

## Prepositional phrases with “in” and “out of”

You could use the following expressions (however some do not fit, some can be used more than once)

in charge	out of practice	in order	in brief	out of order
out of the question	out of shape	in time	out of date	
in fashion	in advance	in a hurry	out of work	in vain
in shape	in practice	out of fashion	in the meantime	in particular

Let me describe my situation \_\_\_\_\_: I am employed as a reporter by one of New York tabloids and am \_\_\_\_\_ of filling-in the weekly fashion column. \_\_\_\_\_, I need to prepare news and information about all fashion shows and keep the public informed about the latest trends and tendencies getting \_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_ to write such reports \_\_\_\_\_, one should be able to attend practically all fashion shows not only in NYC, but in other cities and countries as well, \_\_\_\_\_ in Los Angeles and Paris (France). If you don't do that, your information could become \_\_\_\_\_ and not appealing to readers. Therefore you have to plan a lot of trips \_\_\_\_\_ and sometimes have to be \_\_\_\_\_ to catch the next available plane – otherwise you might find yourself \_\_\_\_\_ the next day looking \_\_\_\_\_ for the new employment. However, if something like that happens, you should stay \_\_\_\_\_ physically and mentally and try other journalistic genres \_\_\_\_\_, otherwise the period when you stay \_\_\_\_\_ could result in your life getting \_\_\_\_\_ for many years ahead. But in case the giving up the job you like is \_\_\_\_\_ – you should do your best and be never \_\_\_\_\_!