

Homework/Extension

Step 2: Prepositional Phrases

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 Match the prepositional phrase to the correct sentence starter. Includes use of the prepositions in, on and at.

Expected Match the prepositional phrase to the correct sentence starter. Includes use of the prepositions behind, across and off.

Greater Depth Match the prepositional phrase to the correct sentence starter. Includes use of the prepositions despite, throughout and towards.

Questions 2, 5 and 8 (Varied Fluency)

Developing Identify the prepositional phrase that fits in both the sentences. Includes use of the prepositions with, in and by.

Expected Identify the prepositional phrase that fits in both the sentences. Includes use of the prepositions after, following and between.

Greater Depth Identify the prepositional phrase that fits in both the sentences. Includes use of the prepositions concerning, on account of and except.

Questions 3, 6 and 9 (Application and Reasoning)

Developing Unscramble the words to create a sentence that includes a prepositional phrase. Includes use of the preposition like and a sentence stem for support.

Expected Unscramble the words to create a sentence that includes a prepositional phrase. Includes use of the preposition through.

Greater Depth Unscramble the words to create a sentence that includes a prepositional phrase. Includes use of the preposition upon.

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Prepositional Phrases

1. Match the prepositional phrases to the correct sentence starters.

The girl swam

at the crowd.

The boy sang

on the stage.

The princess waved

in the swimming pool.



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2. Which prepositional phrases would fit into both the sentences below.

I spread my toast _____.

The baby was covered _____.

in jam

by jam

with jam



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3. Unscramble the words to create a sentence that includes a prepositional phrase.

like

The

looks

very

girl

mother.

her

The girl _____.



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Prepositional Phrases

4. Match the prepositional phrases to the correct sentence starters.

The little girl ran

behind the shed.

The monkey climbed

across the park.

The robber hid

off the branch.



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5. Which prepositional phrases would fit into both the sentences below.

The cat squeezed _____.

Robert was sat _____.

after the dog

following the
lady

between the
two girls



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6. Unscramble the words to create a sentence that includes a prepositional phrase.

the

the

through

motorway

built

hillside.

They



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7. Match the prepositional phrases to the correct sentence starters.

I went outside

throughout the show.

They were chatting

towards the bus stop.

I ran quickly

despite feeling cold.



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8. Which prepositional phrases would fit into both the sentences below.

My mum had questions _____.

There was a letter _____.

concerning the
school trip

on account of
the school trip

except the
school trip



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9. Unscramble the words to create a sentence that includes a prepositional phrase.

The

the

were

upon

leaves

scattered

grass.



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Prepositional Phrases

Developing

- 1.
- | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------|
| The girl swam | at the crowd. |
| The boy sang | on the stage. |
| The princess waved | in the swimming pool. |

2. **with jam**

3. **The girl looks very like her mother.**

Expected

- 4.
- | | |
|---------------------|------------------|
| The little girl ran | behind the shed. |
| The monkey climbed | across the park. |
| The robber hid | off the branch. |

5. **between the two girls**

6. **They built the motorway through the hillside.**

Greater Depth

- 7.
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|--------------------|-----------------------|
| I went outside | throughout the show. |
| They were chatting | towards the bus stop. |
| I ran quickly | despite feeling cold. |

8. **concerning the school trip**

9. **The leaves were scattered upon the grass.**