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# Preposition Prep

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Prepositions clarify the relationship between a noun or a pronoun and another word in the sentence.

- Examples:** Claire sprinted past the other runners.  
In this sentence, the preposition “past” connects the subject, Claire, to the other runners.
- Dan studied during the evening.  
“During” connects the act of studying with the evening.

**Directions:** Circle the prepositions in the following sentences. Some sentences have more than one.

1. The gift was inside the box.
2. Joey skated across the frozen lake.
3. Lesley sat between Josh and Cynthia at the movies.
4. *Iron Man* was a smash hit throughout the country.
5. Levi paddled his surfboard beyond the rocks.
6. Ellen and Michael passed notes during study hall.
7. Jeremiah hiked along the mountain path.
8. Nina discovered a new species under her microscope.
9. Marcus crammed his clothes into his suitcase.
10. The Hawks rallied against the undefeated Spartans.
11. Marcia hit the ball over the fence.
12. At Tessa’s slumber party, the girls stayed awake until dawn.