

PHRASAL VERBS WITH 'CALL'

phrasal verb	meaning	example
call around/over/round	visit someone/somewhere briefly	I'll call round later and drop off the costume you lent me at the weekend.
call away	ask someone to go to a different place	The mother called her child away from the tiger enclosure.
call back/call back in	return a phone call, return to a place	I fed Tim's cats this morning. I'll call back in tonight and check on them.
call for	a public statement something is needed, collect someone from their house	I'll come and call for you at 8 am tomorrow, we can walk down together.
call in	phone into a tv or radio show, visit someone	I'll call in on my way home and give you the money I owe you.
call on	visit someone briefly, request someone do something	I'll call on nan on the way home to see if she's feeling any better.
call out/call someone out	say something loudly, challenge someone to a fight, request a service	Put your hand up if you know the answer, don't call out.
call off	cancel an event	I think we'll have to call off the match, we don't have nearly enough players.
call up	phone someone, select someone for a team or do a particular job (or call upon)	I'll call up the lost property department and see if my scarf was handed in.

Richard!

