

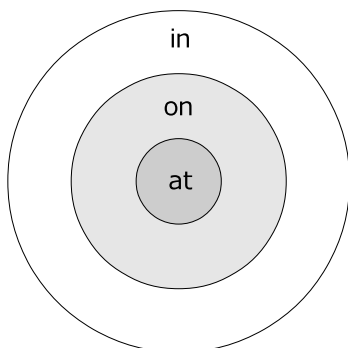


# Prepositions

PREPOSITION + NOUN

## • In / On / At

WORD	EXPLANATION	✓ EXAMPLES
in	in (month) in (season) in (country) / (city) / (area) in the (morning) / (afternoon) in (inside a place) in the (water)	My daughter will go there <u>in August</u> . I travel to Hokkaido <u>in winter</u> . Many people live <u>in Japan</u> . He exercises <u>in the afternoon</u> . My mother lives <u>in an apartment</u> . I swam <u>in the sea</u> .
on	on (day) on (date) on (holiday) on (broadcast media) on the (left) / (right) on the (top of something) on (island)	We will go to a concert <u>on Friday</u> . The party is <u>on October 22<sup>nd</sup></u> . My brother will come here <u>on Christmas</u> . I watched it <u>on television</u> . The theater is <u>on the left</u> . I put the cup <u>on the table</u> . I lived <u>on Jamaica</u> for two years.
at	at (time) at (place of action) at (place of being) at (address)	I always wake up <u>at 7:30 a.m.</u> My friend ate <u>at an Italian restaurant</u> . They are <u>at the park</u> now. I live <u>at 321 North Main Street</u> .



✓ PLACE	✓ TIME
I live <u>in Japan</u> .	I went there <u>in 2013</u> .
I work <u>in Nagoya</u> .	My birthday is <u>in April</u> .
I live <u>on Sakura Street</u> .	I have a party <u>on Saturday</u> .
I work <u>on Fifth Street</u> .	I went there <u>on May 25<sup>th</sup></u> .
I live <u>at 10-21 Nodaya Building</u> .	I begin work <u>at 5:00 p.m.</u>
I am <u>at the TV Tower</u> .	Let's meet <u>at 2 o'clock</u> .



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## • Other Prepositions

WORD	EXPLANATION	✓ EXAMPLES
to	to (destination) to (person) from (time) to (time)	I will go <u>to Tokyo tomorrow</u> . My mom talked <u>to my teacher</u> . She will be in America <u>from June to October</u> .
of	of (connection) of (connection to a group) of (connection with verb) of (material that didn't change)	The first chapter is the difficult part <u>of this book</u> . He is the captain <u>of the baseball team</u> . I thought <u>of the answer</u> . That chair is made <u>of wood</u> .
for	for (amount of time) for (reason) for (person)	They were in Rome <u>for three days</u> . I moved to Hokkaido <u>for work</u> . She cooked this <u>for me</u> .
from	from (time) to (time) from (place) from (giver) from (material that changed)	The class will go <u>from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.</u> This train came <u>from Tokyo</u> . That present is <u>from your sister</u> . Paper is made <u>from wood</u> .
by	by (something near) by (time limit) by (vehicle)	The store is <u>by the bank</u> . I came home <u>by 10 o'clock</u> last night. He always goes to work <u>by car</u> .
with	with (person) with (an instrument)	My sister came to my wedding <u>with her husband</u> . They cut the cake <u>with a knife</u> .
like	like (something similar)	He eats <u>like a pig</u> .



### More Vocabulary

since	inside	above	beside	until	across
during	outside	below	behind	while	before
between	around	under	near	except	after



# Review

◇ Write some sentences using the preposition.

## Preposition Practice

Ex. in I live in Nagoya, Japan.

1. in \_\_\_\_\_

2. on \_\_\_\_\_

3. at \_\_\_\_\_

4. to \_\_\_\_\_

5. of \_\_\_\_\_

6. for \_\_\_\_\_

7. from \_\_\_\_\_

8. by \_\_\_\_\_

9. with \_\_\_\_\_

10. between \_\_\_\_\_

11. since \_\_\_\_\_

12. near \_\_\_\_\_

13. behind \_\_\_\_\_

14. in front of \_\_\_\_\_

15. across \_\_\_\_\_

16. after \_\_\_\_\_

17. before \_\_\_\_\_

18. with \_\_\_\_\_

19. to \_\_\_\_\_

20. for \_\_\_\_\_



# Preparation

◇ Fill in the blank with the correct word.

**Verbs → Nouns**

Ex. drink coffee → drinking coffee  
 drink coffee → to drink coffee

1. eat chocolate \_\_\_\_\_ is not good for your health.
2. play baseball \_\_\_\_\_ is fun to do in a park.
3. have parties I like \_\_\_\_\_ in summer.
4. go to Hokkaido I don't like \_\_\_\_\_ in summer.
5. read books I enjoy \_\_\_\_\_ .
6. sing karaoke It is difficult \_\_\_\_\_ by yourself.
7. do homework I need \_\_\_\_\_ tonight.

◇ Write some sentences about things you want to do and need to do.

**Want to ~ because**

- Ex. I want to go to Hokkaido because I love snow.
1. \_\_\_\_\_
  2. \_\_\_\_\_
  3. \_\_\_\_\_

**Need to ~ because**

- Ex. I need to learn Spanish because I will move to Mexico.
1. \_\_\_\_\_
  2. \_\_\_\_\_
  3. \_\_\_\_\_