

A. Put each time expression into its correct column: *in, on, at, no preposition*.

yesterday	two days	Easter	six months
New Year's Day	midnight	ten minutes	July 20th
the end of the month	the weekend	this afternoon	the nineties
lunchtime	Tuesday morning	the summer	next week
today	night	2018	Christmas
February	tomorrow	my birthday	a moment
last winter	10 o'clock	the morning	Saturday

in	on	at	no preposition

B. Now, check your answers. How many did you get correct? Total /28
C. Complete the rules for the prepositions of time: *in, on, at*.

We use for periods of time, months, years, seasons, decades, morning, afternoon and evening.

We use for days, the weekend (US) and dates.

We use for precise times, festivals, the weekend (UK) and night.


D. Work in pairs (A and B). Test your partner on the time prepositions.

Student A turns over their worksheet, so they can't see the exercises or answers.

Student B reads a time expression from Exercise A, e.g. two days.

Student A then tries to guess the correct preposition that goes with the time expression.

After 14 time expressions, swap roles.