



HANOI STAR PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL

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Prepositional Phrases

A Complete the blanks with the prepositions in, on or at.

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|-------|-------------|-------|-----------------|-------|----------------|-------|-------------|
| _____ | a farm | _____ | the right/left | _____ | prison | _____ | a queue |
| _____ | work | _____ | the North | _____ | the back of | _____ | school |
| _____ | town | _____ | 17 Walkley Road | _____ | the door | _____ | the suburbs |
| _____ | university | _____ | the outskirts | _____ | the mountains | _____ | rows/a row |
| _____ | the country | _____ | an island | _____ | the crossroads | _____ | Park Avenue |

B Read the sentences and complete them with the prepositions in, on or at.

- 1 My brother is working part-time _____ the hospital.
- 2 There is a TV set _____ the corner of the room.
- 3 James sits _____ the front of the class.
- 4 They went on a boat ride _____ the river.
- 5 Homeless people sleep _____ the streets of most major cities.
- 6 He had to stay _____ hospital for a week after his operation.
- 7 My girlfriend is waiting for me _____ the corner.
- 8 The robbers parked their car _____ front of the bank.

C Read the sentences and complete them with the prepositions in, on, at, by, for, from or out.

- 1 You can hand in your assignments _____ Tuesday _____ the very latest.
- 2 A tattoo is _____ life. So, think carefully before deciding on having one done.
- 3 Kick-off is in twenty minutes, so _____ the meantime, do your warm-up exercises.
- 4 _____ the beginning, I didn't want to have a party _____ my birthday, but now I've changed my mind.
- 5 Typewriters are already _____ of date.
- 6 You should read the introduction _____ the beginning of the book.
- 7 _____ now on, no one is allowed to enter the school building during the lunch break.
- 8 I haven't seen Michael _____ ages, so I'm going to visit him _____ the weekend.
- 9 It's a pity I have to remain indoors _____ such a nice day.
- 10 I can't talk to you _____ the moment. Ring me back _____ a while.
- 11 It's difficult to see the moon in the sky _____ day.
- 12 I'm really worried about Sam. He should have been here _____ now.

Phrasal Verbs

Read the sentences on the left and match the phrasal verbs with their definitions on the right by writing the correct number in the box next to each definition.

A GET

- 1 Joe was a fussy person and difficult to **get on / along with**.
- 2 The police surrounded the building, making it difficult for the criminals to **get away**.
- 3 He always **gets away with** his bad behaviour.
- 4 A large percentage of the population **get by** on very little money.
- 5 It took Betty months to **get over** her father's death.

escape
overcome
manage to live
have a good relationship
avoid being punished

B PULL, THROW

- 1 The authorities declared the building unsafe and had it **pulled down** immediately.
- 2 A strange rattling noise forced the driver to **pull over** onto the hard shoulder.
- 3 It was time I **threw out / away** my old trainers. They were torn.

get rid of sth unwanted
demolish
move closer to the side of the road and stop (for vehicles)

Words with Prepositions

A Complete the blanks with prepositions.

| Adjectives | Nouns | Verbs | |
|-----------------|---------------------|---|--|
| amazed _____ | a description _____ | distinguish _____ | remind sb _____ sth (= tell sb again to do sth) |
| careful _____ | a failure _____ | experiment _____ sth | remind sb _____ sb/sth (= seem similar to sb/sth) |
| crowded _____ | a search _____ | glance _____ | smile _____ |
| fed up _____ | a solution _____ | hear _____ sb/sth (= have information about) | specialise _____ |
| ready _____ | | hear _____ sb (= have news from) | stare _____ |
| satisfied _____ | | join _____ | vote _____ |
| | | regard sb/sth _____ | |

B Read the following sentences and complete them with prepositions.

- 1 Must I always **remind** you _____ the need to follow the proper procedure?
- 2 I haven't **heard** _____ Lisa for over two weeks now.
- 3 The police released a **description** _____ the wanted man.
- 4 The park was **crowded** _____ enthusiastic teenagers celebrating the end of the school year.
- 5 There must be a **solution** _____ your problem.
- 6 "I'm a **failure** _____ life," declared the famous actor to his adoring fans.
- 7 In some cultures **staring** _____ people is considered offensive.

8 Have you **heard** _____ the latest medical discovery?

9 A final **search** _____ evidence at the scene of the crime proved fruitless.

10 You **remind** me _____ myself when I was your age.

Grammar Revision (Relative Clauses - Clauses of Time)

See Grammar Review page 148 ➤

A Read the text below and complete each blank with one word. All the missing words are relative pronouns or adverbs.

Marilyn Monroe, (1) _____ was one of the world's most famous film stars, was born in 1926. Marilyn, (2) _____ real name was Norma Jean Baker, had a miserable childhood. She grew up in Los Angeles, (3) _____ she spent most of her early years in foster homes. That's (4) _____ she still felt lonely even when she became famous. She worked as a model and also played minor roles in various films before making "Niagara", the film (5) _____ made her very popular. In 1954 she married Joe di Maggio, with (6) _____ she entertained American troops fighting in Korea. She went on to make many films, some of (7) _____ were very successful such as "Some Like it Hot", "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes" and "Bus Stop". Her film career ended tragically in 1962, (8) _____ she died at the age of thirty six.

B Choose A, B, C or D to complete the following sentences.

1 _____ Celia was driving to the airport, she realised that she had left her passport at home.

A As soon as B As C During D Until

2 I will have finished studying _____ the film starts.

A until B while C by the time D once

3 The audience started clapping _____ the singer came on stage.

A by the time B the moment C while D just

4 Peter won't leave _____ he has finished all his work.

A until B by C just as D when

5 I haven't heard from him _____ we finished school.

A before B as soon as C after D since

6 Jane was working as a journalist _____ she was writing her first book.

A during B while C just as D once

7 My mother used to cry _____ she heard this song.

A by the time B the moment that C whenever D until

8 The police officer returned my driving licence _____ he had checked it.

A just as B until C while D after

9 She burst out laughing _____ she saw the clown.

A as soon as B since C until D while

10 _____ we got back to the hotel, it was already dark.

A The moment that B As soon as C By the time D Once

Examination Practice

A Choose the correct answer.

B Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given unchanged. You must use between two and five words, including the word given.

1 Here's the house where I lived as a child.
in Here's the house _____ as a child.

2 I don't know what made her quit her job.
reason I don't _____ she quit her job.

3 Passengers wishing to get up can do so after the seat belt light has gone off.
who Passengers _____ can do so after the seat belt light has gone off.

4 He didn't study enough for his exams, so he failed two of them.
caused He didn't study enough for his exams, _____ two of them.

5 He always checked his car tyres before setting off on a journey.
until He never set off on a journey _____ his car tyres.

6 I've read all of Jane Austen's novels and there were only a couple that I didn't enjoy.
most I've read all of Jane Austen's novels, _____ I enjoyed.

7 Dr Williams is a cardiologist and has his surgery on the second floor.
whose Dr Williams, _____ on the second floor, is a cardiologist.

8 Last week Phil took part in a spelling competition and won first prize.
in Phil won first prize in a spelling competition _____ last week.