Year 3 - Spring Block 2 - Prepositions

# Step 1: What is a Preposition?



## **Introduction**

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Various answers, for example:
The statues are behind the rope.
The book is near the painting.
The painting is on the wall.



Underline the noun in the sentence below.

They sat happily among the flowers.



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Circle the preposition in the sentence below.

The water fountain is near the town hall.



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Sort the nouns and prepositions into the table below.

across after bread

snake behind church

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bread	across
snake	after
church	behind



Use a preposition from the word bank to complete the sentence.

beyond

off

since

I have known Andrew \_\_\_\_\_last year.



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beyond

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Does the preposition make sense in the sentence below?

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Explain your reasoning.

Yes because 'across' shows where the children were in relation to the busy main road.



Use a different preposition to change the meaning of the sentence below.

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# Gary the goldfish swam behind his mother in the long fish tank.

Various answers, for example:

Gary the goldfish swam near his mother in the long fish tank.

Gary the goldfish swam by his mother in the long fish tank.



List 3 prepositions which could be used to complete the sentence below.

The talented athletes ran \_\_\_\_\_\_the sports stadium.



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The talented athletes ran \_\_\_\_\_\_the sports stadium.

Various answers, for example: through, around, across.

