

## MAIRO VERGARA ADVANCED PHRASAL VERBS COURSE Sentences for Anki | Lesson 48

### FRONT

Jeff is going to drop by his grandmother's house on the way home from work to see how she is doing.

### BACK

**Drop by** = to go to someone's house or another place for a casual visit

*Jeff is dropping by, or stopping for a short time, at his grandmother's house. Since it is on his way home from work, it is just a short, casual visit to see her and say hello.*

### FRONT

Allison might drop by later tonight to bring us some fruits and vegetables from her mother's garden.

### BACK

**Drop by** = to go to someone's house or another place for a casual visit

*Allison is dropping by or stopping by for a casual visit. She is coming just for a short amount of time to bring some fruits and vegetables. It is not a formal visit, but just a quick drop by.*

### FRONT

Let's drop by Suzie's house on the way to the mall to say hello and see how her surgery went.

### BACK

**Drop by** = to go to someone's house or another place for a casual visit

*Suzy likely had surgery recently and is recovering. These folks want to drop by, or make a short, casual visit to see how Suzy is doing.*

### FRONT

Fred and Nina go on a walk every evening and always drop by their neighbor's house to say hello and chat about the news of the day.

### BACK

**Drop by** = to go to someone's house or another place for a casual visit

*In this instance this despot is going to thwart the will of the people by not allowing elections to happen.*

### FRONT

Dad is going to drop by the bank on the way home from the store and check on his business accounts.

### BACK

**Drop by** = to go to someone's house or another place for a casual visit

*In this case, Dad wants to casually check on his business accounts. He is going to drop by for a short visit at the bank on the way home from the store.*

**FRONT**

Kyle hadn't seen his friend Joe in over a week, so he decided to drop by and see if he was doing all right.

**BACK**

**Drop by** = to go to someone's house or another place for a casual visit

*Kyle had not seen his friend Joe in a week and was probably a little worried about him. He decided to drop by or stop at Joe's house for a casual visit and to see if he was doing alright.*

**FRONT**

On Sunday afternoons, my family always drops by my Aunt Clara's house on the way home from church to eat lunch.

**BACK**

**Drop by** = to go to someone's house or another place for a casual visit

*Aunt Clara cooks lunch for the family every Sunday afternoon. The family will drop by after church for a casual lunch.*

**FRONT**

My mom needs to mail a package, so we are going to drop by the post office on the way home from school.

**BACK**

**Drop by** = to go to someone's house or another place for a casual visit

*The mom needs to mail a package at the grocery store. They are going to drop by, or stop for a short visit at the post office.*

**FRONT**

Since Billy had not been doing well in school, his teacher, Mrs. Rodgers, thought she would drop by and have a visit with his parents.

**BACK**

**Drop by** = to go to someone's house or another place for a casual visit

*Billy had not been doing well in school and his teacher was concerned. Mrs. Rodgers decided it might be a good idea to talk with his parents. She dropped by or stopped at his house for a casual visit with Billy's parents.*

**FRONT**

Since she's only home from college for the next two days, can I drop by later today to say hello to Sarah?

**BACK**

**Drop by** = to go to someone's house or another place for a casual visit

Sarah is only in town for a few days. This person wants to drop by, or stop for a casual visit to say hello to her.

**FRONT**

The book was hanging so far off the edge of the table that I knew it was going to drop off even before it happened.

**BACK**

**Drop off** = to break away and fall off

*In this case, someone set the book on the very edge of the table. This person knew that it was unbalanced and that the book would fall off or drop off the edge of the table soon.*

**FRONT**

Since my flight is early in the morning, I'm going to have my friend James drop me off at the airport before 7:00am.

**BACK**

**Drop off** = to transport someone and let them out of the vehicle at a place

*This person has a flight that they need to get too early in the morning. He is asking his friend James to drop him off, or transport him, to the airport before 7:00am.*

**FRONT**

The record was selling really well at first, but now after his scandal, sales have definitely dropped off.

**BACK**

**Drop off** = to decline

*The music record was selling a lot at first. However, the artist was involved in a scandal and people stopped by his album. His album sales dropped off, or declined.*

**FRONT**

Maria was so tired after a full day of soccer practice that she had no troubles dropping off to sleep last night.

**BACK**

**Drop off** = to fall asleep easily

*Maria used a lot of energy at soccer practice through the day. When she went to bed, she was so tired that she dropped off, or fell asleep really easily.*

**FRONT**

After she was diagnosed with cancer, Martha's health dropped off very quickly and she was constantly in the hospital.

**BACK**

**Drop off** = to decline

*Martha was diagnosed with cancer. Because of this, her health dropped off, or decline and became worse. She spent a lot of time in the hospital when her health dropped off.*

**FRONT**

Ticket sales for the music festival really dropped off once everyone found out that the weather was supposed to be bad that weekend.

**BACK**

**Drop off** = to decline

*The music festival had been selling tickets. When people found out that there was going to be bad weather, they stopped buying tickets. The sales dropped off, or declined, when the forecast turned bad.*

**FRONT**

The building was so old that the construction workers were not surprised when they saw bricks dropping off the walls while they were renovating.

**BACK**

**Drop off** = to break away and fall off

*The construction workers were doing renovations on a very old building. While they were renovating, old bricks were dropping off, or falling off the walls.*

**FRONT**

Every morning, my dad drops us off in front of the convenient store so we can buy a snack before we walk into school.

**BACK**

**Drop off** = to transport someone and let them out of the vehicle at a place

*Every morning, this dad takes his kids to school. He drops them off, or lets them out, in front of the convenient store so they can buy a snack.*

**FRONT**

Ask the cab driver to drop us off at the back of the hotel so that we can avoid the traffic of Main Street.

**BACK**

**Drop off** = to transport someone and let them out of the vehicle at a place

*This person is asking the cab driver to drop them off in a specific location. They want to be transported to the back of the hotel to avoid traffic.*

**FRONT**

After two hours of melancholy singing at the Opera, Henry couldn't help closing his eyes and dropping off to sleep.

**BACK**

**Drop off** = to fall asleep easily

*Henry has gone to the Opera, where the singing has been slow and melancholy. He finally was so bored that he closed his eyes and dropped off or fell asleep easily in his seat.*

**FRONT**

Gina is going to stop by her office on the way home from her son's soccer practice to pick up a few papers she needs to look at tonight.

**BACK**

**Stop by** = to visit someone or some place, briefly

*Gina works in an office. She likely forgot some papers that she need to work on a home tonight. On the way home from soccer practice, she decided she would stop by, or visit her office briefly, to pick up the papers.*

**FRONT**

Michelle is going to stop by her aunt's house on the way home from school to pick up the clothes she left there this weekend.

**BACK**

**Stop by** = to visit someone or some place, briefly

*Michelle probably stayed with her aunt this weekend and accidentally left some clothes there. She decided to stop by, or visit her aunt briefly, so that she could get the clothes that she left.*

**FRONT**

Every day on the way out of the office, Evan stops by his boss's desk to see what he needs him to do the next day.

**BACK**

**Stop by** = to visit someone or some place, briefly

*Evan works in an office near his boss. Every day when he is leaving the office, he stops by, or visit his boss briefly, to see what needs to be done the next day.*

**FRONT**

The new store has finally opened so I decided to stop by and see what all the fuss is about.

**BACK**

**Stop by** = to visit someone or some place, briefly

*This person has been hearing about the new store that is opening up. She is curious what it is like, so she stops by, or visits the store briefly.*

**FRONT**

Natalie made a bad grade on her science test so I'm going to stop by the school and see if there are any resources, I can get to help her study.

**BACK**

**Stop by** = to visit someone or some place, briefly

*This parent is concerned about Natalie's bad test grade. She is going to stop by, or visit the school briefly, so that she can get Natalie some help.*

**FRONT**

Ben and his friends stopped by the ticket office to see if any new seats had been opened up, or to see if they could get on the waiting list for the concert.

**BACK**

**Stop by** = to visit someone or some place, briefly

*Ben and his friends want to go to a concert, but right now it is probably sold out. They are going to stop by, or visit the ticket office briefly, to see if there is a way for them to get tickets.*

**FRONT**

My wrist is still bothering me, so I'm going to see if I can stop by the orthopaedic doctor's office on my way into work today.

**BACK**

**Stop by** = to visit someone or some place, briefly

*This person's wrist has been hurting him and the pain hasn't gone away. He is going to try to stop by, or visit the doctor briefly, to see if he can figure out what is wrong with his wrist, or to get some pain medication.*

**FRONT**

Every year on November 21, Claudia's dad stops by the graveyard to visit his father's grave and to remember his life.

**BACK**

**Stop by** = to visit someone or some place, briefly

*Claudia's grandfather probably passed away on November 21. Every year, Claudia's dad stops by his father's grave. He makes a brief visit to remember his life.*

**FRONT**

Shelly is going to stop by the flower store on the way back to work to get a bouquet for her coworker that just got a promotion.

**BACK**

**Stop by** = to visit someone or some place, briefly

*Shelly wants to celebrate her coworker that received a promotion. She is going to stop by, or visit the flower shop briefly, and buy a bouquet of flowers to give to her coworker.*

**FRONT**

Gerry's was feeling tired after work, so he stopped by and picked up a pizza for the family instead of making dinner.

**BACK**

**Stop by** = to visit someone or some place, briefly

*Gerry was tired and likely didn't want to make dinner after work. He stopped by, or visited the pizza shop briefly, to pick up some pizzas for his family.*