

## Prepositions for Places (at / in / on)

In

- countries: in France, in China
- cities: in London, in Madrid, in the city, in a town
- continents: in Asia, in South America
- buildings, when we really mean inside: in the house, in a school, in a shop, in a bank
- rooms: in the kitchen, in the bedroom
- containers: in a bottle, in a bag, in a cup
- areas of land: in the garden, in a field, in the mountains, in the countryside, in the street
- water, when we mean getting wet: in the river, in the sea
- compass points: in the north, in the west
- in a car, in a taxi
- in a book, in the newspaper, in a photo, in bed

On

- flat horizontal things: on the table, on the floor, on a plate, on the page, on the ceiling, on the grass, on the roof
- vertical things: on the wall, on the side of the building, on the window, on my face, on a t-shirt
- things that you're on top of: on the sofa, on a chair, on a bike
- on a bus, on a train, on a boat, on a horse, on a plane
- on the radio, on TV, on the Internet, on Facebook, on Twitter, on Instagram, on a blog, on Netflix, on the phone
- on the first floor, on the third floor
- on foot

At

- institutions, when we're not talking about the building: at university, at school, at the library, entertainment,
- when we're not talking about the building: at the cinema, at the theatre, at the gym
- at the top, at the bottom, at the front, at the back
- when we really mean 'Next to/ Near ': at the table, at the window, at the sea, at the bus stop, at the traffic lights
- at home, at work

## Prepositions of Place 1

Put in: in / on.

1. I saw her \_\_\_\_\_ a motorbike.
2. I heard the news \_\_\_\_\_ the radio.
3. He's probably \_\_\_\_\_ the plane now.
4. Newcastle is \_\_\_\_\_ the north of England.
5. The sun rises \_\_\_\_\_ the eas
6. The children are \_\_\_\_\_ bed.
7. He was reading \_\_\_\_\_ the train.
8. Our flat is \_\_\_\_\_ the first floor.
9. Lucy searched for information \_\_\_\_\_ the internet.
10. She is \_\_\_\_\_ the bus now.
11. Did you come \_\_\_\_\_ foot?
12. We are friends \_\_\_\_\_ Facebook