

Prepositions

IN

IN: Dentro de algo (ubicación interior o dentro de límites)

Ubicación: Dentro de un espacio o lugar definido.

- En español: Piensa en "dentro de".
- Ejemplos:
 - She is in the house. (Está dentro de la casa.)
 - The milk is in the fridge. (La leche está dentro del frigorífico.)
 - He lives in Spain. (Vive en España.)

Tiempo: Dentro de un período.

- Ejemplos:
 - I'll see you in an hour. (Te veo dentro de una hora.)
 - In the morning/afternoon/evening. (Por la mañana/tarde/noche.)

Contextos específicos: Ideas abstractas.

- Ejemplo:
 - She is in love. (Está enamorada.)

ON

ON: Sobre algo (superficie o contacto)

Ubicación: Encima o en contacto con una superficie.

- En español: Piensa en "sobre", "en", o "encima de".
- Ejemplos:
 - The book is on the table. (El libro está sobre la mesa.)
 - The painting is on the wall. (El cuadro está en la pared.)

Transporte público o medios de comunicación:

- Ejemplos:
 - On the bus/train/plane. (En el autobús/tren/avión.)
 - I saw it on TV. (Lo vi en la televisión.)

Tiempo: Fechas específicas o días.

- Ejemplos:
 - On Monday. (El lunes.)
 - On my birthday. (En mi cumpleaños.)

AT

AT: En un punto específico (ubicación puntual)

Ubicación: Un lugar como punto (no "dentro de").

- En español: Piensa en "en" para puntos o ubicaciones concretas.
- Ejemplos:
 - She is at the door. (Está en la puerta.)
 - We are at the station. (Estamos en la estación.)
 - Meet me at the restaurant. (Reúnete conmigo en el restaurante.)

Tiempo: Momentos concretos.

- Ejemplos:
 - At 5 PM. (A las 5 de la tarde.)
 - At midnight. (A medianoche.)

Eventos o actividades específicas:

- Ejemplo:
 - At the party. (En la fiesta.)
 - At work. (En el trabajo.)

TRICK

Trucos para recordarlo:

- IN = Dentro: Inside a container, place, or limit.
 - In the room, in the city, in an hour.
- AT = Punto: At a specific point or event.
 - At the station, at 5 PM, at school.
- ON = Encima: On a surface, day, or connected to something.
 - On the table, on the bus, on Friday.

COMMON MISTAKES

- I am in the door. ✗
- I am at the door. ✓ (Piensa en la puerta como un punto específico).
- The book is in the table. ✗
- The book is on the table. ✓ (Está sobre la mesa).
- She is at Spain. ✗
- She is in Spain. ✓ (Está dentro del país).

Complete the sentences with "in", "on" and "at".

- We'll meet _____ the park tomorrow afternoon.
- She's lived _____ London for three years.
- The keys are _____ the table, next to the lamp.
- I was born _____ July, during the summer.
- He's sitting _____ the corner of the room, reading a book.
- We'll see you _____ the bus stop at 8 a.m.
- There was a beautiful painting hanging _____ the wall.
- She left her phone _____ the car and couldn't find it later.
- They're spending their holiday _____ the mountains this year.
- The meeting starts _____ 9:30 a.m. sharp, so don't be late!
- I prefer reading books _____ the evening before going to bed.
- Let's have a picnic _____ the beach next weekend.
- The supermarket is located _____ the main street, near the bank.
- He accidentally spilled coffee _____ his shirt during the meeting.
- The concert will take place _____ the stadium downtown.
- She's _____ the kitchen, preparing dinner for everyone.
- We found a cozy little café _____ the city center.
- There's a new exhibit _____ the museum this week.
- I always keep my wallet _____ my bag to avoid losing it.
- The train arrives _____ Platform 3 in just five minutes.
- She was born _____ the 1990s, a decade of big changes.
- I saw your picture _____ the newspaper yesterday!
- The kids are playing _____ the garden, enjoying the sunshine.
- He's _____ the train right now and will call you later.
- I left my coat _____ the chair near the door.
- The movie starts _____ midnight, so let's not be late.
- We had lunch _____ a small restaurant by the river.
- The answers to your questions are _____ the last page of the book.
- There's a beautiful cathedral _____ the center of the old town.
- My sister works _____ a big office building downtown.