



Prepositions of Direction

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Exercise 1 – Learning

Prepositions of direction in this lesson: **from, to, into, onto, away from**

From

Use the preposition '**from**' to talk about the source of something or the place where it starts:

- I got the book **from** my friend.
- Let's start **from** page 14.
- She comes **from** Serbia.

To

Use the preposition '**to**' to show the direction of something:

- She goes **to** Spain every year.
- He went **to** school by bus.
- Let's go **to** the restaurant.



Into

Use the preposition '**into**' to talk about people/things/animals that are within or entering something:

- Put the food **into** the fridge.
- The dog went **into** the house.
- The man is jumping **into** the ocean.

Onto

Use the preposition '**onto**' to talk about people/things/animals that are moving towards or on top of a surface:

- Put the cup **onto** the table.
- Peter drove his car **onto** the sidewalk.
- The cat is climbing **onto** the box.



Away from

Use the preposition '**away from**' to talk about distance or people/things/animals that are moving further from something:

- Move **away from** the fire.
- Put the books **away from** me.
- The man is running **away from** the dog.

Tip: Certain expressions use '**away**' by itself. For example: "Go **away** (from me)!" and "Susan went **away** (from home) for her studies."



Exercise 2 – Multiple Choice

Choose the correct answers to complete the sentences.

1. Her cup fell _____ the sink.

- a) into
- b) onto

2. Come _____ the second floor.

- a) into
- b) onto

3. She turned _____ me.

- a) away from
- b) away

4. Go _____, please.

- a) away from
- b) away



5. Let's start _____ page 5.

- a) from
- b) to

6. Peter went _____ work.

- a) to
- b) into

7. She came _____ India.

- a) from
- b) onto

8. Send it _____ me, please.

- a) to
- b) onto



Exercise 3 – Sentence Construction

Use what you learned in class to create sentences with your tutor.

Example: He kicked the ball, the hole. → He kicked the ball into the hole.

Content:

1. I come, London.
2. Get, the dog.
3. Put the coffee, the table.
4. I'm going, the house.
5. She goes, Russia.
6. I'm climbing, the mountain.