

## DIFFERENCES IN MEANING OR SYNTAX

### Expressions with DO

|                                      |                                    |                         |  |                              |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|------------------------------|
| 40 miles per hour                    | a burp                             | a course                | a crossword                              | a dance                      |
| a deal                               | a double take                      | a drawing               | a fart                                   | a favour                     |
| a flip flop on sth                   | a good turn                        | a job                   | a lot                                    | a number on sb               |
| a painting                           | a project/ problem                 | a report                | a roaring trade in sth                   | a service/sum                |
| a test                               | a translation                      | an about face           | an assignment                            | an errand/                   |
| an exercise                          | anything/<br>something/ everything | away with sth           | badly                                    | better                       |
| business                             | can't do anything with             | chores                  | damage                                   | do as the Romans do          |
| do or die                            | do you read me?                    | exercises               | experiments                              | get up the nerve<br>to do it |
| good                                 | gymnastics                         | harm                    | homework                                 | how do you do?               |
| justice to sth                       | laundry                            | lessons                 | likewise                                 | no can do                    |
| nothing                              | one's duty                         | one's best/ worst       | one's part                               | one's utmost                 |
| reading/studying/<br>writing         | research                           | right (the right thing) | sb a kindness                            | sb a power of good           |
| sb good/ evil/<br>harm/ right/ wrong | sb proud                           | sb's best               | sb's bit                                 | sb's heart good              |
| sb's own thing                       | sb's part                          | so                      | some <del>revision</del> <sup>make</sup> | sth blindfolded              |
| sth by hand                          | sth in vain                        | sth on the fly          | sth on the run                           | sth on the sly               |
| sth over                             | sth right                          | sth wrong               | sums                                     | the accounts                 |
| the cleaning                         | the cooking                        | the crossword           | the dishes                               | the gardening                |
| the honors                           | the housework                      | the ironing             | the laundry                              | the math                     |
| the maximum/<br>the minimum          | the paperwork                      | the rest                | the right thing                          | the shopping                 |
| the trick                            | the trick                          | the vacuuming           | the washing up                           | time                         |
| well (to do)                         | wonders                            | wrong (the wrong thing) | your best                                | your duty                    |
| your hair/nails/<br>makeup           | your lessons                       | your work/ job          | etc.                                     |                              |

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| (out) a case for sth/<br>an agreement | allowances for                 | a beeline for/ bet/<br>a bargain | a big thing out of sth                      | a booking                       |
| a bundle                              | a cake                         | a call                           | a change                                    | a choice                        |
| a comeback                            | a comment                      | a complaint                      | a compromise                                | a confession                    |
| a connection/ changes                 | a cup of coffee/tea            | a date/dress                     | a deal                                      | a decision                      |
| a demand                              | a difference                   | a discovery                      | a donation                                  | a face                          |
| a fire                                | a fool of yourself             | a fortune                        | a friend                                    | a fuss                          |
| a habit of                            | a joke/ a poor job of          | a killing                        | a line                                      | a list                          |
| a living                              | a loss                         | a mess                           | a mistake                                   | a mountain out<br>of a molehill |
| a move                                | a noise                        | a pass at someone                | a phone call                                | a plan                          |
| a point of doing sth                  | a prediction                   | a presentation                   | a profit                                    | a promise                       |
| a remark                              | a reservation                  | a sales call                     | a sandwich                                  | a scene                         |
| a snack                               | a sound                        | a speech                         | a statement                                 | a suggestion                    |
| a threat                              | a translation                  | a visit                          | advances                                    | alterations                     |
| amends                                | An acquaintance/<br>allegation | an announcement                  | an appearance                               | an appointment                  |
| an arrangement                        | an arrest                      | an attempt                       | an effort                                   | an enquiry                      |
| an error                              | an escape                      | an exception                     | an excuse                                   | an impression                   |
| an observation                        | an offer                       | breakfast/dinner/<br>lunch       | can't make it                               | certain/sure                    |
| clear                                 | contact with                   | corrections                      | ends meet                                   | faces                           |
| famous                                | for somewhere                  | friends/enemy with               | full use of sth                             | fun of someone                  |
| head or tail of sth                   | improvement                    | inquiries                        | isn't as bad/ good as<br>everyone makes out | it 6 o'clock                    |
| it a point to do sth                  | it makes no odds               | it up to sb                      | love  | lunch                           |
| make believe                          | make do with sth               | make like sb                     | money                                       | no attempt to do<br>sth         |
| no bones about                        | noise                          | one's way                        | peace/war                                   | plans                           |
| possible                              | preparations                   | progress                         | room  | sales                           |
| sb into sb else                       | sb rich/ angry/<br>happy mad   | sb smile                         | sb will make a good                         | sb's (not) going<br>to make it  |
| sb's day                              | sense                          | sure                             | tea/coffee                                  | the beds                        |
| the best of sth                       | the cheque to                  | the most of sth                  | the team                                    | time                            |
| Trouble/nuisance                      | up for doing sth               | up one's mind                    | war   | way for                         |
| your bed                              | your mind up                   | your way                         | yourself understood                         | etc.                            |