



### LIE or LAY

Don't say: He went to lay down for an hour. Please lie the report on his desk

Say: He went to **lie down** for an hour. Please **lay** the report on his desk.

**! Lie (=to rest: lie/lay/lain X to tell an untruth:**

**lie/lied/lied)** is an intransitive verb and never has an object. **Lay (=to put, produce eggs: lay/laid/laid)** is a transitive verb and always requires an object.

### SAVE SOME MONEY



You will save a ton of money if you don't mistake **wants** for **needs**. Needs are pretty simple to identify - those items that are necessary to sustain: shelter, food, clothing, transportation. Wants are those things that enhance or possibly improve our life. A car is a need. Unless necessary for your business, a \$40,000 Sport Utility Vehicle is a want.

- **Be sure to shop around.** It may take a little time, but it could save you money. The insurer you select should offer both a fair price and excellent service.
- **Try to plan in advance.** By knowing what you need, you will be able to buy in larger quantities (almost always less expensive) and cut down on convenience food purchases (always more expensive).
- **Buy separates that coordinate.** When it comes to clothing, you can make numerous combinations with a few well matched items.

**wants** – věci, které chceme

**needs** – věci, které potřebujeme

**items** – položka, předmět

**sustain** – udržet si, zachovat

**enhance** – zvýšit, pozvednout

**shop around** – shánět, chodit po obchodech

**cut down** – snížit, omezit

**convenience food** – hotový pokrm

**well matched** – dobře sladěné (oblečení)

### VOCABULARY BUILDING – Phrasal verbs



**lie about** - lhát o (6. p.); lenošit

**lie down** - lehnout si

**lie off** - držet se dál od břehu; držet se pobřeží

**lie out** - být daleko; ležet ladem;

**lie over** - být odložen; odložit

**lay away** - odkládat; schovat; spořit; šetřit

**lay down a rule** - stanovit pravidlo

**lay off** - propustit z práce; oddychnout si

**lay out** - vystavit; rozvrhnout (plánovitě), rozložit

**lay over** - odložit; přenocovat

### QUIZ: TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE



Use the correct form of **lie** or **lay**:

1. She'll go and \_\_\_\_\_ down.
2. The cup was \_\_\_\_\_ on the floor.
3. Have you \_\_\_\_\_ the book on my table?
4. How long have I \_\_\_\_\_ in bed?
5. She \_\_\_\_\_ to the teacher.
6. The hen has \_\_\_\_\_ an egg.

KEY: 1. lie, 2. laying, 3. laid, 4. lain, 5. lied, 6. laid