

## MULTI-WORD PREPOSITIONS

**Task 1.** Choose the correct preposition.

1 - The weather will be great \_\_\_ the newspaper.

according from

according of

according to

2 - They arrived late \_\_\_ the heavy traffic.

because of

because to

because from

3 - Amir lives \_\_\_ his work.

close of

close from

close to

4 - There must have been an accident on the road \_\_\_ us.

ahead to

ahead from

ahead of

5 - \_\_\_ Sally, everyone was at the conference.

Aside of

Aside from

Aside to

6 - We're going to marry \_\_\_ what anyone thinks.

regardless to

regardless of

regardless from

7 - He takes the train \_\_\_ his fear of driving.

due for

due from

due to

8 - We achieved our sales target \_\_\_ all your hard work.

thanks with

thanks from

thanks to

9 - It's open every day \_\_\_ Sundays.

except from

except with

except for

10 - I'll ride in the carriage \_\_\_ you and Natalie.

along from

along with

along for

**Task 2.** Complete the sentences with prepositions from the box.

**along with    except for    in addition to    in spite of    instead of**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ buying fast fashion, it is better for the environment if people choose clothes which last longer.

2. \_\_\_\_\_ encouraging child labour, offshore production also drives wages and working conditions down.

3. \_\_\_\_\_ the low wages in overseas factories, many people are eager to take these jobs.

4. Workers can't wear any jewellery in the factory \_\_\_\_\_ wedding rings.

5. China, \_\_\_\_\_ the USA and India, is a world-leading exporter of cotton.

**Task 3.** Choose the correct word.

I can't get the meaning \_\_\_\_\_ this sentence.

? away from

? close to

? ahead of

? out of

It's not in the same road but the post office is \_\_\_\_\_ the pub.

? ahead of

? near to

? next to

? away from

Don't come \_\_\_\_\_ two people when they are arguing.

? near to

? ahead of

? in between

? close by

Make sure your suitcase is \_\_\_\_\_ . There are thieves here.

? next to

? ahead of

? close by

? near to

I've left the keys \_\_\_\_\_ the piano.

? close by

? in between

? on top of

? away from

Keep \_\_\_\_\_ me - I don't want to lose you.

? all over

? in between

? close to

? out of

Go to the end of the road and you'll see the school, directly \_\_\_\_\_ you.

? near to

? in front of

? close to

? close by

Keep \_\_\_\_\_ the dog - he bites.

? away from

? all over

? out of

? close by

He leaves his clothes \_\_\_\_\_ his bedroom.

? all over

? away from

? out of

? all round

If we work quickly, we'll get \_\_\_\_\_ the clock.

? close to

? on top of

? ahead of

? in front of