

Prepositions of Time

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Listen and repeat.



Jane goes to school **in the morning**.



She has lunch **at noon**.



She goes to the park **on Sunday**.

IN	AT	ON
in the morning	at 8 o'clock	on Sunday (days)
in the afternoon	at the moment	on Monday
in the evening	at noon	on Tuesday
in November (months)	at night	on Wednesday, etc.
in the summer (seasons)	at midnight	on October 4th (dates)
in 1992 (years)	at the weekend	on Sunday afternoon

1 Write *in*, *at* or *on*.

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|---------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 ... <i>in</i> ... the morning | 7 the spring | 14 Sunday evening |
| 2 Tuesday | 8 the afternoon | 15 1912 |
| afternoon | 9 Saturday | 16 January |
| 3 night | morning | 17 midnight |
| 4 Wednesday | 10 the weekend | 18 the summer |
| evening | 11 Thursday | 19 March 2nd |
| 5 10 o'clock | 12 May 1st | 20 7 o'clock |
| 6 1821 | 13 the evening | 21 August |

2 Read and circle.

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|---|---|
| 1 We start school in / at 9 o'clock. | 7 Is your birthday in / at February? |
| 2 My birthday is at / on June 25th. | 8 My friends go to the park in / on Saturday afternoon. |
| 3 Ben's on holiday in Spain in / at the moment. | 9 Let's meet at / on Tuesday. |
| 4 I go to the beach in / on the summer. | 10 He always gets up in / at 7 o'clock. |
| 5 They always eat lunch in / at noon. | 11 My sister's birthday is on / in January 27th. |
| 6 She usually watches TV in / on the evening. | |

3 Choose the correct item.

- 1 We go to bed midnight.
A on B in **C at**
- 2 Dad usually cooks the morning.
A on B in C at
- 3 School starts September.
A on B in C at
- 4 They usually go to work 8 o'clock.
A on B in C at
- 5 Children don't go to school Sunday.
A on B in C at
- 6 The baby is sleeping the moment.
A on B in C at
- 7 We usually watch TV the evening.
A on B in C at
- 8 My birthday is April 15th.
A on B in C at
- 9 We go skiing December.
A on B in C at
- 10 Al goes to the cinema Tuesday evenings.
A on B in C at

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Write the words or phrases in the correct columns. Listen and check.

~~the morning~~

July 4th

night

the autumn

Wednesday

noon

Sundays

2002

the weekend

Saturday afternoon

the winter

6 o'clock

in	at	on
<i>the morning</i>	<i>night</i>	<i>July 4th</i>

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Write *in*, *at* or *on*.

- 1 Ann's birthday is ... *on* ... May 5th.
- 2 We have breakfast the morning.
- 3 We have lunch noon.
- 4 We have dinner the evening.
- 5 He usually goes to the park
Sunday afternoon.
- 6 They usually play tennis Saturday.
- 7 We usually go swimming the summer.
- 8 We usually have breakfast
8 o'clock the morning.
- 9 It is cold the winter.
- 10 It is rainy the autumn.
- 11 Jim doesn't work the weekend.

6 Write *in*, *at* or *on*.

- 1 She goes shopping ... *on* ... Saturday mornings.
- 2 They start work 8:30 the morning.
- 3 Her birthday is July 19th.
- 4 The children are doing their homework the moment.
- 5 It's hot the summer.
- 6 He usually stays at home the evening.
- 7 John usually does his homework the afternoon.
- 8 Mum and Dad go to the cinema Sundays.
- 9 Dad usually works in the garden Saturday afternoons.
- 10 Mum's birthday is March 10th.

7 Complete the text with *at*, *in*, or *on*.

Dear Sally,

It's my birthday 1) ... *on* ... April 21st. I hope you can come to my party! The party is 2) Saturday. It starts 3) 5 o'clock. We can play outside 4) the afternoon and we can dance in the living room 5) the evening. The party finishes 6) 9 o'clock. See you 7) Saturday afternoon! Love, Emma



8 Complete the text with *at*, *in*, or *on*.

Max and his family go to the beach 1) ... *in* ... the summer. They stay in a hotel. Max gets up 2) 10 o'clock 3) the morning and swims in the sea. 4) noon, he eats lunch with his family. He plays on the beach 5) the afternoon, and 6) 5 o'clock, he goes back to the hotel. He goes out with his family 7) the evening and he goes to bed 8) 11 o'clock 9) night. Max loves the summer!





Speaking Activity

Ask and answer questions with your partner.



Jenny

MONDAY

10:00 am – have English lesson

TUESDAY

3:00 pm – play tennis

WEDNESDAY

8:00 pm – watch favourite TV show

THURSDAY

4:00 pm – visit Grandma

FRIDAY

5:00 pm – go shopping with Mum

SATURDAY

9:00 am – go swimming

SUNDAY

2:00 pm – eat lunch with family



What does Jenny
do on Mondays?

What time?

She has an English lesson.



At ten o'clock in the
morning. What does Jenny
do on Tuesdays? etc.



Writing Activity

Now write about your week.

On Mondays, I

On Tuesdays, I

On