**whip up (sth.)**

تُهَيِّجُ أَوْ تُبِيرُ الْمُتَسَاعِرَ مَثَلًا.  
e.g. Both candidates are trying desperately to whip up some support.

e.g. He accused the media of whipping up hysteria.

**whip up (sb.) or whip (sb.) up**

تُحَرِّكُ عَوَاطِفَ شَخْصٍ لِيَتَقَبَّلَ فِكْرَةً.  
e.g. He whipped up the crowd with a highly controversial opening speech.

whittle away (sth.) or whittle (sth.) away  
whittles, whittling, whittled

whittle away

بُقِّلَصَ. بَحَقَّضَ حَاجِمًا.

e.g. Her authority has been whittled away  
by quarrels within the group.

whittle away at (sth.)

بَحَقَّفَ مِنْ حَاجِمِ شَيْءٍ أَوْ مِنْ أَهْمِيَّتِهِ.

e.g. They have introduced new laws to  
whittle away at the power of the trade  
unions.

whittle down (sth./ sb.) or whittle  
(sth./ sb.) down

نَقَّلَ مِنْ حَاجِمِ شَيْءٍ أَوْ مِنْ عَدَدِ الْأَشْخَاصِ.

e.g. We had eighty applicants for the job,  
but we've whittled them down to six.

whoop it up (عَامِيَّة)

whoops, whooping, whooped

whoop up

تَفَرَّحَ وَتَمَرَّحَ بِطَرِيقَةٍ مُزَعَّجَةٍ لِلْآخِرِينَ.

e.g. It sounded like they were whooping it  
up next door.

wimp out (عَامِيَّة)

wimps, wimping, wimped

wimp out

يَهْرَبُ مِنْ عَمَلِ شَيْءٍ مِنْ شِدَّةِ الْخَوْفِ. يَجُنُّ فِي آخِرِ  
خُطْبَةٍ.

e.g. I was going to do a parachute jump  
but I wimped out at the last moment.

win around/ over/ round (sb.) or win (sb.)

around/ over/ round

wins, winning, won

win around/ over/ round

بَكَسِبَ أَوْ بَسْتَوَيْلَ إِلَى جَانِبِهِ (خُصُومَةً مَثَلًا).

e.g. He wasn't very keen on the idea to  
begin with but I managed to win him over  
in the end.

win out

سُعُورَ مَا يَغْطِي عَلَى بَقِيَّةِ الْمُتَسَاعِرِ الْآخَرَى.

e.g. In the movies true love always wins  
out in the end.

e.g. Unfortunately rage won over common  
sense and I punched him on the nose.

win through

(الْمُرْتَبِحُ) يَفُوزُ فِي الْمُهَابَةِ.

e.g. The candidates all won through.

win back

يَسْتَعِيدُ (مَحَبَّتَهُمْ). تَسْتَرْجِعُ (صَدِيقَهَا).

e.g. The team has won back the trophy.

e.g. She has managed to win him back.

wind down (sth.) or wind (sth.) down

winds, winding, wound

wind down

الْمُؤَسَّسَةَ تَقَلَّصَ تَدْرِيجًا. الْمَشْرُوعَ التِّجَارِيَّ.

بَضَمَجَلَ تَدْرِيجًا حَتَّى يَنْتَهِيَ.

e.g. We had to wind down our Manchester  
office.

wind down

(١) يَسْتَرْجِي. يَسْتَرْبِحُ بَعْدَ عَمَاءِ.

e.g. I like to wind down with a cup of tea  
and a hot bath when I get home from  
work.

(٢) السَّاعَةَ أَوْ الْأَلَةَ تُبْطِئُ تَدْرِيجًا حَتَّى تَتَوَقَّفَ رَهَائِيًا.

e.g. My watch had wound down so I didn't  
know what time it was.

wind on

(عَامِيَّةٌ تَقْرِيْبًا)

يَنْتَهِي بِوِ الْأَمْرِ.

e.g. He'll wind up bankrupt if he's not  
careful.

wind up doing (sth.)

(عَامِيَّةٌ تَقْرِيْبًا)

يَنْتَهِي بِوِ الْحَالِ إِلَى.

e.g. I wound up having to start the course  
from the beginning again.

wind up (sth.) or wind (sth.) up

بُنْهِى (الْإِجْرَاءَاتِ) مَثَلًا.

e.g. You need to wind up now, we've only  
got five minutes.

wind up (sth.) or wind (sth.) up

(١) يُفْلِقُ مُؤَسَّسَةَ أَوْ يُصَمِّي (الْعَمَلَ التِّجَارِيَّ).

e.g. Lawyers were called to wind up the  
company.

(٢) يَمْلَأُ (السَّاعَةَ) يُعَيِّنُ.

e.g. I forgot to wind up my watch up and it's stopped.

**wind-up (adj.)**

e.g. I've still got some old wind-up toys from my childhood.

**wind up (sb.) or wind (sb.) up** (عاطية)

(١) بُدَاعِبُ. يَقُولُ شَيْئًا عَلَى سَبِيلِ الدُّعَابَةِ.

e.g. He said I'd missed the train, but he was just winding me up

**wind-up (n.)**

دُعَابَةٌ.

e.g. Are you being serious now or is this a wind-up?

(٢) يُنْبِرُ مَسَاعِرَ. يَغِيظُ.

e.g. That guy really winds me up.

**winkle out (sb./sth.) or winks (sb./sth.) out**

**winkles, winking, winkled**  
**winkle out**

حَاصِلٌ عَلَى شَخْصٍ أَوْ شَيْءٍ بِصُعُوبَةٍ.

e.g. I managed to winkle the truth out of him.

**wipe down (sth.) or wipe (sth.) down**

**wipes, wiping, wiped**  
**wipe down**

يَتَطْفَأُ (الْقَرْيَةَ أَوْ التَّوَأْفِدَ) بِخَرْقَةٍ مَثَلًا.

e.g. She wiped the car down.

**wipe off (sth.) or wipe (sth.) off**

يُنْزِلُ مِنْ فَيْقَةِ شَيْءٍ (أَسْهُمِ) أَسْفَارًا.

e.g. The news has wiped nearly a third of the value of the company's shares.

**wipe out (sth.) or wipe (sth.) out**

(١) يَمْحُو. يَنْزِلُ.

e.g. Two whole villages were wiped out in the flood.

(٢) يَمْسَحُ الْمَعْلُومَاتِ مِنْ عَلَى (الْكُمْبِيُوتَرِ).

e.g. A sudden power cut wiped out my hard disk.

(٣) نُنْظِفُ (الْأَوَانِي) مِنَ الدَّاحِلِ.

e.g. Bowls like this I tend to wipe out with a clean cloth.

**wipe out (sb.) or wipe (sb.) out** (عاطية)

(١) يُؤْزِمُ هَزِيمَةً مُنْكَرَةً.

e.g. Thousands of men were wiped out in the battle.

(٢) يُنْهَكُ قُوَى (الشَّخْصِ).

e.g. The long plane journey had wiped her out.

**wiped-out (adj.)**

مُنْهَكُ الْقُوَى.

e.g. I'm always wiped-out by the end of the day.

(٣) تَفْوِدُ السَّيْطِرَةَ عَلَى عَجَلَةٍ الْقِيَادَةِ وَتَتَعَرَّضُ لِجَاوِثٍ.

e.g. I was going too fast and I wiped out at the bend.

**wipe up (sth.) or wipe (sth.) up**

يُنْزِلُ فِدَارَةً (عَادَةً سَائِلِ) مُسْتَعْمِلًا قِطْعَةَ فَمَاشٍ.

e.g. Who is going to wipe up this mess?

**wipe up (sth.) or wipe (sth.) up**

تَنْسِفُ الْأَطْبَاقَ بِقِطْعَةِ فَمَاشٍ.

e.g. Could you wipe up the dishes?

**wire up (sth.) or wire (sth.) up**

**wires, wiring, wired**  
**wire up**

بِوَصْلِ (مَكَانًا) بِدَائِرَةِ كَهْرَبِيَّةٍ. يَزُوْدُ أَوْ يَجْهَزُ (الْمُنْزِلَ) بِالْأَسْلَاقِ الْكَهْرَبِيَّةِيَّةِ.

e.g. The area is wired up with instruments which detect the slightest movement in the earth crust.

**wise up**

**wises, wising, wised**

**wise up**

يَتَعَقَّلُ. يَغْرِفُ الْحَقِيْقَةَ.

e.g. Those who think that's a harmless recreational drug should wise up.

**wise (sb.) up** (عاطية)

يَنْصَحُ (شَخْصًا). يَغْرِفُ شَخْصًا بِمَا يَحْتَاجُهُ مِنْ مَعْلُومَاتٍ.

e.g. You'd better wise him up about how things work in this department.

wish away (sth.) or wish (sth.) away

wishes, wishing, wished  
wish away

تَتَمَنَّى زَوَالَ شَيْءٍ بِضَائِقِكَ.

e.g. You can't just wish the problem away you're going to have to do something about it.

wish on/ upon

wouldn't wish (sth.) on/ upon (sb.)

لَا تَتَمَنَّى شَيْئًا صَارًا (لِلشَّخْصِ). (بِعِيدِ الشَّرِّ عَنِ السَّامِعِينَ ع. م.)

e.g. I wouldn't wish this illness on my worst enemy.

wolf down

wolfs, wolfing, wolfed  
wolf down

بَلَّتَهُمُ الطَّعَامَ بِنَهْمٍ وَبِسُرْعَةٍ.

e.g. I gave her a plate of soup and she wolfed it down.

work against (sb./ sth.)

works, working, worked  
work against

تُرْتَبِ أُمُورَكَ لِتَتَمَادَى الْمُعْثَمَاتِ وَتَحْضُلَ عَلَى مَا تُرِيدُ. تَفُوقُ.

e.g. Inexperience can work against someone who is looking for a job.

work around/ round (sth.)

بَعْمَلِ بَطْرِيْقَةٍ يَدُورُ بِهَا حَوْلَ الإِجْرَاءَاتِ.

e.g. They knew how to work round the import restrictions.

work at (sth./ doing sth.)

بَعْمَلِ جَاهِدًا لِتَحْقِيقِ النِّجَاحِ أَوْ لِإِصْلَاحِ شَيْءٍ مَا.

e.g. You have to work at a marriage

e.g. She needs to work at increasing her typing speed.

work in (sth.) or work (sth.) in

(١) تَدُهِنُ (زَيْتًا مَثَلًا) عَلَى سَطْحِ مَا وَتُدَلِّكُهُ حَتَّى يَخْتَفِي.

e.g. Smear wax into the leather and work it in with your fingers.

(٢) يَدْخُلُ بِفَجْهِمِ (السِّيَاسَاتِ فِي مَقَالَةٍ مَثَلًا).

e.g. He worked in several criticisms of the government in his report.

work (sth.) into (sth.)

(١) يَمْزِجُ مَسْحُوقًا بِ (عَجِينَةٍ) مَثَلًا.

e.g. Work the remaining flour into the dough.

(٢) يَدْخُلُ شَيْئًا فِي مَقَالَةٍ أَوْ فِي جَدُولِ عَمَلٍ.

e.g. Would it be possible to work a couple of meetings into your schedule?

work yourself into (sth.)

تُتَارِ تَأْتِرَتِكَ (بِالْعَضَبِ).

e.g. By the time we got back she had worked herself into a rage.

work off (sth.) or work (sth.) off

(١) يُتَفَسَّسُ عَنْ غَضَبِهِ.

e.g. A game of tennis will help me work off my anger.

(٢) تَقُومُ بِنَسَاطِ بِخَلْصِكَ مِنْ زِيَادَةِ الْوِزْنِ.

e.g. If you eat the occasional chocolate bar you can soon work it off in a gym.

(٣) تُوَفِّي دُبُوتَكَ. تَدْفَعُ الْمَالِ الْلازِمَ أَوْ يَأْتَعْمَلُ لَدَى الدَّائِنِ.

e.g. She took an evening job so that she could work off the loan as quickly as possible.

work off (sth.)

(الآلَةُ) تَعْمَلُ مِنْ خِلَالِ آلَةٍ أُخْرَى.

e.g. The security system works off hidden sensors.

work on/ upon (sth.)

(١) يُوَاصِلُ الْعَمَلَ. يَعْكُفُ عَلَى عَمَلٍ مُعَيَّنٍ.

e.g. She's based in the lab, working full-time on a cure for AIDS.

(٢) تَعْمَلُ بِجَهْدٍ لِإِصْلَاحِ شَيْءٍ.

e.g. His dancing technique is good, but he needs to work on his fitness.

(٣) تَعْتَمِدُ عَلَى صِحَّةِ فَرْضٍ وَتَعْمَلُ عَلَى أَسَاسِهِ.

e.g. We're working on the assumption that a third of the people we've invited won't come.

**work on/ upon (sb.)**

تَعْمَلُ عَلَى التَّأْيِيرِ عَلَى (شَخْصٍ).

e.g. If I work on him, he may decide to help you.

**work out (sth.) or work (sth.) out**

(١) حَلَّ (الْمُعَادَلَةَ/ اللُّغْزَ/ الْعَمَلِيَّةَ الْحِسَابِيَّةَ).

e.g. Can you work out the total cost of the trip.

(٢) تَصِلُ إِلَى حَلٍّ.

e.g. Eventually I worked out that the parcel had been sent to Paris by mistake.

(٣) تَفَكَّرَ جَيِّدًا قَبْلَ الْوَيْتَامِ يَعْمَلُ.

e.g. Negotiators are trying to work out a peace settlement.

(٤) تُوَاصِلُ الْعَمَلَ حَتَّى تَنْتَهِيَ الْمُدَّةَ الْمَقْرَرَةَ.

e.g. He has a three month notice period to work out.

**work (sb.) out**

تَفْهَمُ شَخْصِيَّةَ شَخْصٍ.

e.g. Sometimes she seems friendly and sometimes she won't speak to me. I just can't work her out.

**work out (always + adj./ prep.)**

(١) يَعْمَلِيَّةٌ حِسَابِيَّةٌ (بِتَضَاحٍ) أُنْ.

e.g. The cost of a minibus works out at 75 per person.

e.g. Buying a new radio worked out cheaper than repairing the old one.

(٢) تَتَطَوَّرُ إِلَى (الْتَرْتِيبَاتِ) يَنْجُ عَنْهَا تَنْجَحُ.

e.g. The arrangement worked out rather badly for Leo.

(٣) لَمْ تَنْجَحْ.

e.g. I got married later that year but didn't work out.

(٤) تَتَرَبَّصُ. تَقُومُ بِتَمْرِيبَاتِ رِيَاضِيَّةٍ لِتُقَيِّدَ صِحَّتَكَ أَوْ قَوَامَكَ.

e.g. I work out in the gym twice a week.

**work itself out**

الشُّكْلُ كَيْفَ حَلَّ مِنْ نَفْسِهَا.

e.g. Problems like these usually work themselves out.

**work over (sb.) or work (sb.) over**

نُهَاجِمُ أَوْ نُؤَدِّي شَخْصًا.

e.g. Do you want me to get some of the boys to work him over?

**work through (sth.) or work (sth.) through**

حَلَّ مُشْكِلَةَ بِالْكَلَامِ عَنْهَا بِاسْتِنْفَاضَةٍ.

e.g. Psychoanalysis has helped her work through years of trauma.

**work through (sth.)**

(الْفَرَارَ) تَظْهَرُ تَتَائِجُهُ.

e.g. It will take time for the effect of tax cuts to work through.

**work through**

تُوَاصِلُ الْعَمَلَ لِمَقْتَرَةٍ مِنَ الزَّمَنِ.

e.g. I often start at 7.30 and work through until midnight.

**work towards (sth.)**

تَعْمَلُ جَاهِدًا لِتَحْقِيقِ مَدَفٍ.

e.g. I'm working towards a teaching qualification.

**work up (sth.) or work (sth.) up**

(١) تُنْجِزُ عَمَلًا بِالْتَدْرِيجِ.

e.g. Let's go for a walk to work up an appetite.

(٢) تَكْتُبُ (مَقَالَةً) مَثَلًا أَوْ تَطَوَّرُ مِنْ قِطْعَةٍ مَكْتُوبَةٍ.

e.g. I'm hoping to work these notes up into a longer article.

(٣) يُطَوَّرُ أَوْ يَنْمَى (الشَّرِكَةَ مَثَلًا).

e.g. He has worked the firm up from almost nothing.

**work (sb.) up**

يَغْضِبُ بِيُورِ (حَفِيظَتَهُ).

e.g. Please don't work yourself up about this.

**worked up (adj.)**

تَكُونُ تَائِرًا.

e.g. It's really not important, there's no need to get so worked up about it.

## work yourself up (always reflexive)

تُذِيرُ حَمَاسَتَكَ وَتَقْتَكِ بِتَمُيْسِكَ، جُهِزْ نَفْسَكَ لـ

e.g. I've been dreading this meeting but now I've worked myself up to it I just want to get over with.

## work up to (sth.)

(١) تَعْمَلُ بِالتَّدْرِيجِ حَتَّى تَصِلَ إِلَى مُسْتَوَى مُعَيَّنٍ.

e.g. I started by practicing for 10 minutes each morning and gradually worked up to an hour a day.

(٢) تَهَيِّبُ نَفْسَكَ تَدْرِيجًا لِتُؤَاجِهَ صُعُوبَةَ مَا تَتَأَمَّبُ لِأَنَّ تَفْعَلَ شَيْئًا).

e.g. He'd wanted to ask her out and he'd been working up to it all the week.

## worm (sth.) out of (sb.) (عَامِيَّة)

worms, worming, wormed

## worm out of

بَسْتَخْلِصُ، يَنْتَزِعُ بِالْحِيلَةِ (مَعْلُومَاتٍ مِنْ شَخْصٍ مَثَلًا)، يَسْتَنْطِقُ (شَخْصًا).

e.g. He wasn't going to tell me but I managed to worm it out of him.

## worm out

بَسْتَسَلُّ (كَالِدُودَةِ).

e.g. The prisoners wormed out through a hole in the fence.

## wrap up (sth.) or wrap (sth.) up

wraps, wrapping, wrapped

## wrap up

(١) يَغْلِفُ (الطَّرْدَ)، يَلْفُ (الْهَيْبَةَ).

e.g. He wrapped up the parcel.

(٢) يُبْرِمُ ائْتِمَاقًا نَاجِحًا، يُنْهِي (الائْتِمَاقَ).

e.g. The two sides hope to wrap up an agreement by next month.

## wrap up (sb.) or wrap (sb.) up

يَتَدَثَّرُ، يَلْفُ نَفْسَهُ (وَمِنَ التَّبَرُّدِ مَثَلًا)، يَلْفُ (الطِّفْلَ فِي غِطَاءٍ).

e.g. Wrap him up in a blanket and give him a hot drink.

## be wrapped up in (sth.) (always passive)

تَنْهَمِكُ فِي عَمَلٍ، تَنْسَغِلُ بِهِ، تَنْعَمِسُ فِي (الْفِرَاقَةِ مَثَلًا).

e.g. She's so wrapped up in her work that she hardly spends any time with her kids.

## wrestle with (sth.)

wrestles, wrestling, wrestled

## wrestle with

(١) تَتَصَارَعُ مَعَ مَوْقِفٍ صَغْبٍ.

e.g. I've wrestled with the decision for weeks and I still don't know what to do.

(٢) حَتَّالٍ بِقُوَّةٍ حَمَلَ سَيْئًا إِمَّا لِأَنَّهُ لَيْقِيلُ الْوَزْنِ أَوْ لِأَنَّهُ لَا يَكْتَفِي عَنِ الْحَرَكَةِ.

e.g. She wrestled with the steering wheel as the car plunged out of control.

## wiggle out of (sth.) (عَامِيَّة)

wiggles, wriggling, wriggled

## wiggle out of

يَتَنَصَّلُ مِنْ عَمَلٍ مَا يَبْذَأَلَهُ.

e.g. They want to wriggle out of their responsibilities.

## wring out (sth.) or wring (sth.) out

wrings, wringing, wrung

## wring out

يَعْضُرُ.

e.g. She wrung out her bathing costume and hung it up to dry.

## wring (sth.) out of (sb.)

يَنْتَزِعُ الْحَقِيقَةَ مِنْ/ يَنْتَزِرُ بَعْضَ الْمَالِ مِنْ.

e.g. It took several hours to wring a confession out of her.

e.g. They may manage to wring some money out of the old man.

## write away

writes, writing, wrote, written

## write away

يُرْسِلُ فِي طَلَبِ (كُتَيْبَاتٍ أَوْ مَعْلُومَاتٍ).

e.g. I've written away for details.

## write down

يَسْجَلُ، يُدَوِّنُ (أَفْكَارَهُ مَثَلًا).

e.g. I wrote down his phone number on a scrap of paper.

## write in

يَكْتُبُ خَطْبًا فِي طَلَبٍ.

e.g. Many people have written in to us asking for samples.

## write in (sth.) or write (sth.) in

تَكْتُبُ أَرْفَاعًا أَوْ كَلِمَاتٍ عَلَى بِطْلَانَةٍ رَسْمِيَّةٍ.

e.g. Could you write in your name and age please?

## write in (sb./ sth.) or write (sb./ sth.) in

تَكْتُبُ اسْمَ مَنْ تَنْتَخِبُ عَلَى وَرَقَةِ الْأَنْتِخَابِ الرَّسْمِيَّةِ.

e.g. Many voters wrote her name in on the ballot.

## write (sth./ sb.) into (sth.)

يُدْخِلُ. يُفْجِمُ (فِغْرَةً فِي النَّصْنِ).

e.g. He wrote in an extra piece at the editor's request.

## write off (sth.) or write (sth.) off

(١) يُلْفِي. يَسْقِطُ أَوْ يَسْطَبُ الدَّيْنَ.

e.g. The World Bank is being urged to write off debts from developing countries.

(٢) يَكْتَبُ (سَيَّارَةً مَثَلًا) بِحُكْمِ بَعْدِ صَلَاحِيَّتِهَا.

e.g. He wrote off three cars in a year because of his dreadful driving.

## write-off (n.)

e.g. She wasn't hurt but the car was a write-off.

## write off (sb./ sth.) or write (sb./ sth.) off

تَكْتُبُ عَلَى شَخْصٍ (بِأَنَّهُ قَائِلٌ مَثَلًا).

e.g. I'd written him off as a madman.

## write-off (n.)

عَامَّةً.

e.g. Last year was a complete write-off in financial terms.

## write off

تَكْتُبُ خَطْبًا لِشَرِكَةٍ أَوْ مَتَّظَمَةٍ لِتَطْلُبَ بَضَاعٍ أَوْ بَيِّنَاتٍ.

e.g. I've written off for a copy of the recipe.

## write out (sth.) or write (sth.) out

(١) تُدَوِّنُ مَعْلُومَاتٍ عَلَى هَيْئَةٍ نَقَطَ نَمَّ تَكْتُبُهَا لَائِبَةً بِطَرِيقَةٍ مُتَّسِقَةٍ.

e.g. It's just in note form but I'll write it out again properly for you later.

(٢) كَتَبَ (صَكَ) (أ). تَكْتُبُ وَصَفَةَ (الدَّوَاءِ) رُوسِيَّةً.

e.g. The doctor wrote out a prescription for the medicine.

## write out (sb.) or write (sb.) out

تَغَيِّرُ مِنْ قِصَّةٍ أَوْ فِيلمٍ تَلْبِغِيَّةً لِتَحْزِفَ شَخْصِيَّةً.

e.g. Scandals about the actor's private life forced producers to have him written out of the series.

## write up (sth.) or write (sth.) up

تَكْتُبُ النُّسَخَةَ الْأَجْبَرَةَ لِقِصَّةٍ مَثَلًا بَعْدَ التَّنْفِيحِ.

e.g. He spent two years doing research for his thesis and a year writing it up.

## write up (sb.) or write (sb.) up

رَجَّلَ الشَّرِيكَةَ مَثَلًا أَوْ شَخْصًا ذُو نَفُودٍ يَدَوِّنُ اسْمَ شَخْصٍ مُخْطِئًا.

e.g. The cop said he'd have to write me up for not stopping at the red light.

## write-up (n.)

تَقْرِيرٌ أَوْ مَقَالَةٌ عَن رَأْيٍ تَأْيِيدٍ فِي (عَمَلٍ قَسِيٍّ مَثَلًا).

e.g. I haven't seen the film myself but it's had really good write-ups.