

A Complete the blanks with the prepositions in, on or at.

_____ a farm	_____ the right/left	_____ prison	_____ a queue
_____ work	_____ the North	_____ the back of	_____ school
_____ town	_____ 17 Walkley Road	_____ the door	_____ the suburbs
_____ university	_____ the outskirts	_____ the mountains	_____ rows/a row
_____ the country	_____ an island	_____ the crossroads	_____ Park Avenue

B Read the sentences and complete them with the prepositions in, on or at.

- 1 My brother is working part-time _____ the hospital.
- 2 There is a TV set _____ the corner of the room.
- 3 James sits _____ the front of the class.
- 4 They went on a boat ride _____ the river.
- 5 Homeless people sleep _____ the streets of most major cities.
- 6 He had to stay _____ hospital for a week after his operation.
- 7 My girlfriend is waiting for me _____ the corner.
- 8 The robbers parked their car _____ front of the bank.

C Read the sentences and complete them with the prepositions in, on, at, by, for, from or out.

- 1 You can hand in your assignments _____ Tuesday _____ the very latest.
- 2 A tattoo is _____ life. So, think carefully before deciding on having one done.
- 3 Kick-off is in twenty minutes, so _____ the meantime, do your warm-up exercises.
- 4 _____ the beginning, I didn't want to have a party _____ my birthday, but now I've changed my mind.
- 5 Typewriters are already _____ of date.
- 6 You should read the introduction _____ the beginning of the book.
- 7 _____ now on, no one is allowed to enter the school building during the lunch break.
- 8 I haven't seen Michael _____ ages, so I'm going to visit him _____ the weekend.
- 9 It's a pity I have to remain indoors _____ such a nice day.
- 10 I can't talk to you _____ the moment. Ring me back _____ a while.
- 11 It's difficult to see the moon in the sky _____ day.
- 12 I'm really worried about Sam. He should have been here _____ now.

Phrasal Verbs

Read the sentences on the left and match the phrasal verbs with their definitions on the right by writing the correct number in the box next to each definition.

A GET

- Joe was a fussy person and difficult to **get on / along with**.
- The police surrounded the building, making it difficult for the criminals to **get away**.
- He always **gets away with** his bad behaviour.
- A large percentage of the population **get by** on very little money.
- It took Betty months to **get over** her father's death.

- escape
- overcome
- manage to live
- have a good relationship
- avoid being punished

B PULL, THROW

- The authorities declared the building unsafe and had it **pulled down** immediately.
- A strange rattling noise forced the driver to **pull over** onto the hard shoulder.
- It was time I **threw out / away** my old trainers. They were torn.

- get rid of sth unwanted
- demolish
- move closer to the side of the road and stop (for vehicles)

Words with Prepositions

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Adjectives	Nouns	Verbs	
amazed _____	a description _____	distinguish _____	remind sb _____ sth
careful _____	a failure _____	experiment _____ sth	(=tell sb again to do sth)
crowded _____	a search _____	glance _____	remind sb _____ sb/sth
fed up _____	a solution _____	hear _____ sb/sth	(= seem similar to sb/sth)
ready _____		(=have information about)	smile _____
satisfied _____		hear _____ sb	specialise _____
		(=have news from)	stare _____
		join _____	vote _____
		regard sb/sth _____	

B Read the following sentences and complete them with prepositions.

- 1 Must I always **remind** you _____ the need to follow the proper procedure?
- 2 I haven't **heard** _____ Lisa for over two weeks now.
- 3 The police released a **description** _____ the wanted man.
- 4 The park was **crowded** _____ enthusiastic teenagers celebrating the end of the school year.
- 5 There must be a **solution** _____ your problem.
- 6 "I'm a **failure** _____ life," declared the famous actor to his adoring fans.
- 7 In some cultures **staring** _____ people is considered offensive.

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- 8 Have you **heard** _____ the latest medical discovery?
- 9 A final **search** _____ evidence at the scene of the crime proved fruitless.
- 10 You **remind** me _____ myself when I was your age.

Words easily confused

Use the correct form of the words in the boxes to complete the sentences in each group A-G below. You may use some of the words more than once. In some cases, more than one word may be correct.

A look see watch notice regard stare glance observe

- 1 We spent weeks in Africa _____ the way lions catch their prey.
- 2 Did you _____ the tie he was wearing? It had pink elephants on it!
- 3 The students _____ the new teacher with curiosity.
- 4 Always _____ left and then right before crossing the road.
- 5 Don't _____ at people like that! It's really rude.
- 6 I _____ a great science fiction film last night.
- 7 Before I bought the magazine, I _____ through it quickly.
- 8 I couldn't help _____ the big red spots on his face.
- 9 Bill _____ at his watch and started running. He was late for school.

B find out invent discover detect

- 1 Many serious illnesses may be cured if they are _____ early enough.
- 2 "We must _____ as much as we can about the gang," said the detective.
- 3 Was it Captain Cook who _____ Australia?
- 4 The first camera, the Kodak 1, was _____ by G. Eastman in 1888.

C explore investigate look for look up (do) research

- 1 The police came to _____ the murder immediately.
- 2 I still have _____ to do for my project on sharks.
- 3 I must _____ this word in the dictionary, because I don't remember what it means.
- 4 Mum, I'm _____ my trainers. Have you seen them?
- 5 As soon as the five friends got to the cave, they decided to _____ it.

D attempt effort trial experiment

- 1 It takes a lot of _____ and patience to learn how to play a musical instrument.
- 2 John's case came to _____ and in the end he was found innocent.
- 3 The athlete failed in his last _____ to break the world record.
- 4 Many cosmetic companies claim they don't carry out _____ on animals.
- 5 I worked for the company for a(n) _____ period of two weeks before I was fully employed.

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- 1 The _____ disagreed with the referee's decision and interrupted the football match.
- 2 The two teenagers claimed they were just _____ and had nothing to do with the fight.
- 3 Paris attracts thousands of _____ all year round.
- 4 At the end of the play, the _____ applauded enthusiastically.
- 5 The _____ were asked to give a detailed description of the accident.
- 6 The concert was broadcast on TV and attracted one billion _____ worldwide.

F memorise remind recall recognise

- 1 I didn't _____ her at first. She had changed a lot.
- 2 I had to _____ his phone number because I didn't have a pen to write it down.
- 3 I'll ring Dad to _____ him to buy coffee, otherwise he'll forget.
- 4 My grandfather can still _____ scenes of World War II.

G view sight image vision scene

- 1 The sun affects my _____ when I'm driving, so I always wear sunglasses.
- 2 We have a superb _____ of the sea from our balcony.
- 3 The child started to cry at the _____ of the dogs.
- 4 The television show was about the _____ you can visit in Rome.
- 5 The police arrived at the _____ of the accident within minutes.
- 6 An actor's _____ is important for his career.
- 7 I ran out of paint, so I couldn't finish the sky for the background _____ in the play.
- 8 When we were leaving the flower show, we were asked to fill in a questionnaire to give our _____ on what we had seen.

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Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in capitals.

- 1 The top model was _____ dressed in an elegant evening gown.
- 2 My street is _____ because it's far from any main roads.
- 3 Our football team won the _____ at the end of the season and received _____ from a large company.
- 4 There are thousands of _____ people sleeping in the streets.
- 5 I bought a _____ dress but its colours faded after I washed it.
- 6 I was fined because I was driving _____.
- 7 The directions you gave us were rather _____, as we still got lost.
- 8 I am feeling quite _____ because I didn't get enough sleep last night.
- 9 I got into a business _____ with my cousin but it ended up being _____.
- 10 The musical performance was so _____ that the audience gave the orchestra a standing ovation.
- 11 The witness' statement didn't help the police in the investigation, so it proved to be _____.
- 12 The man was found _____ of shoplifting and sentenced to one month in prison.
- 13 He has _____ completed his postgraduate studies.
- 14 The new lazer treatment can extract teeth _____.
- 15 It's just a _____ dog. There is no need to panic.

BEAUTY

PEACE

CHAMPION

SPONSOR

HOME

COLOUR

CARE

HELP

SLEEP

PARTNER

SUCCESS

POWER

VALUE

GUILT

SUCCESS

PAIN

HARM

A Read the text below and decide which answer A, B, C or D best fits each space.

A NIGHT AT THE THEATRE

Going to the theatre brings back happy memories, as it (1) _____ me of my very first performance on stage. (2) _____ was thirty years ago. Parts of that particular night are so vivid that I can still picture myself as though it were yesterday. The excitement amongst the actors, the (3) _____ applause and the party after the opening night are memories which will remain with me for (4) _____.

I don't know how we managed to do so well. The rehearsals were far from satisfactory because we thought that we could just have two rehearsals a week (5) _____ in fact we needed more. The background (6) _____ to the last act weren't ready until an hour before the beginning of the play despite the set builder's best (7) _____. The director was not satisfied (8) _____ anything and he didn't even want to show up on the first night. Admittedly, I wouldn't have wanted to either.

(9) _____ the night finally arrived, we were all a bit worried. I remember (10) _____ through the curtain ten minutes before the start and being amazed (11) _____ the (12) _____ of a full house. Finally, it was time for the curtain to go up. In the end, we proved the director wrong and everything went like clockwork.

1	A recognises	B reminds	C recalls	D memorises
2	A which	B when	C where	D who
3	A onlookers'	B viewers'	C audience's	D spectators'
4	A life	B ages	C a while	D time
5	A where	B when	C which	D whenever
6	A images	B visions	C scenes	D sights
7	A attempts	B efforts	C trials	D tries
8	A by	B in	C at	D with
9	A When	B After	C While	D Until
10	A glancing	B noticing	C staring	D watching
11	A in	B at	C on	D for
12	A view	B vision	C sight	D image