

Grammar L1GLO8

Prepositions

Learning Outcome 8: Prepositions (dates, time, place)

NOTICING A Read the sentences. Answer the questions below.

1. It's my birthday on July 24.
2. Our next lesson is at 11 o'clock.
3. I finished school in 2022.
4. See you at the mall.
5. Are you very busy on Monday?
6. We usually go on holiday in June.
7. How long are you staying in Oman?

Which underlined word do you use for ...

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| a. times of the day? _____ | d. dates? _____ | g. towns, cities and countries? _____ |
| b. days of the week? _____ | e. months? _____ | |
| c. years? _____ | f. places in a city? _____ | |

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We use words called prepositions before words for times and places. We use different prepositions for different times and places. You need to remember which preposition goes before which time or place.

B Complete the sentences with the correct prepositions.

1. I play basketball _____ Sunday evening.
2. Do you know a lot of people _____ Muscat?
3. We're having lunch _____ 12 o'clock today.
4. We saw Ali _____ the movies yesterday.
5. Do you have any lessons _____ August?
6. Lessons start again _____ September 26.
7. I started university _____ 2023.

C Work in pairs. You want to meet with your partner in a place in your town or city to talk about a project. Have a conversation with your partner. Decide the things below before you start. Remember to use the correct prepositions for times and places.

1. what date, day and time you can meet
2. which place in your town or city you can meet at