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Prepositions:

Prepositional Phrases

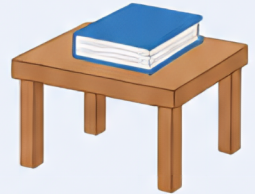


A **preposition** shows the relationship between a noun (or pronoun) and another word in the sentence.

A **prepositional phrase** begins with a preposition and includes the **preposition + its object + any words that describe the object**.

Examples:

- The book on the table is mine.
(prepositional phrase)
- She jumped over the puddle.
(prepositional phrase)



★ **Part 1: Underline the prepositional phrase in each sentence.**

- The cat slept under the chair.
- My brother played soccer in the park.
- We ate lunch on the picnic blanket.
- The airplane flew above the clouds.
- She hid behind the big tree.

Common Prepositions

in, on, at, under,
over, behind,
beside, between,
above, below, near

★ **Part 2: Write a prepositional phrase that tells where or when.**

Use a preposition from the box.

in on under beside near above

- The bird is _____ the tree.
- My backpack is _____ my desk.
- The stars shine _____ the moon.
- The shoes are _____ the bed.
- We will play _____ the playground.

