

Get - the change verb

change of state

get + adjective	It gets light very early in summer.	
get angry	I often get angry when I'm driving in the city.	
get dirty	Don't wear that shirt - you'll get it dirty !	
get divorced	My friend's parents got divorced last year.	
get dressed	I always get dressed before I have breakfast.	
get drunk	I don't get drunk very often.	
get high	My friend often gets high on marijuana.	
get hurt	You'll get hurt if you aren't careful.	
get involved	I would like to get involved in local politics.	
get involved	Don't get involved . It's none of your business!	
get laid	You won't get laid if you go out in that shirt!	
get lost	I always ask someone when I get lost .	
get married	We are getting married next month! I'm so excited!	
get pregnant	Some couples use IVF to help them get pregnant .	
get ready	Get ready kids. We are leaving in 10 minutes.	
get rid of	I'm bad at getting rid of things. My flat is full of junk.	
get sick	You'll get sick if you go out without a scarf.	
get stuck	I was late because I got stuck in traffic.	
get tired	I got tired after the interval and nearly fell asleep!	
get used to	It took me 3 months to get used to my new car.	
get well	I'm sorry you're ill. Get well soon!	
get wet	I got wet because I didn't have an umbrella.	

Passive Voice

get arrested	I haven't seen him since he got arrested .	
get caught	I got caught cheating in the exam.	
get promoted	I'm hoping to get promoted this year.	
get asked	I would've helped but I didn't get asked .	
get kicked out	He got kicked out because he failed his exams.	
get paid	We get paid twice a month.	
get hit	His face is bruised because he got hit by a snowball.	
get killed	I'm worried that you'll get killed if you join the army.	
get fired	If I mess this up I'll probably get fired .	
get stopped	I got stopped by the police yesterday.	
get stolen	My phone got stolen so I lost all my contacts.	

change of possession

get	I got these socks for my birthday.	_____
get	I got these shoes in H&M.	_____
get	I got this recipe from my Grandma.	_____
get	Where can I get something to eat?	_____
get	I'll get a coffee, then we can start.	_____
get ___ back	I'm sure you'll get your money back .	_____
have got*	I've got blue eyes.	_____
get (the chance) to	I didn't get to travel abroad until I was 18.	_____
get (the meaning)	I don't get it. Why would he do something like that?	_____

completed movement

get	How did you get here today?	_____
get	How long did it take you to get here?	_____
get	I got here at 8am.	_____
get around	We hired a car so we could get around .	_____
get away from	He drove fast but he couldn't get away from the police.	_____
get away with	I cheated in the test and got away with it. Nobody saw me.	_____
get back	I got back from holiday last night.	_____
get down	The cat is stuck in the tree. It can't get down .	_____
get in / out of	Get in the car! Get out of the car!	_____
get into	I got into trouble a lot when I was at school.	_____
get into	I don't know how to get into the building.	_____
get ___ off	My ring is stuck. I can't get it off my finger!	_____
get ___ on	These trousers are too small. I can't get them on !	_____
get on / off	Get on the bus! Get off the bus!	_____
get on with	I don't get on with my neighbours. We argue a lot.	_____
get ___ out	My bag is stuck in the door and I can't get it out .	_____
get out of	The door is stuck. I can't get out of the room.	_____
get up	I got up at 6 am today.	_____

* We only use this form in **the present**. I've got brown hair. I haven't got any time. Have you got any kids?
In **the past** you have to use "I had three lessons yesterday. I didn't have time. Did you have enough money?"

I have got to (I've gotta) is another way to say **I have to**. Again - we only use it in the present.

You can also 'get someone to do something'. This means that you didn't force them to do it, but you influenced them enough to make them do what you want.

eg. How did you **get your parents to buy** you a new iPhone? I couldn't **get her to go** on a date with me.