

# Causative Verbs Worksheet

## Using causative verbs; MAKE / HAVE / GET

Form:		Meaning
X makes	Y <b>do</b> something	X <b>forces</b> Y to do. Y has no chance
X has	Y <b>do</b> something	X <b>asks</b> Y to do and Y says OK.
X gets	Y to <b>do</b> something	X <b>persuades</b> Y to do.
X has	something <b>done</b> .	there is no particular
X gets	something <b>done</b> .	difference in meaning.

## Fill in the blanks with the verbs given

1. I made my son \_\_\_\_\_ the windows before he could go outside to play. (wash)
2. Mrs. Crane had her house \_\_\_\_\_. (decorate)
3. The teacher had the class \_\_\_\_\_ a 3000 word research paper. (write)
4. Don got some kids in the neighbourhood \_\_\_\_\_ out his garage. (clean)
5. I went to the bank to have a cheque \_\_\_\_\_. (cash)
6. After I had the sleeves \_\_\_\_\_, the jacket I bought fit me perfectly. (shorten)
7. My boss made me \_\_\_\_\_ my report because he wasn't satisfied with it. (redo)
8. Tom had a bad headache yesterday, so he got his twin brother Tim \_\_\_\_\_ to class for him.  
The teacher didn't know the difference. (go)
9. Alice stopped at the service station to have the tank \_\_\_\_\_.(fill)
10. I got Mary \_\_\_\_\_ me some money so I could go to a movie last night. (lend)
11. Mr. Fields went to a doctor to have the wart on his nose \_\_\_\_\_. (remove)
12. Peeling onions always makes me \_\_\_\_\_. (cry)
13. We had a professional photographer \_\_\_\_\_ pictures of everyone who participated in our wedding. (take)
14. I spilled some tomato sauce on my suit coat. Now I need to get my suit \_\_\_\_\_. (clean)