PREPOSITIONS AND ARTICLES

A. Fill in with the appropriate preposition of time or place (at, in, on) where necessary.

1. Can't you see what it says …… that sign? Normal mail goes ….. the top slot, not in the bottom one.
2. This song was ….. the top of the hit parade ….. the early '80s.
3. My brother went abroad …. Saturday. He should return …. this weekend.
4. We usually stay ….. the city ….. Christmas Day and celebrate Christmas …. my grandparent's house.
5. Isabella was born …. Rome, but grew up on an island …. the Caribbean.

B. Complete by choosing the correct option.

1. I haven't seen you around ……. this month Danielle. What have you been up to?
a. in b. on c. at d. –
2. I've been pretty busy. I started work ….. the post office downtown. I'd been after the job for ages.
a. at b. nearby c. on d. across
3. Congratulations! Is that the big building …. the bank and the parking lot?
a. within b. between c. among d. nearby
4. No. That's where it used to be located. It's moved …. town now.
a. across b. nearby c. in d. between
5. Are you happy there? I'd like to drop by …. One day. Do you think I could?
a. in b. on c. at d. –

C. Fill in the articles (a/an/the).

1. …. tennis match we played yesterday was not …. easiest we've ever played.
2. She'd like to be able to play …. musical instrument.
3. …. money I gave you this morning should last you until …. weekend.
4. Is …. Sahara …. biggest desert in …. world?
5. There was …. man knocking at …. door this morning.

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D. Fill in: THE, A, AN or - (no article)

1. Kate has been talking to ..... customer who has just come into ..... shop.
2. John uses ..... Internet a lot.
3. She went to ..... zoo, but she didn't see ..... monkeys there. She hates ..... monkeys.
4. You won't like that restaurant. ..... food isn't very good there.
5. People don't write ..... letters nowadays. They write ..... emails. But I haven't written ..... email for ages.
6. In England you must go to ..... school until you're 16.
7. Well Mary, here's ..... first question and it's ..... easy one.
8. Jerry works in ..... office in ..... centre of ..... London
9. He lives in ..... apartment in ..... middle of ..... Bronx.
10. Statistics say that ..... women live longer than ..... men.

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