get a move on

go faster

“We’re late. Let’s get a move on!”

“The movie is going to start soon. Let’s get a move on or we’ll be late.”

“We have to get a move on if we want to finish by Wednesday.”

For by Wednesday, see page 117
**that’s** K **for** Korea
Say this to help people understand the spelling of a word.

Ann Kim is our accountant.

My name is Ann Kim.

No Kim. That’s K for Korea, I for India, M for Mexico.

MORE EXAMPLES

A: “What’s your email address?”
B: “It’s alan76@hotmail.com. That’s A **for** Africa, L **for** London, A **for** Africa, N **for** Norway, the number 76, at hotmail dot com.”

A: “My address is 22 Elm Street.”
B: “Sorry, what street?”
A: “Elm. That’s E **for** England, L **for** London, M **for** Mexico.”
How can I help you?
This is often used when answering the phone in a workplace.

Jenny Jones is our receptionist.

Good morning. Lee’s Lighting. How can I help you?

MORE EXAMPLES

“Good afternoon. ABC Marketing. **How can I help you?**”

“IMG Computers. This is Mary speaking. **How can I help you?**”
it’s for you
the caller wants to speak to you

“Could you ask Chris to come to the phone? It’s for him. It’s his mother.”

A: “The phone is ringing.”
B: “I’ll get it. I think it’s for me.”

For I’ll get it, see page 61
in an hour
one hour after now
NOT an hour later; NOT after an hour

MORE EXAMPLES

“She hasn’t arrived yet. She’ll be here in 10 minutes.”

“He is almost finished with high school. He will graduate in a few months.”

For a different meaning of in, see page 215
ahead of / on / behind schedule
faster than planned / as planned / slower than planned

“Please drive faster. We are behind schedule.”

A: “How’s the project coming along?”
B: “Fine. Everything is on schedule.”

For coming along, see page 228
ACROSS
1) “Don’t forget to finish the report tomorrow.”
   • “I’ve already finished. I’m ___ ___ schedule.”
4) (on the phone) “Can I speak to Jane?”  • “One moment, please…. Jane! ___ ___ you.”
5) (on the phone) “Good afternoon. This is the Hinton Hotel. How can ___ ___ ___?”

DOWN
2) “Hurry up! We have to get ___ ___ ___.”
   • “Okay. I’ll get my coat quickly.”
3) “My name is Sam. That’s S ___ Sweden, A, M.”
5) “I am driving to work now. I will arrive at work ___ 15 minutes.”

For answers, see page 365