

Prepositional Phrases

Identifying prepositional phrases

Identify each prepositional phrase in the following sentences. Note that a sentence may contain more than one prepositional phrase.

1. Look to the right as you enter the room.
2. Beside the door was a pedestal holding a large vase of flowers.
3. Nina decided to save the story for next month's issue of the newsletter.

Adding detail with prepositional phrases

Add detail to each of the following sentences by using prepositional phrases. Prepare to explain the question that each phrase answers.

1. Mosquitoes buzzed.
2. Traffic clogs the streets.
3. Students will learn best.

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Varying sentence structure with prepositional phrases

Vary each of the following sentences by adding a prepositional phrase to its beginning.

1. Well-wishers left cards and balloons.
2. Tulips and daffodils appear.
3. George won a trophy and a savings bond.