



ENGLISH • B1

Prepositions Challenge

Choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D). Only ONE answer is correct.

PART 1 • MULTIPLE CHOICE / 01-10

01 The temperature has dropped ___ zero, so be careful: the roads might be icy.

- A) under B) below
C) beneath D) down

02 I couldn't concentrate because two students sitting ___ me kept whispering to each other throughout the exam.

- A) inside B) opposite
C) against D) between

03 The painting was hanging ___ the fireplace, but it wasn't touching it.

- A) on B) into
C) above D) against

04 The teacher stood directly ___ the whiteboard, blocking our view of the writing.

- A) above B) in front of
C) opposite D) behind

05 We found an old photograph hidden ___ two pages of a book.

- A) between B) among
C) through D) across

06 When I arrived, I noticed that somebody was leaning ___ my car, leaving marks on the door.

- A) beside B) opposite
C) against D) around

07 There was a small village ___ the mountains, completely surrounded by high peaks.

- A) between B) among
C) opposite D) across

08 During the interview, the manager sat directly ___ me, so we were facing each other across the desk.

- A) beside B) behind
C) opposite D) next to

09 I left my suitcase ___ the bed, completely hidden from view.

- A) under B) below
C) down D) beside

10 We agreed to meet ___ the main entrance to the shopping centre at six o'clock.

- A) in B) on
C) at D) inside



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- 11 The thief climbed ___ the open window and disappeared into the house.

A) across B) through
C) over D) along

- 12 Instead of using the bridge, the children decided to swim ___ the river to reach the other bank.

A) along B) through
C) across D) over

- 13 The cyclist rode ___ the tunnel and came out on the other side.

A) across B) through
C) over D) along

- 14 As soon as the teacher entered, the students took their books ___ their bags and placed them on their desks.

A) off B) out of
C) across D) over

- 15 The cat jumped ___ the kitchen counter from the floor and knocked over a glass of water.

A) into B) onto
C) over D) off

- 16 We walked ___ the narrow path beside the river for almost an hour.

A) across B) through
C) along D) over

- 17 The ball rolled ___ the stairs and stopped near the front door on the ground floor.

A) down B) through
C) under D) across

- 18 The runners went ___ the finish line without slowing down.

A) along B) through
C) across D) towards

- 19 I was walking towards the station when a stranger ran ___ me without stopping.

A) across B) past
C) through D) along

- 20 My sister usually goes to work ___ bus, but today she's travelling ___ a taxi.

A) on / by B) by / in
C) in / on D) by / on



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Fill in the Gaps

Complete each sentence with ONE appropriate preposition. No options are provided.

PART 2 • WRITE THE PREPOSITION / 21-30

21

We spent most of our holiday _____ the suburbs rather than in the busy city centre.

26

The helicopter flew _____ the city, giving the passengers a fantastic view of the buildings below.

22

There were so many people _____ the queue that we had to wait almost forty minutes.

27

The teacher asked us to walk _____ the classroom quietly and take our seats.

23

I was already _____ the plane when I realised I'd left my headphones in the taxi.

28

We drove _____ several small villages, following their narrow streets to reach our destination.

24

The children were playing on the floor while their grandfather was sitting _____ an armchair.

29

The train passed _____ a long tunnel before reaching the station.

25

The little boy was hiding _____ the curtain, hoping nobody would find him.

30

The tourists walked _____ the museum entrance but turned back before they reached it.
