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WORKSHEET NO.10	Topic: PREPOSITION ANSWER KEY	Note: NOTEBOOK

PREPOSITIONS

Exercise 1: Complete the following sentences using appropriate prepositions.

1. Toys were lying ----- the room. (**across** / about)
2. Astrophysics is ----- me. It is too difficult for me. (**above** / about)
3. There were ----- twenty children in the class. (**about** / above)
4. I live ----- the street. (**across** / about)
5. He walked ----- the bridge. (above / **across**)
6. He came in ----- you. (**after** / over)
7. The ladder was standing ----- the wall. (**against** / at)
8. The waves beat ----- the cliffs. (**against** / over)
9. He aimed the ball ----- the stumps. (on / **at**)
10. She applied the plaster ----- the cut. (**to** / in)



Exercise 2: Fill in the blanks with an appropriate preposition.

- 1) I was amazed ----- her brilliant performance. (with, at, **by**, to)
- 2) He is afflicted ----- a serious ailment. (to, by, of, **with**)
- 3) You must apologize ----- him ----- your rude behaviour. (with, **to**, at, **for**)
- 4) She often boasts ----- her aristocratic upbringing. (for, **of**, at, with)
- 5) Don't brood ----- your past failures. (with, at, by, **over**)
- 6) We decided to call ----- the principal. (at, **on**, for, with)
- 7) She deals ----- antique furniture. (at, with, **in**, of)
- 8) Never deviate ----- the path of truth and virtue. (to, **from**, with, out)
- 9) Eventually she complied ----- my requests. (at, **with**, at, from)
- 10) The robbers broke ----- the shop and looted it. (down, away, **into**, off)

Exercise 3. Complete the sentence with the most appropriate preposition.

1. The airplane flew **through or above** the thick clouds.
2. I will meet you at the café **at** 5:00 PM.
3. My phone fell **between or into** the cracks of the car seat.
4. We are going **on** vacation to Italy next month.
5. The library is located **between** the post office and the bank.
6. She has been practicing the piano **for** three hours.
7. I left my umbrella **by or behind** the front door.
8. The athlete ran **across or toward** the finish line with a burst of speed.

9. Please don't lean **against** the wet paint.
10. We walked **along or on the** beach to watch the sunset.

Exercise 4. Select the correct prepositional phrase for each sentence.

1. The cat jumped...

- a) quickly away
b) onto the counter
c) is very orange

2. We found the missing keys...

- a) under the rug**
b) yesterday morning
c) very easily

3. The man _____ is my uncle.

- a) wearing a hat
b) runs fast
c) with the red tie

4. I haven't seen him...

- a) since last Tuesday**
b) for he is busy
c) because of the rain

5. The book _____ belongs to the library.

- a) that I read
b) on the top shelf
c) is very old

6. They traveled...

- a) by boat**
b) tomorrow
c) the ocean

7. The squirrel ran...

- a) fastly
b) away from here
c) up the oak tree

8. I parked my car...

- a) in the garage**
b) later today
c) near to there



9. The soup _____ was too salty.

a) in the bowl

b) which I ate

c) tasted bad

10. He succeeded...

a) because he tried

b) through hard work

c) very much
