

Prepositions Worksheet - Fields of Gold by Eva Cassidy

Choose the correct preposition for each gap fill

IN	AS	AMONG	WITH	OF	SINCE
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You'll remember me when the west wind moves

¹ _____ the fields of barley

You can tell the sun ² _____ his jealous sky

When we walked ³ _____ fields of gold

So she took her love for to gaze awhile

⁴ _____ the fields of barley

In his arms she fell ⁵ _____ her hair came down

⁶ _____ the fields of gold

Will you stay ⁷ _____ me? Will you be my love

⁸ _____ the fields of barley?

And you can tell the sun ⁹ _____ his jealous sky

When we walked ¹⁰ _____ fields of gold

I never made promises like these

And there have been some that I've broken

But I swear ¹¹ _____ the days still left

We will walk ¹² _____ fields of gold

We'll walk ¹³ _____ fields of gold

I never made promises lightly

And there have been some that I've broken

But I swear ¹⁴ _____ the days still left

We will walk ¹⁵ _____ fields of gold

We'll walk ¹⁶ _____ fields of gold

Ooh

Many years have passed ¹⁷ _____ those summer days

¹⁸ _____ the fields of barley

See the children run as the sun goes down

¹⁹ _____ you lie ²⁰ _____ fields of gold

You'll remember me when the west wind moves

²¹ _____ the fields of barley

You can tell the sun ²² _____ his jealous sky

When we walked ²³ _____ fields of gold

When we walked ²⁴ _____ fields of gold

When we walked ²⁵ _____ fields of gold, ooh

Exercises for Prepositions

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

0 I went to Turkey in July.

1 We must leave _____ five o'clock.

2 We'll have a break _____ the afternoon.

3 She's arriving _____ Monday.

4 It's very cold here _____ night.

5 I was born _____ 1970.

6 I never work _____ the weekend.

7 We can play tennis _____ the summer.

8 School starts _____ September 5th.

9 I'll see you _____ lunch-time.

Fill in the gaps in this conversation using words from the box.

two o'clock summer 1990 winter weekend Saturday birthday

Anne: Are you going on holiday in the ⁰ summer _____?

Tom: No, but I went skiing in Italy in the ¹ _____, and I'm going to America at the ² _____. I'll be in New York on ³ _____; then I'm travelling south to Texas. What about you? Are you going away this year?

Anne: Yes. In fact, I'm flying to Morocco at ⁴ _____ tomorrow.

Tom: Really? It's a wonderful country. I was there in ⁵ _____.

Anne: Just think! I'll be on a Moroccan beach on my ⁶ _____!

In these sentences there are some mistakes. Sometimes the underlined prepositions are wrong. Sometimes the prepositions are not necessary. Cross out the prepositions which are wrong and replace them if necessary. Put a tick (✓) if the preposition is correct.

- 0 I normally go to the south of France ~~on~~ in the winter. I usually go in ✓ December, but in last December I couldn't go because my wife was ill.
- 1 We'll leave at eleven o'clock in Saturday morning.
- 2 Shall we visit George in Spain in next April?
- 3 I always drink two cups of coffee on breakfast. In the afternoon I drink tea. I drink hot milk in night before I go to bed.
- 4 They play golf on every Tuesday in the summer.
- 5 I gave her a painting on her birthday at June this year.
- 6 Shall we go to the cinema in this evening? The film starts at eight.

Here are your arrangements for the next few days (*today, this week*), and for the next few months (*in December, next year*).

0 (play /golf) → the afternoon	5 (visit/Egypt) → December
1 (meet /Steve) → Wednesday morning	6 (sell /my house) → January 10th
2 (go/to the bank) → 10 a.m. on Friday	7 (go/to Mexico) → the spring
3 (go/sailing) → the weekend	8 (learn/to ski) → April
4 (start/a new job) → next Monday	9 (buy /a new boat) → next year

Write sentences using the table above. Use the Present Continuous (*I'm doing*), and a preposition (*in, on* etc.) if necessary.

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| 0 I'm playing golf in the afternoon. | 5 _____ |
| 1 I _____ | 6 _____ |
| 2 I _____ | 7 _____ |
| 3 _____ | 8 _____ |
| 4 _____ | 9 _____ |

Use the information in brackets to finish the sentences.

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| 0 (2 → 3) | The shop is closed <u>from 2 to 3.</u> |
| 0 (Friday →) | She will be on holiday <u>from Friday.</u> |
| 1 (June → August) | The beach is busy _____ |
| 2 (10 o'clock →) | I'll be at the sports centre _____ |
| 3 (March →) | The new motorway will be open _____ |
| 4 (Monday → Friday) | We work _____ |
| 5 (1991 → 1994) | He lived in Kenya _____ |
| 6 (January →) | She will be in Hong Kong _____ |