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Preposition of place

Preposition – word or a group of words used before a noun or a pronoun to show direction, time, place, location or to introduce an object.

Preposition of place

- it usually indicates position.
- 3 most common preposition of

place are

on

in

at

- These 3 prepositions indicates both time and place.



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Preposition or position words

Commonly used preposition:

on, in, under, over, near, behind,
between, beside, in front of

on — something or someone is over the surface.

in — something or someone is inside.

under — something or someone is directly below.

over — something or someone is above or higher.

Preposition or position words

near — something or someone is closer to a person or a thing.

behind — when person or object is at the back of something else.

between — something is in the centre of two things or person.

beside — something or someone is next to the other thing or person.

in front of — when someone or something is ahead of another thing.

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Preposition



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PREPOSITION

(Position Words)

Where is the ball?

IN



ON



UNDER



NEAR



Preposition - in

EXAMPLE



The ball is in the box.

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The apples are in the basket.

Preposition - on

EXAMPLE



ON

The clock is on the wall.

EXAMPLE

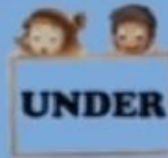


ON

The ball is on the table.

Preposition - under

EXAMPLE



The dog is sleeping under the table.

EXAMPLE



The ball is under the table.

Preposition - near

EXAMPLE



The ball is near the table.



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The pen is near the book.



Preposition



Preposition - between

EXAMPLE



Between



The dog is between two boxes.

EXAMPLE



Between



The house is between the two trees.

Preposition - behind

EXAMPLE



Behind

The dog is behind the box.

EXAMPLE



Behind

The clown is hiding behind the curtain.

Preposition – in front of

EXAMPLE



In front of

He is sitting in front of his computer.

EXAMPLE



In front of

The dog is sitting in front of the car.

Preposition - over

EXAMPLE



The horse is jumping over the fence.

EXAMPLE

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The birds are flying over the house.

Preposition - beside



Fill in the blanks with the correct propositions

on inside under between behind



The cat is the box.

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The cat is the box.

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The cat is the box.



The cat is the boxes.

Choose the correct preposition



1. The dog is _____ the kitchen.

in

under



5. The kettle is _____ the table.

in

on



2. The teddy bear is _____ the table.

on

under



6. The cat is _____ the carpet.

under

on



3. The plane is _____ the box.

on

in



7. The TV is _____ the books.

in

under



4. The doll is _____ the bed.

on

under



8. My bike is _____ the garage

in

on

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Fill in the blanks with correct prepositions from the box

on in near between under



The cat is sitting _____ the chair.

The books are _____ the table.

The shoes are _____ the table.

The clock is _____ the table.

The dog is sitting _____ the box.

The table is _____ the chair and the box.

The chair is _____ the table.

LOOK AND CHOOSE THE RIGHT PREPOSITION



1-The butterfly is _____ the flower.

2-The cat is _____ the tree.

3-The bird is _____ the grass.

4-The mouse is _____ the fence.

5-The frog is _____ the rock.

6-The fish is _____ the pond.

Fill in the correct preposition of place



1. The clock is ___ the wall.

2. The ball is ___ the table.

3. The cat is ___ the armchair.

4. The table is ___ the armchair.

5. The carpet is ___ the floor.

6. The lamp is ___ the table.

7. The flowers are ___ the vase.

8. The table is ___ the chair and the armchair.

Fill in the correct preposition of place



6. There is a racket ___ the bag.

7. There is some cheese ___ the plate.

8. There is a lamp ___ the shelf.

9. There is a trophy ___ the books.

10. There is a picture ___ the wall.

11. There is a bird flying ___ the trees.

12. There are two fish __ the bowl.

1. There is some pizza ___ the box.

2. There is a guitar ___ the lamp and the plant.

3. There are two dogs ___ the table.

4. There is a window ___ the sofa.

5. There is a rug ___ the sofa.

behind next to in front of over in on between under

on – refers to something with a surface.

Ex: The clock hangs **on** the wall.

The books are **on** the desk.

The writing **on** the wall had to be removed.

in – refers to something inside or confined (restricted in an area).

Ex: The girls are **in** the mall.

Mohana left the book **in** the car.

The ball is **in** the bag.

at – refers to a specific point.

Ex: Rekha is at work.

The teacher will meet Govind at school.

There are several more preposition of place.

- * **under** – at a lower level
- * **over** – directly upwards
- * **near** – at a short distance away
- * **behind** – at or to the far side of something.
- * **outside** – external surface of something.
- * **inside** – internal surface of something.
- * **between** – across the space separating two

objects or regions.

Examples:

The ball rolled **under** the cupboard.

The boy jumped **over** the fence.

The dog was **near** the park.

The broom was **behind** the door.

The puppy was **inside** the house.

The cat was **outside** the house.

He placed the pen in **between** the
boxes.

Choose the correct preposition of place

1. Can you see a woman ____ the picture?

a) on b) at c) in

2. There is some pizza ____ the box.

a) on b) at c) in

3. There are few books ____ the table.

a) on b) at c) in

4. He put the money ____ the box.

a) in b) at c) on

5. Why do you wear that ring ____ your first finger?

a) at b) on c) in

Choose the correct preposition of place

6. He is swimming ___ the river.

- a) in b) on c) at

7. The plant is ___ the table.

- a) in b) on c) at

8. Please put those apples ___ the bowl.

- a) at b) in c) on

9. There is a spider ___ the tub.

- a) in b) at c) on

10. The cat is sitting ___ the chair

- a) on b) in c) at

Choose the correct preposition of place

11. Lalitha was standing ___ the bus stop.

- a) in b) on c) at

12. She hung a picture ___ the wall.

- a) in b) on c) at

13. John is sitting ___ the garden.

- a) in b) on c) at

14. I stayed ___ home all weekend.

- a) in b) on c) at

15. There was a spider ___ the ceiling

- a) in b) on c) at



Complete the following sentences using preposition of place (in/on/at)

1. The juice is ___ the bottle.
2. Pass me the dictionary. It's ___ the bookshelf.
3. Bala is ___ work.
4. Priya is ___ Delhi.
5. You have something ___ your face.
6. Turn left ___ the traffic lights.
7. She was listening to classical music ___ the radio.



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Complete the following sentences using preposition of place (in/on/at)

8. He has a house ___ the river.

9. The answer is ___ the bottom of the page.

10. Janani will be ___ the plane now.

11. There are lots of magnets ___ the fridge.

12. She lives ___ London.

13. Ravi is ___ taxi.

14. I'll meet you ___ the airport.



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Complete the following sentences using preposition of place (in/on/at)

15. She stood ___ the window and looked out.

16. The cat is ___ the house somewhere.

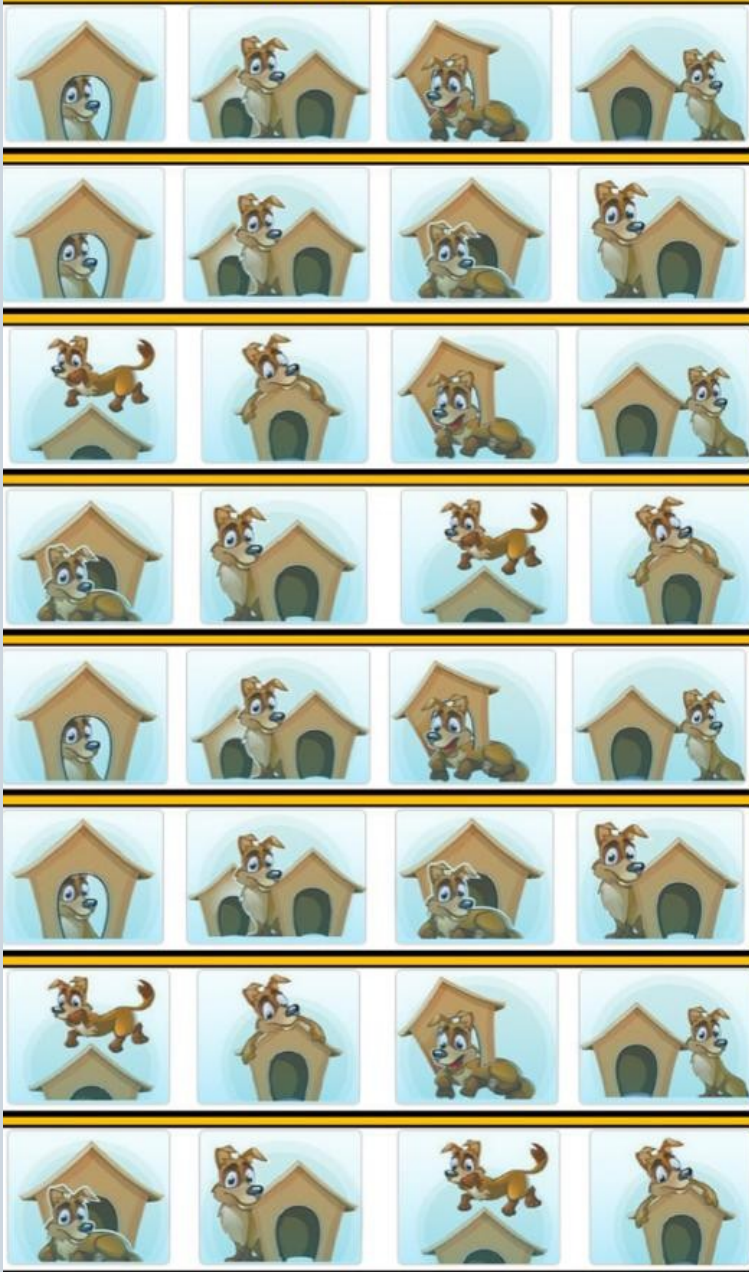
17. I'm ___ the bed.

18. I waited for Lohith ___ the station.

19. There was a picture of flowers ___ her T-shirt.

20. She has a house ___ Calcutta.

Circle the correct picture that refers the preposition of place



1. The dog is **next to** the house

2. The dog is **in** the house.

3. The dog is **under** the house.

4. The dog is **over** the house.

5. The dog is **between** the houses.

6. The dog is **behind** the house.

7. The dog is **on** the house.

8. The dog is **in front of** the house.