Prepositions

A preposition is a word that shows the relationship of one word to another word in the sentence.

Examples: **prepositions** show a relationship of a ***word*** to *another word in the sentence*
Put the *milk* **in** the ***fridge*** before it spoils.
There is a *monster* **under** the ***bed***.
Anthony walked **to** ***school***.

Here are some commonly used prepositions:

about	against	at	between	from	of	through	under
above	among	behind	by	in	on	to	upon
across	around	beside	for	into	over	toward	with

Prepositions are used to show **direction**, **time**, **location**, and **space**.

Examples:
Direction: Look **to** the right and you'll see a flying squirrel.
Time: I'll see you **at** noon.
Location: Run! He's **behind** you!
Space: I found your book **under** the desk.

Unfortunately, there is no magic rule to know which preposition to use in which circumstance. The best solution is to read as much as possible. It will come naturally to you with time.

Choose the best prepositions for the sentences. Write the correct option on the line provided.

1. Did you want to try that new restaurant (after – across) _____ work?
2. There are no vowels (from – between) _____ the letters p and t.
3. (In – With) _____ the classic story, Alice went (through – between) _____ the looking glass.
4. The ball flew (in – through) _____ the air (with – at) _____ an incredible speed.
5. The left sock had been lost (from – for) _____ days. It was finally found (under – on) _____ the bed.

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6. Jane got (in – into) _____ her car and went (to – at) _____ the grocery store.
7. (On – In) _____ January, a warm day is hard to come (by – into) _____.
8. The train goes (by – through) _____ the tunnel (above – under) _____ the river.
9. We paddled (with – by) _____ all our might to keep the canoe moving because we were going (among – against) _____ the current.
10. The treasure was found (with – by) _____ a pirate.
11. Carol always takes lemon (in – with) _____ her tea.

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