Prepositions of place

A **preposition** is a word that tells us how one thing is **connected** to another. Some prepositions tell the reader about locations or **places**.

- The cat sat **on** the mat.
- The twins are **at** school.

Get started

Copy out these sentences and underline the prepositions. One has been done for you.

1. Marcel is at the airport.
2. His bags are on the conveyor belt.
3. Tony stood beside the check-in desk.
4. A baby crawled under the seat.
5. A luggage trolley rolled across the waiting room.
6. A jumbo jet soars above the city.
7. Erik's ticket was among his other papers.
8. Kelsie travelled down the escalator.

Try these

Copy and complete these sentences by adding suitable prepositions. One has been done for you.

behind	inside	along	past	through	in	over	up

1. The passengers queue up behind one another.
2. They walk _____ the steps to the plane.
3. Everybody sits _____ the correct seat.
4. Hand luggage is placed _____ the overhead storage.
5. The cabin crew walk _____ the aisle.
6. An air steward walks _____ a crying baby, smiling at the mother.
7. He steps _____ the curtain into the kitchen area.
8. The plane is flying _____ the sea.

Now try these

Copy and extend these sentences by adding a preposition of place and some extra information.

For example: The plane is flying... in the sky.

1. The plane touches down smoothly...
2. The passengers leave the plane...
3. They collect their suitcases...
4. The suitcases were waiting for them...
5. Kelsie's family have booked a hotel...
6. George's father drives them to their house...

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