Prepositions – Meteors

a) Choose the correct preposition to fill in the gaps in this newspaper article:

150 meteors an hour blaze in sky tonight

by Nilima Marshall

_____ 150 meteors an hour are set to race _____ the UK skies tonight as the Earth passes _____ a cosmic dust cloud.

The Perseid shower should be visible _____ midnight _____ 5.30am, peaking just _____ dawn.

The shooting stars, most no bigger than a grain _____ sand, are the debris left _____ Comet Swift-Tuttle.

They burn up as they hit the Earth's atmosphere _____ 36 miles _____ second, producing a shooting stream _____ light _____ the sky.

The meteor shower began _____ July 17 and will continue _____ 12 more days.

Anna Ross, _____ the Royal Observatory Greenwich, said: "It's one _____ the most impressive meteor showers _____ the year. They'll be crossing the sky _____ every direction."

Source: Daily Mirror, Wednesday 12th August 2020

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