

Preposition Cheat Sheet

aboard	around	beyond	in	out	under
about	as	by	inside	outside	underneath
above	at	concerning	into	over	until
across	before	despite	like	past	unto
after	behind	down	near	since	up
against	below	during	of	through	upon
along	beneath	except	off	throughout	with
amid	beside	for	on	to	within
among	between	from	onto	toward	without

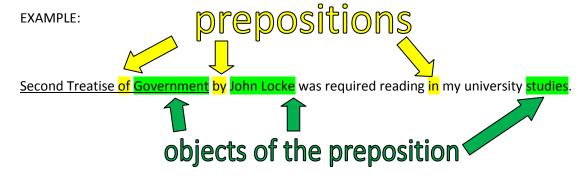
The **object of the preposition** is the noun or pronoun following the preposition. <u>Prepositions can have more than one object!</u>

A **prepositional phrase** is a preposition, possibly some descriptive word like an article (a, an, or the) or adjective, and the object of the preposition.

EXAMPLE: My car is in the garage. The words in the garage are the prepositional phrase.

Prepositional phrases have two words at a minimum. Their length can vary anywhere from two to five or so words in most cases.

- Can act as adjectives answering the questions which one? how many? what kind?
- adjectives modify (describe) nouns or pronouns
- Can act as adverbs answer the questions to what extent? how? when? where? to what degree?
- adverbs modify (describe) verbs, adjectives, or other adverbs



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