

# English Grammar – 8

## Chapter 14 - Worksheet: Prepositions

### Section 1: Fill in the Blanks

1. A preposition is a word placed before a noun or pronoun to show its relation to a \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The preposition 'in' is used for things that are \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The preposition 'on' is used for things that are \_\_\_\_\_ a surface.
4. The preposition 'between' is used when referring to \_\_\_\_\_ people or things.
5. The preposition 'under' shows something is \_\_\_\_\_ something else.

### Section 2: MCQs

1. Which of the following is a preposition?
  - a) quickly
  - b) between
  - c) beautiful
  - d) loudly
  
2. "The cat is under the table." — The preposition is—
  - a) cat
  - b) under
  - c) table
  - d) is

**3. Which sentence uses the preposition 'on' correctly?**

- a) The picture is on the wall.
- b) The boy is on the room.
- c) The dog is on the box.
- d) She is on the car.

**4. "The school is near my house." — 'near' shows—**

- a) time
- b) direction
- c) distance
- d) manner

**5. Which of the following is a compound preposition?**

- a) inside
- b) in
- c) at
- d) to

**Section 3: True / False**

1. Prepositions always come before a noun or pronoun. \_\_\_\_\_
2. 'Across' is a preposition of movement. \_\_\_\_\_
3. 'In' is used for months and years. \_\_\_\_\_
4. 'At' is used for specific times. \_\_\_\_\_

5. 'Down' is not a preposition. \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Section 4: Define / Explain**

1. Define preposition with an example.
2. Explain the use of 'in', 'on', and 'at'.
3. Define preposition of time with an example.
4. Define preposition of place with an example.

#### **Section 5: Rewrite / Transform Sentences**

1. Identify the preposition:

- a) The cup is on the table.
- b) The boy ran across the road.
- c) The dog sat beside me.

**2. Fill in with suitable prepositions:**

- a) She lives \_\_\_ Delhi.
- b) The teacher is standing \_\_\_ the class.
- c) The bird flew \_\_\_ the tree.

**3. Rewrite using the correct preposition:**

- a) He sat in the chair. (Use 'on')
- b) They arrived in 5 p.m. (Use correct preposition)

## **Section 6: Application-Based Exercises**

1. Fill in the blanks:

- a) The train passes \_\_\_\_\_ the tunnel.
- b) He divided the mangoes \_\_\_\_\_ the two boys.
- c) She will come \_\_\_\_\_ Monday.

2. Match the prepositions to their usage:

- a) at – i. city names
- b) in – ii. specific time
- c) on – iii. days and dates

3. Make sentences using:

- a) across
- b) beside
- c) during

4. Write a short paragraph (4–5 lines) correctly using at least six prepositions.