

ESL Prepositions

- Q1 The board meeting was called due to the sudden demise of the chief executive officer.
(a) for (b) off (c) to (d) out
- Q2 My father put \$1,000 as a deposit to help my sister purchase a new car.
(a) in (b) over (c) down (d) on
- Q3 I have some material from which I could knock an article if you want me to.
(a) off (b) down (c) on (d) up
- Q4 The finance director has come in a lot of criticism over his unsuccessful handling of the company's investments.
(a) from (b) for (c) to (d) on
- Q5 The factory churns thousands of pairs of low cost shoes every day.
(a) out (b) off (c) in (d) into
- Q6 Low consumer demand has forced the retailer to mark a wide range of goods by as much as 40%.
(a) up (b) down (c) back (d) in
- Q7 Mr. and Mrs. Jarrett must be making a fortune. They're clearly raking over \$1,000,000 a year.
(a) up (b) in (c) on (d) out
- Q8 The clothing manufacturer recently branched into sportswear.
(a) out (b) in (c) off (d) up
- Q9 Distributors will probably bump the price of the software when the next version is released.
(a) up (b) on (c) off (d) out
- Q10 The director was drummed of office when it was discovered that she had been involved in insider trading.
(a) up (b) in (c) on (d) out