Preposition of time, place and movement

Exercise 1: Choose the correct answer in/on/at

1. The course begins in/***on***/at 7 january and ends sometime .....April.
2. There are usually a lot of parties .....New Year's Eva
3. I'm busy right now, but I'll be with you ..... a moment.
4. It was a short book and easy to read. I read it .....a day
5. .....Saturday night I went to bed .....midnight
6. My phone and the doorbell rang .....the same time
7. .....weekends, we often go for long walks in the country.
8. My car is being repaired. It will be ready .....two hours

Exercise 2: Complete these sentenses using suitable prepositions

a. Before, after, during or for

1. Anna's family went on a holiday ***for*** 3 weeks
2. Anna's dad swam a lot ..... the holiday.
3. Anna's mum upload the photos..... the holiday
4. Anna's dad read a guidebook..... the holiday
5. Anna charged her mobile phone..... the holiday
6. Anna's mum had ironed her clothes..... 3 hours

b. By, from...to, unitl

1. Anna read book from early in the morning ***until*** their lunch
2. They must pack their suitcase..... 7 o'clock. They left at 7.30
3. They were on a train..... 7.30 in the morning.....3.00 in the afternoon
4. Anna's mum took a lot of photos..... they went back home
5. Anna's family stayed at the hotel.....the end of the weekend.
6. Anna didn't phone her friends..... the end of the holiday

Exercise 3: Put in: on, at or in

- Jill waited at the bottom of the stairs

1. He's working..... South America
2. I sit..... the back of the classroom
3. Did you sleep..... the plane
4. It's a town..... the River Thames
5. There're three cats.....the picture
6. I'll see you..... the meeting
7. I want some pictures..... my office
8. Is that oil..... your hands

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