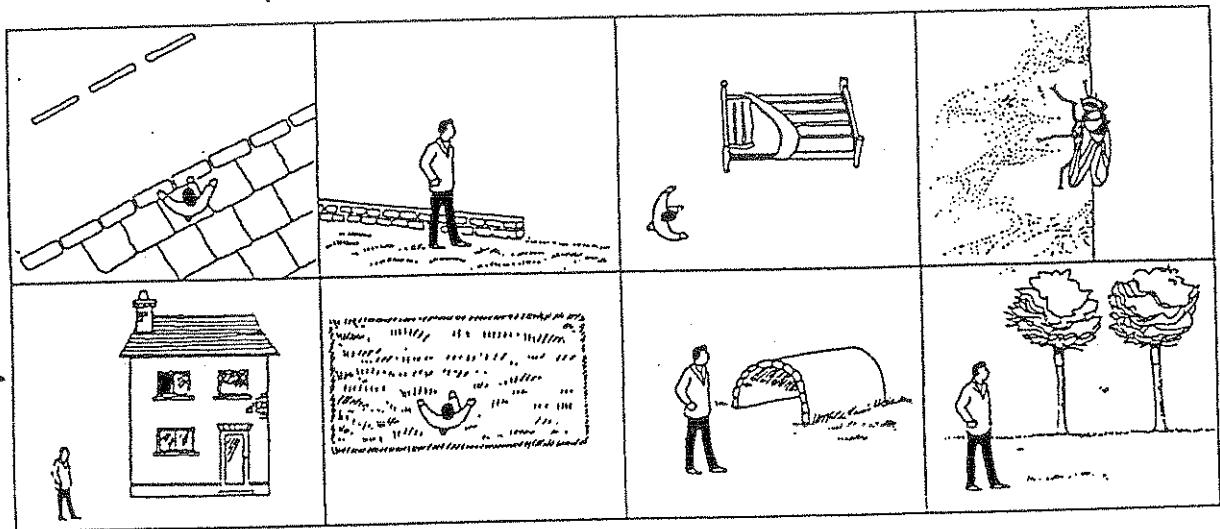


# PREPOSITIONS

1-06.



Now write appropriate prepositions in the gaps.

- 1 When the bull began to run ..... me, I jumped ..... the fence ..... the next field.
- 2 He took two books ..... the shelf. He put one of them ..... the table, and the other one ..... his briefcase.
- 3 She ran ..... the corridor, and ..... the stairs into the basement.
- 4 His bullet whistled ..... my ear, so I shot him right ..... the eyes.
- 5 He came ..... her, and put his arm ..... her waist.
- 6 The prisoner jumped ..... the window, ran ..... the street, and jumped ..... a car that was waiting for him on the other side.
- 7 Looking ..... the microscope, she saw the two cells separate and move slowly ..... each other.
- 8 They couldn't get ..... the high wall, so they dug a tunnel ..... it.

at four o'clock on Saturday

AT (times / festivals)	ON (days / dates)	IN (months / years / seasons)
at four o'clock at 1.15 at Christmas at the weekend	on Monday on 15th May on April 3rd	in July in 1992 in winter in the morning

### Exercise A

Example: When does the plane leave?



It leaves at 6.30.

1 When did you arrive?



2 What time shall we start?



3 When do the shops close?



4 What time does the film begin?



### Exercise B

Example: When is Christmas Day?

Friday

Christmas Day is on 25th December.

1 When is New Year's Day?

4th July

2 When is American Independence Day?

25th December

3 On which day do Christians go to church?

1st January

4 On which day do Muslims go to the mosque?

Sunday

### Exercise C

Fill in the gaps in the sentences with *on*, *in* or *at*.

1 \_\_\_\_\_ Monday, Susan woke up \_\_\_\_\_ five o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ the morning.

2 In England they play football \_\_\_\_\_ winter and cricket \_\_\_\_\_ summer.

3 My sister arrived \_\_\_\_\_ half past three \_\_\_\_\_ the afternoon.

4 I usually play badminton \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesdays and tennis \_\_\_\_\_ Saturdays.

### Exercise D

Do Exercise 7 on the cassette.

**ANSWERS**  
 A 1 I arrived at seven o'clock. 2 We'll start at 7.15.  
 3 They close at 5.30. 4 It begins at eight o'clock.  
 B 1 New Year's Day is on 1st January. 2 American  
 Independence Day is on 4th July. 3 Christians go to church  
 on Sunday. 4 Muslims go to the mosque on Friday.  
 C 1 on, at, in; 2 in, in; 3 at, in; 4 on, on