

Let's Recap

Ex.1 Underline the most suitable prepositions.

- a) I got *at/to* the station just in time to see Jack getting *from/off* the train.
- b) The cafe is *among/between* the chemist's and the butcher's and *across/opposite* the library.
- c) Sue lives *at/in* Wales, which is a country *at/in* the west of Britain.
- d) I was brought up *in/on* an island *near/next to* the coast of Scotland.
- e) Travelling *by/in* your own car is better than going *by/on* foot.
- f) Jack was leaning *by/against* the wall with his hands *in/into* his pockets.
- g) Ann had a hat *on/over* her head and a veil *above/over* her face.
- h) We arrived *at/in* England *at/in* Gatwick Airport.
- i) I left my bags *at/from* the station *at/in* a left luggage locker.
- j) Peter came running *into/to* the room and threw his books *at/onto* the floor.

Ex.2 Complete each sentence with a suitable word or phrase from the box.

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- a) Police officers don't have to wear uniform when they are _____ duty.
- b) I feel very tired _____ times I consider giving up work.
- c) The children were all upset, and some were _____ tears.
- d) This factory needs modernising. Everything here is _____ date.
- e) Don't worry, everything is _____ control.
- f) Sorry, I seem to have taken the wrong umbrella _____ mistake.
- g) Please hurry. We need these documents _____ delay.
- h) That wasn't an accident! You did it _____ purpose.
- i) We thought the two films were very similar _____ each other.
- j) We decided to take a holiday in Wales _____ a change.

Ex.3 Underline the most suitable phrase in each sentence.

- a) I can't disturb John now. He's *at bed/in bed*.

- b) Tony always arrives exactly *in time/on time* for his lesson.
- c) Two pounds for each ticket, that makes £12 *in all/with all*.
- d) I can't pick that last apple. It's out *of hand/out of reach*.
- e) Joe and I met on the plane completely *by chance/by surprise*.
- f) The children spend most of their time *out of doors/out of place*.
- g) I'm sorry but Jane isn't here *at present/at a time*.
- h) How can Sam love Lucy? They have nothing *in common/in general*.
- i) They should be here soon. They are *in the way/on the way*.
- j) Terry isn't here. He's away *in business/on business*.

Ex.4 Complete each sentence with a suitable word from the box.

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- a) I can't cut this loaf. Do you have a proper _____ knife?
- b) I'm afraid that 'neice' is a _____ mistake.
- c) There's usually a/an _____ space opposite the cinema.
- d) We need a/an _____ box to keep the money in.
- e) The tourist board have built a/an _____ centre near the castle.
- f) We decided to put a/an _____ conductor on the roof.
- g) Marjorie used to write a/an _____ column in a magazine.
- h) These suitcases are very heavy. We must find a/an _____ trolley.
- i) I must rush. I'm going to a/an _____ lesson.
- j) Julie found her flat through a/an _____ agency.

Ex.5 For each of these questions, either one or two alternatives (A-C) are correct. Circle the letters an the correct alternatives.

- 1 I haven't seen _____ of those films. So I don't mind which one we go to.
A any
B no
C either
- 2 You shouldn't slouch like that. It puts _____ of pressure on one hip and leg.
A much
B a lot
C all
- 3 At this stage _____ information would have been a step in the right direction.
A little
B some
C any
- 4 The Fitness Room would like to invite _____ of its patrons to enter the annual fitness challenge.
A all
B every
C some
- 5 _____ witnesses responded to the police appeal after the accident.
A No
B None

C Any

6 _____ of the women who attended the demonstration was willing to give an interview.

A No

B None

C Many

7 We would like to add that _____ medallion is inscribed with the name of its lucky owner.

A each

B every

C either

8 Only _____ of the news today has been about the election.

A half

B a little

C a few

9 We guarantee that _____ item of the dinner service will be replaceable for a period of ten years.

A each

B every

C all

10 We are delighted to be able to welcome _____ the competition winners to the gala evening.

A both

B either

C all

Ex.6 Determiners and quantifiers

1. Did you buy _____ when you went shopping?

A any tomato

B any water

C any tomatoes

D some water

2. _____ my friends knew I was getting married.

A Not much of

B Not many of

C Not much

D Not many

3. _____ hard work had been of no use.

A All their

B Their all of

C All of their

D Their all

4. Following the flood, _____ in the area _____ major repair work.

A each of building...needs

B every building...need

C each buildings...need

D every budding...needs

5. _____ the children _____ awake.

- A None of...was
- B Not any of...were
- C No children....was
- D None of...were

6. We should use _____ time we have available to discuss Ion's proposal.

- A the little of
- B the little
- C the few
- D little

7. I've given _____ to Bob.

- A all them
- B all of them
- C them all
- D them all of