

WELCOME

to today's English lesson

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Good morning, Year 3.

How did you get on with yesterday's work about vocabulary? Can you remember any of the new words that you learnt?

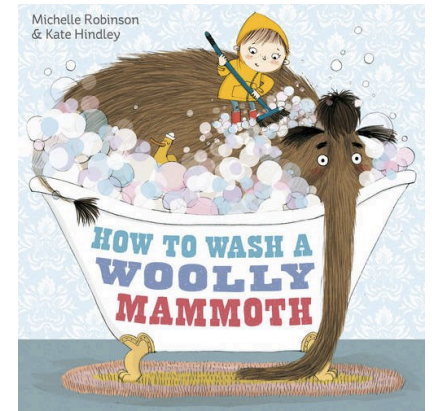
We are going to be continuing with our new story called **'How to wash a woolly mammoth'**. It is a very funny story that I'm sure you will enjoy.

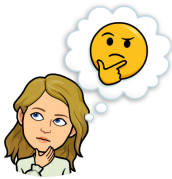
Please watch the video of me reading the story to help you with today's lesson if you haven't already (link on the website).

Today, we are going to be learning all about prepositions and how we can use them in our sentences.

Love

Miss Robertson xxx



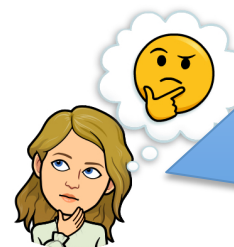
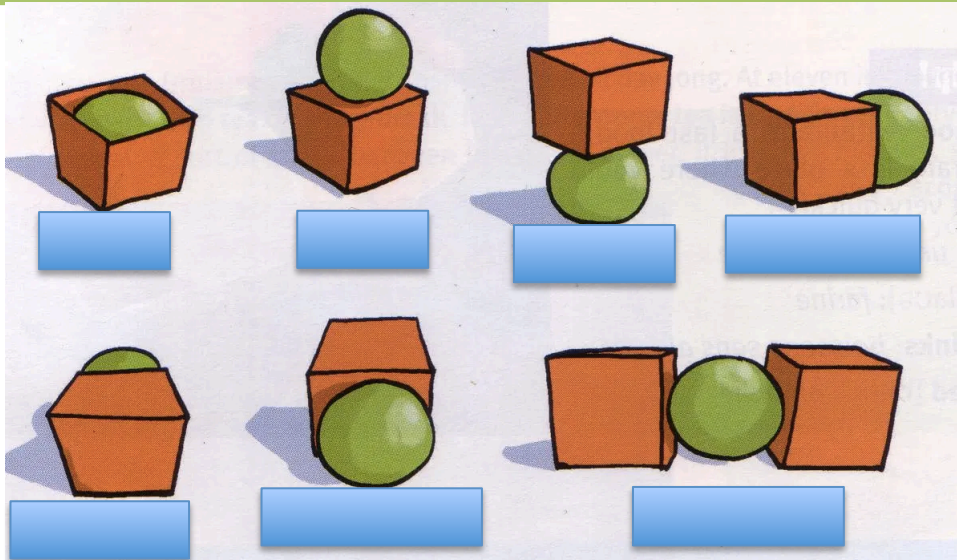


Let's learn: What is a preposition?



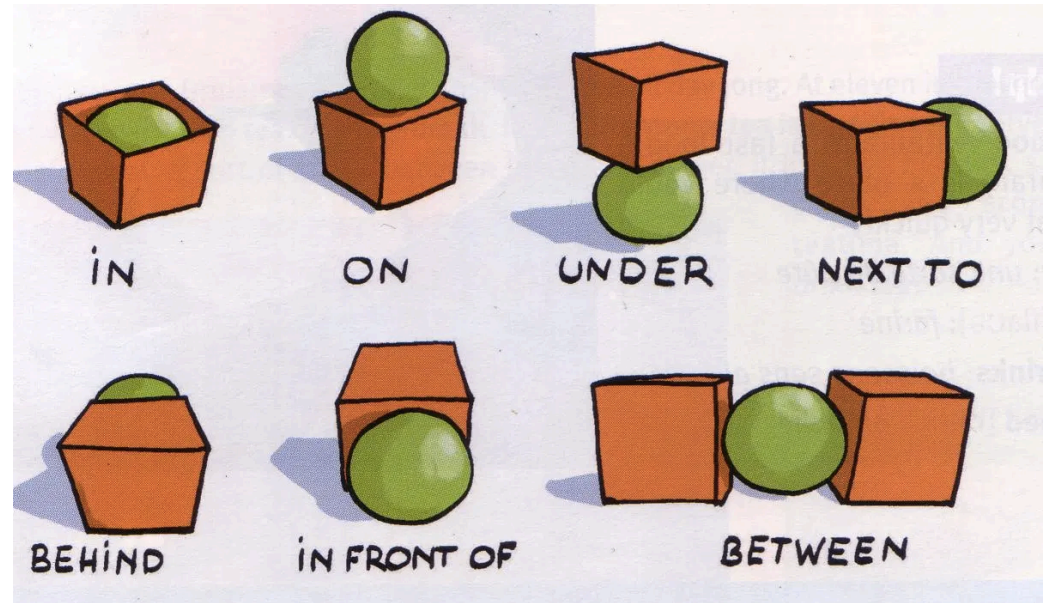
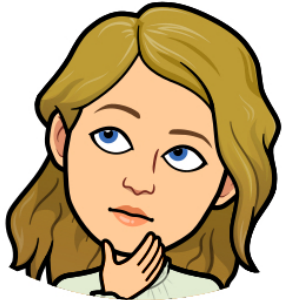
Prepositions are linking words in a sentence. We use prepositions to explain **where things are in time or space**. Prepositions tell us **where something is** (for example, beside, under, on, against, beneath or over) or **when something is happening** (for example: until, during, after, before or more specifically 'on Christmas Day', 'at twelve o'clock' or 'in August').

Today, we are thinking about prepositions that tell us where something is. These are also called **prepositions of place**.

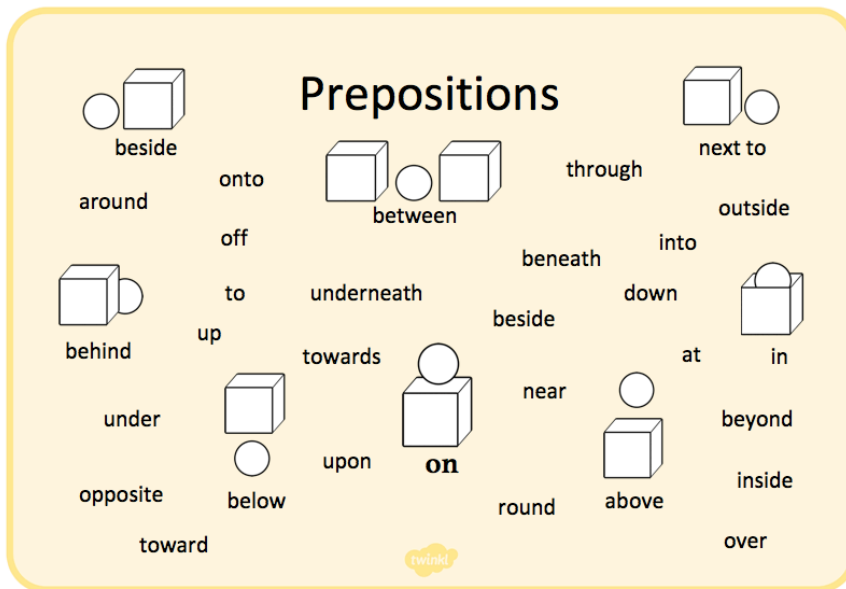


What prepositions could we use here?
How could we describe where the ball is?

How
did
you
do?



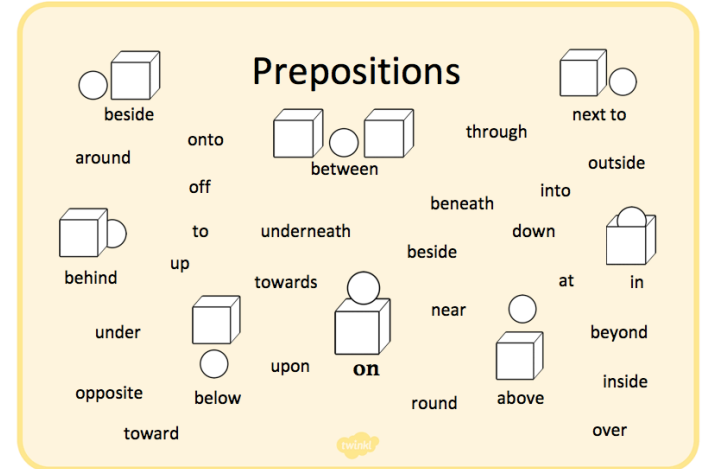
There are lots more **prepositions of place** that we could use. Look at the examples below:



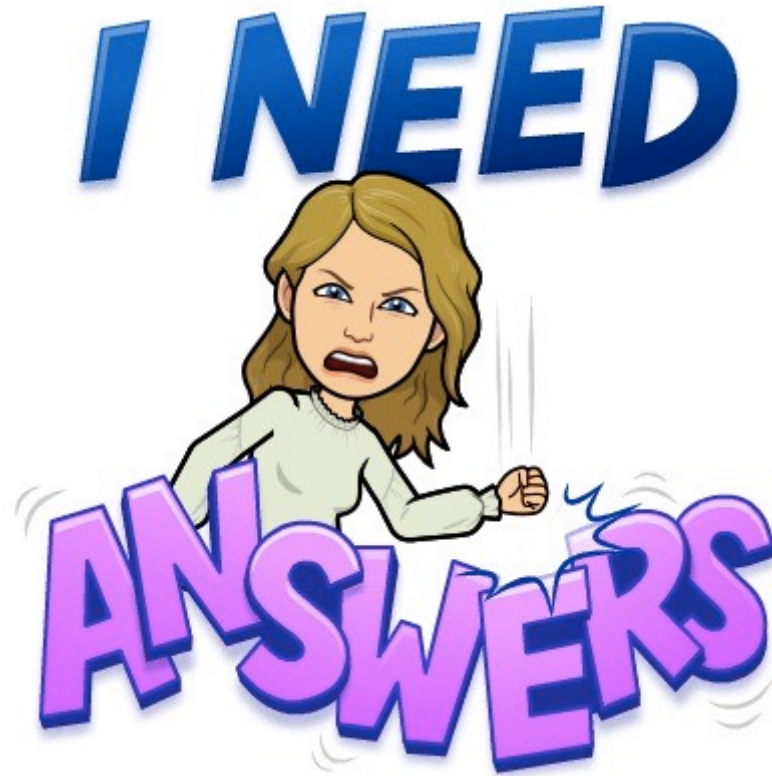
Prepositions are really useful words for giving **precise details** about **where** or **when** something should happen. Why might prepositional phrases be useful in instructional texts?

Activity 1: Copy out the sentences below. **Underline** the preposition of place in each sentence.

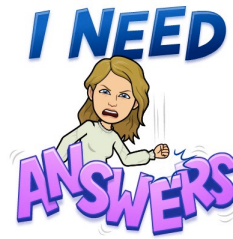
Remember a preposition of place is a word that tells us where something is.



1. It is very tricky to wash inside a woolly mammoth's mouth.
2. Always have lots of towels beside you when you are washing a woolly mammoth.
3. Never stand behind a woolly mammoth incase it kicks you.
4. It is a good idea to use special soap to clean underneath a woolly mammoth.
5. It can be tricky to clean between the mammoth's ivory tusks.
6. Before you start, place your cleaning soap next to you.



**Answers are coming up on the next slide.
No peeking until you have completed the
questions 😊**

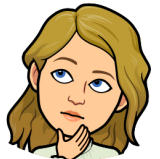


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Look carefully at the picture below. This is a special kit that is used to clean the woolly mammoth. What do you think each one is used for? Can you write some sentences using prepositions?



The meadow fresh is used to clean **behind** the mammoth's ears



Activity 2: Design your own woolly mammoth cleaning kit. What items would you include? **Write a sentence to describe each one using prepositions.** Be as creative and imaginative as you can 😊 Use my example and the word bank on the next few pages to help you.



Challenge: Use adjectives to describe each item too 😊

Miss Robertson's example:

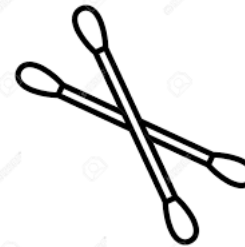


The deodorant is used underneath his trunk.

The **dry** shampoo is used to wash all over the mammoth's large body.



The **frizz** spray is used on top of his head to keep his hair tangle free.



The **extra large** tooth brush is used to clean inside the mammoth's mouth.



The **flexible** cotton buds are used inside his nostrils to get rid of any unwanted dirt.

Things in your cleaning kit:

shampoo

tooth brush

tooth paste

curl tamer

bubble bath

comb

soap

perfume

deodorant

cotton buds

hand sanitiser

Prepositions to use:

behind

over

through

inside

before

on top of

after

under

around

until

between

towards



Thank you for working so hard.

Please send in any photos of your work or any questions you have to yearthree@st-jo-st.dudley.sch.uk

It is always a pleasure to see all of your work.

