

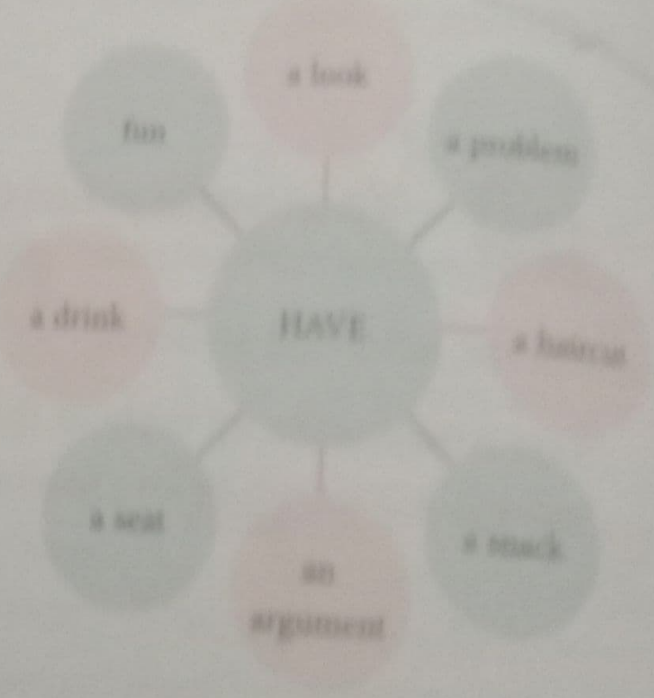
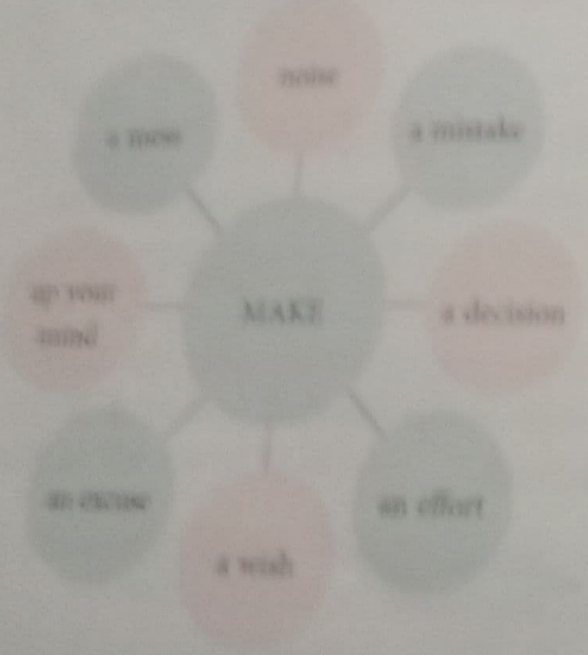
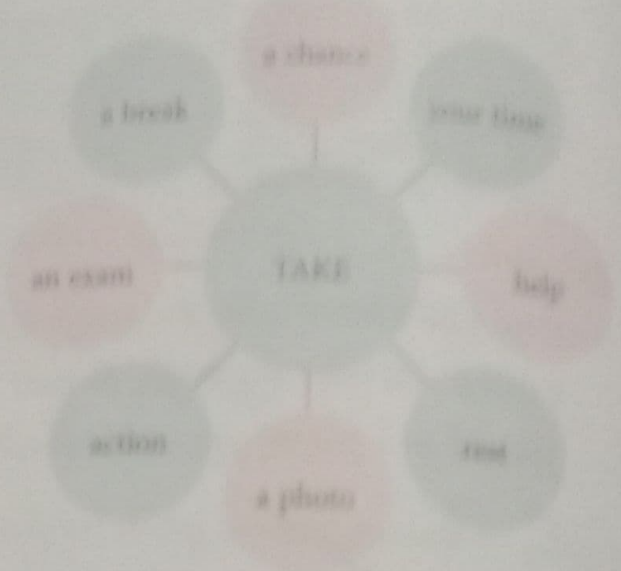
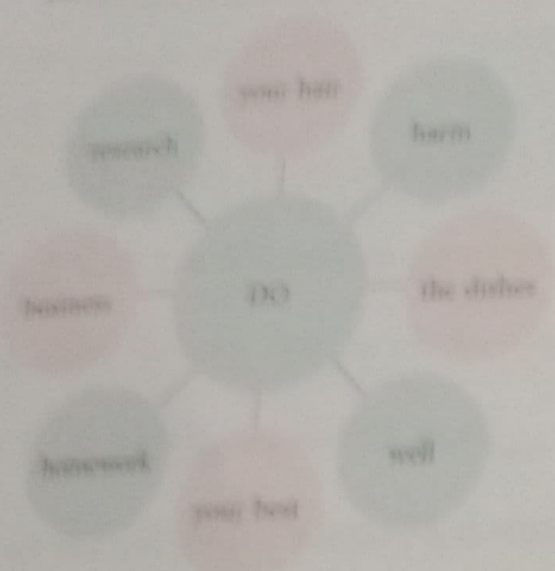
Look at the following sentence.

Raju would wake up early in the morning, **make his bed**, and look at Sachin's autograph before leaving for school.

Look at the words in bold. There are certain words in English that are frequently used together to express a particular meaning. For example, we can only use **make** with **bed** and **set** with **table**. We don't say set the bed. If we say make a table, the meaning changes completely.

Some word combinations express a completely new meaning, which cannot be guessed from the individual words. For instance, *make the bed* means to tidy

up the bed; we are not actually making it. For other word combinations, the meaning can be understood easily from the individual words. For example, *set the table* means to actually set the table at meal times. Here are a few such phrases formed with the verbs **do**, **have**, **make** and **take**.



Let us look at a few more examples.

- *I help my mother do the dishes after dinner.*
- *Our teacher told us that we could take our time with the test paper.*

- We had an argument with our seniors about the winning.
1. Tick (✓) the correct options to make appropriate word combinations.
- | | do | take | make |
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| (a) a wish | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| (b) the dishes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
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| (e) lunch | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
2. Identify the errors and rewrite the sentences correctly.
- (a) We should not have a mess in the classroom.
- (b) Would you say the dishes after dinner?
- (c) Ravi is having a chance with this new house.
- (d) I do lunch at the canteen.
- (e) Shaan needs to do an effort to improve his grades.



Phonics Junction

Look at the following sentences.

He felt stiff sitting in the same position for hours.

Renju could not get Sachin's autograph for Raju.

Hardik Pandya is a well-known cricketer.

He took a wrong map and hence could not locate the island.