

EXERCISES

PREPOSITIONS

A Complete the sentences with the correct preposition. Look up the words in bold if you need help.

- 1 I had to **borrow** some money my father.
- 2 He **stole** some bread the supermarket.
- 3 It was a market town that **developed** a capital city.
- 4 The restaurant has a **reputation** bad service.
- 5 The staff treat all the customers **respect**.
- 6 I **lent** my car a friend.

B Choose the correct preposition.

- 1 It's halfway *between / from* Edinburgh and Glasgow.
- 2 I have no credit *in / on* my mobile phone.
- 3 Their house is *on / at* the south bank of the river.
- 4 The fire spread *out / through* the building.
- 5 I enjoy walking *on / in* the fields near my house.

WORD FAMILIES

C Complete the expressions with the correct form of the word in bold.

- 1 We live on a dairy **farm**. a pig
- 2 We live in an **industrial** area. a big fishing
- 3 She's a **financial** advisor. work in the department
- 4 He **murdered** his boss. the escaped
- 5 She **treated** them with respect. respectful

D Tick the words in the unit which are both a noun and a verb.

- 1 refuse
- 2 bite
- 3 repeat
- 4 lock
- 5 kiss
- 6 develop
- 7 treat
- 8 pollute

COLLOCATIONS

E Complete the sentences with the adjectives. Look up the adjectives if you need help.

historic financial liberal secure rural sharp

- 1 Careful! The knife's very
- 2 She has very views on religion.
- 3 I have a job with good pay.
- 4 This is a area. There are no cities.
- 5 I have some problems since I lost my job.
- 6 Arbat is in the centre of Moscow.

F Complete the collocations with nouns from the unit.

- 1 a river b_ _ _
- 2 a dairy f_ _ _
- 3 the Sahara D_ _ _ _ _
- 4 a small fishing p_ _ _
- 5 a nuclear power p_ _ _ _
- 6 a kitchen s_ _ _

G Which adjective does NOT collocate with the noun?

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|------------|---------------------------|
| 1 wardrobe | fitted / built-in / rural |
| 2 drawer | last / top / bottom |
| 3 sink | kitchen / home / bathroom |
| 4 climate | dry / wet / industrial |
| 5 industry | heavy / green / light |