

PREPOSITIONS

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Prepositions are words that show the relationship of a noun or pronoun to another word in the sentence. They describe location, direction, or time.

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PLACE

above
below
behind
between
next to
under



ABOVE

MOVEMENT

across
around
away
from
over
through



UP

TIME

at
in
on
during
for
till



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A preposition requires an object.

A preposition's **object** is a noun that follows a preposition and completes its meaning.



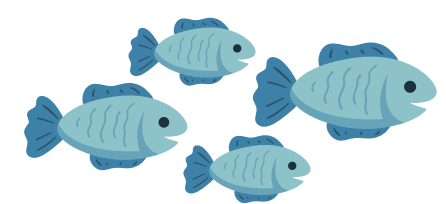
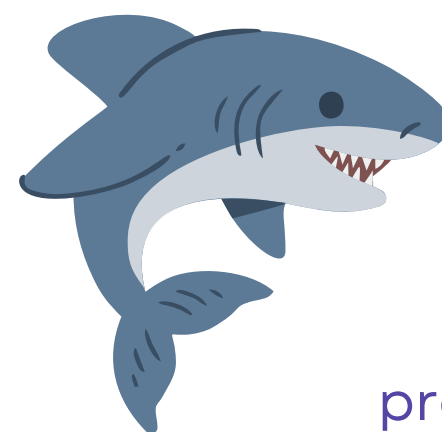
Tom drove his car **to**
the beach.

object of the
preposition

preposition

A prepositional phrase has three parts.

- 1) preposition,
- 2) object of the preposition,
- 3) modifiers of the object.



preposition

Prepositional
phrase

The small fish swam **away**
from the gigantic shark.

modifier

object

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