

UNIT 2. MY HOUSE

FURTHER PRACTICE

I. Fill in the missing prepositions.

1. I'm very interested _____ football. (*of / in / for*)
2. I'll be back _____ an hour. (*in / for / after*)
3. Is John married _____ Eva? (*by / to / with*)
4. I've been learning English _____ two years. (*for / in / since*)
5. I bought my son a bicycle _____ his birthday. (*for / in / to*)
6. He lives _____ the corner of Green Street and Links Road. (*by / at / with*)
7. Don't speak _____ him now; he is not feeling very well. (*at / to / with*)
8. Why are you _____ such a bad mood today? (*in / on / at*)
9. I watched the school children walking _____ my house on their way to school. (*from / past / along*)
10. She put the hat _____ her wardrobe. (*on top of / over / through*)

II. Write the correct form of the verbs.

1. Stop(**argue**) and start..... (**work**)
2. Ask him(**come**) in. Don't keep him (**stand**)..... at the door.
3. Don't forget.....(**lock**) the door before (**go**)..... to bed.
4. I'd like (**buy**).....some stamps for overseas mail.
5. "Hung (**be**).....in hospital". "Yes, I know. I (**visit**)..... him tomorrow".
6. My brother goes to the Youth club every weekend. He enjoys (**play**).....sports very much.

III. Choose the most suitable words given in the box to complete the passage.

<i>afford</i>	<i>baby-sitter</i>	<i>kitchen</i>	<i>look</i>	<i>middle-class</i>	<i>proud</i>
<i>returning</i>	<i>things</i>	<i>washing</i>	<i>whenever</i>		

I really feel obliged in helping my mother, (1) she asks me to do so. We are a..... (2) family with parents and only two children. My father is drawing a small salary and so we can't(3) to have a servant to help in the(4) and the housework. In the afternoon after(5) from school, I help my mother in her (6). Sometimes she asks me to go to the shop to buy (7) but most of the time I act as a(8). My brother is an eight-month old boy. Most of the time I (9) after my younger brother, so my mother can do her work. I really feel (10) that I am helping my mother.