

E12- PREPOSITIONS

Fill in each blank with a suitable preposition :

1. Where is Jimmy? - He is _____ work. He is busy _____ his monthly report.
2. She prefers carnations _____ roses. In fact, she dislikes roses.
3. They held a party to congratulate _____ their son's success to become an engineer.
4. It is important to have someone that you can confide _____.
5. You should pay more attention _____ what your teacher explains.
6. What did that man die _____? – A heart attack.
7. I keep sneezing because I got wet _____ the way home yesterday.
8. His father used the money he won to set _____ his own company.
9. Don't you know what happened _____ the people who went on holiday with us?
10. He worked hard _____ a mechanic for ten years before being appointed manager.
11. This organization is quick _____ sending relief goods to the flooded areas.
12. When are you leaving _____ Singapore? This week or next week?
13. He didn't even have the intelligence to call _____ an ambulance.
14. She's very old and can't live alone. She needs someone to look _____ her.
15. A beautiful clock was given _____ her by a handsome boy.
16. It's very nice _____ you to let me use your car. Thank you very much.
17. Why are you always so rude _____ your parents? Can't you be nice _____ them?
18. It wasn't polite _____ him to leave without saying thank you.
19. I don't understand people who are cruel _____ animals.
20. Why do you always get so annoyed _____ little things?
21. The people next door are annoyed _____ us _____ making so much noise last night.
22. We enjoyed our holiday but we were rather disappointed _____ the hotel.
23. I was surprised _____ the way he behaved. It was quite out of character.
24. She doesn't often go out at night. She's afraid _____ the dark.
25. I've been trying to learn Spanish but I'm not satisfied _____ my progress