

What is Preposition

What is Preposition?

A preposition is placed before a noun or a pronoun to show the relation with the person or thing denoted by it. Prepositions link nouns, pronouns and phrases to other words in a sentence.

Examples:

- Hari is sitting between Tarun and Sherin.
- The tree is in front of the house.

Examples of Prepositions 'at'

- Look at me.
- Do not laugh at anyone.
- The girl is standing at the door.
- The train has arrived at the station.

Examples of Prepositions 'in'

- He deals in silk.
- He is weak in English.
- The letter is written in English.
- Have faith in God.

Examples of Prepositions 'On'

- Rely on your own effort.
- He is bent on doing this mischief.
- The bus moves on the roads.

Examples of Prepositions 'To'

- I object to your proposal.
- I prefer tea to coffee.
- I go to school every day.
- I am obliged to you.

Examples of Prepositions 'Of'

- I am fond of you.
- She is proud of her beauty.

- He died of typhoid.
- Take care of your health.

Examples of Prepositions 'With'

- I can't write with this pen.
- He is annoyed with me at my joke.
- He is busy with his work.
- I am happy with what I have.

Examples of Prepositions 'For'

- I feel bad for the poor.
- I am anxious for her return.
- He is fit for the position.
- He asked for money.

Examples of Prepositions 'Over'

- The king ruled over a vast empire.
- They quarreled over a trifle matter.
- Do not cry over spilt milk.

Examples of Prepositions 'About'

- We inquired about her health.
- We have heard a lot about cricket.
- I am worried about the storm.
- Did you hear about the new inventions?

Examples of Prepositions 'By'

- It is ten o'clock by my watch.
- She was accompanied by her mom.
- Come back home by 7 o'clock.
- The poem was written by Tagore.

Examples of Prepositions 'From'

- He is different from his brother.
- He is suffering from depression.
- Don't hide anything from me.
- He has recovered from his illness.

Examples of Prepositions 'Into'

- The frog jumped into water.
- The terrorists broke into the house.

Examples of Prepositions 'Under'

- Do not sleep under the tree at night.
- Mr. Raja is working under me.