

# Homework/Extension

## Step 4: Using Prepositions to Express Place

### National Curriculum Objectives:

English Year 3: (3G1.7) [Using prepositions to express time and cause](#)

English Year 3: (3G1.7) [Express time, place and cause using prepositions \[for example, before, after, during, in, because of\]](#)

Terminology for pupils:

- (3G1.7) [preposition](#)

### Differentiation:

Questions 1, 4 and 7 (Varied Fluency)

**Developing** Decide whether a statement is true or false, using knowledge of prepositions that express place. Preposition used is 'in'.

**Expected** Decide whether a statement is true or false, using knowledge of prepositions that express place. Prepositions include 'against' and 'behind'.

**Greater Depth** Decide whether a statement is true or false, using knowledge of prepositions that express place and their positioning within a sentence. Prepositions include 'upon' and 'throughout'.

Questions 2, 5 and 8 (Varied Fluency)

**Developing** Identify which of three given sentences contain prepositions that express place. Prepositions include 'from' and 'by'.

**Expected** Identify which of four given sentences contain prepositions that express place. Prepositions include 'down', 'across' and 'behind'.

**Greater Depth** Identify which of five given sentences contain prepositions that express place. Prepositions include 'towards', 'beyond', 'through' and 'between'.

Questions 3, 6 and 9 (Application and Reasoning)

**Developing** Replace the preposition in a given sentence and explain reasons for this choice, using knowledge of prepositions that express place. Preposition used is 'up'.

**Expected** Replace the preposition in a given sentence and explain reasons for this choice, using knowledge of prepositions that express place. Preposition used is 'into'.

**Greater Depth** Replace the preposition in a given sentence and explain reasons for this choice, using knowledge of prepositions that express place and their positioning within a sentence. Prepositions used are 'upon' and 'towards'.

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1. True or false? The underlined words in the sentence below are both prepositions that express place.

	True	False
My mum was shaking <u>in</u> her seat as we <u>flew</u> over the grey clouds.		



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2. Tick the sentences below that include a preposition that expresses place.

- A. Your package from Turkey arrived this morning.
- B. I will see you on Tuesday.
- C. My mum lives in a small house by the sea.



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3. Change the preposition of place in Paige's sentence below so that her sentence makes sense.

We saw the fire being put out up our kitchen window.

Explain your choice.



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4. True or false? The underlined words in both of the sentences below are prepositions that express place.

	True	False
A. You should leave your bicycle <u>against</u> the wall", suggested Mum.		
B. A group of angry women were standing <u>behind</u> the television camera.		



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5. Tick the sentences below that include a preposition that expresses place.

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| A. | The woman ran down the busy street.              | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| B. | The naughty dog was chasing Mia across the park. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| C. | Mona stared at the glittering snowflakes.        | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| D. | The dice landed behind the dusty bookcase.       | <input type="checkbox"/> |



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6. Change the preposition of place in Melvin's sentence below so that his sentence makes sense.

I've heard that an angry bear may be hiding into the trees.

Explain your choice.



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7. True or false? Two of the the sentences below begin with prepositions that express place.

	True	False
A. Suddenly, a strange shadow appeared upon the cobbled ground.		
B. Throughout the whole country, the disease spread.		
C. Unfortunately, the only castle on the island is closed throughout winter.		



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8. Tick the sentences below that include a preposition that expresses place.

- A. A large group of tourists entered the museum whilst taking photographs.
- B. Norris pointed towards a brown horse in the field, just beyond the oak tree.
- C. Simon was only happy once the nail had gone right through the piece of wood.
- D. Various fireworks were being set off during the evening.
- E. My younger cousin mischievously hid between the two parked cars.



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9. Change the prepositions of place in Mariella's sentence below so that her sentence makes sense.

Upon the corner, the photographer spotted a celebrity towards the famous hotel.

Explain your choices.



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### Developing

1. **False**, because 'flew' is a verb in the past tense. 'Over' is the only other preposition that expresses place in this sentence.
2. **A and C**
3. **Various answers**, for example: The preposition of place 'from' would make sense as it is followed by a noun (kitchen window). The sentence could read: We saw the fire being put out from our kitchen window.

### Expected

4. **A. True; B. True**
5. **A, B and D**
6. **Various answers**, for example: The preposition of place 'between' would make sense as it is followed by a plural noun (trees). The sentence could read: I've heard that an angry bear may be hiding between the trees.

### Greater Depth

7. **False**, because only sentence B begins with a preposition that expresses place. 'Upon' is a preposition that expresses place in sentence A. The preposition 'throughout' has been used to express place in sentence B and time in sentence C.

	True	False
A. Suddenly, a strange shadow appeared upon the cobbled ground.		✓
B. Throughout the whole country, the disease spread.	✓	
C. Unfortunately, the only castle on the island is closed throughout winter.		✓

8. **B, C and E**
9. **Various answers**, for example: The prepositions of place 'around' and 'near' would make sense in this sentence because both are followed by nouns that fit the context (corner; hotel). The sentence could read: Around the corner, the photographer spotted a celebrity near the famous hotel.