

## Chapter- 3

# Prepositions of Place, Time and Movement

**STUDY NOTES****AT A GLANCE**

- 1) Preposition is a word that shows the relationship between a noun and a pronoun to the rest of the sentence.
- 2) Preposition of Place is used to show the position or location of one thing in relation to the other. For example - on a horse, at work, under a tree.
- 3) Preposition of Time tell us about the time of action of a noun or pronoun. For example – at bedtime, in 1991, on Friday
- 4) Preposition of Movement or Direction is used to show the movement of a noun or a pronoun from one place to another. For example – to the party, through the tunnel, over the wall.

1. Underline the prepositions in the following sentences. Write P for prepositions of place, T for prepositions of time and M for prepositions of movement or direction.

- a) Pour the milk into the pan. M
- b) Put the heavy box on the floor. P
- c) We submitted the project before the last date of submission. T
- d) Everyone ran towards the exit gate. M
- e) My grandparents take a nap in the evenings. T
- f) I have kept the money inside the wallet. P

2) Complete the following sentences using the correct preposition from the box. Some prepositions can be used in more than one sentence.

- a) We drove along the highway for some time.
- b) Chandan left a few minutes ago.
- c) The children are learning computer in the computer lab.
- d) The picture was taken from the hilltop.
- e) Pihu comes back from her office in the evening.
- f) The helicopter flew over the city. Then, it landed on the helipad.

3) Tick the appropriate preposition. Mention its type in the blank.

- a) My friend has sent me a gift from Nagpur. Place
- b) Titanic sank into the Atlantic Ocean. Direction
- c) The party started at 7 p.m. Time
- d) Sumedha is standing on the stage to speak about World Health Day. Place
- e) I travel along the same route to reach my office. Direction
- f) Hang the jeans on the hook. Place

4) Underline the prepositions that are not required.

- a) Akansha has no money to buy the tickets with.
- b) The tourists are discussing about their next destination.
- c) You need to take this medicine in every two hours.
- d) I will reach at home in ten minutes.
- e) You can write the letter in the same way as Khushi.
- f) The teacher entered into the wrong classroom.

5) Identify the errors and rewrite the sentences correctly.

a) All my friends came at home in my birthday.

Ans) All my friends came home on my birthday.

b) My cousin married to my friend's elder sister.

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c) Anu said, 'My little brother resembles to my mother.'

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d) Of what size are your shoes?

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e) My jacket is of the same colour as yours.

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f) I am moving to Hyderabad in next week.

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