



**ENGLISH REVISION AID (8)**

**Prepositions**

A preposition is one of a group of words used to define a relationship to a noun or a pronoun by being placed in front (pre) a noun or a pronoun.

Here are the most common prepositions you'll find:

about	along	before	into	underneath	until
above	amid	except	of	up	unto
across	among	for	near	with	
after	around	from	until	within	
against	at	in	unto	without	

Sometimes it is difficult to know which is the correct preposition to use. The following list should help (note all the differences when referring to an object or a person):

According to	Differ from (opinion)	Opposite to
Agree to (something)	Differ with (person)	Part from (something)
Agree with (somebody)	Disagree with	Part with (somebody)
Aim at	Disappointed in(something)	Prevail on
Angry at (something)	Disappointed with (somebody)	Protest against
Angry with (somebody)	Disgusted at (something)	Pursuit of
Ashamed of	Disgusted with (somebody)	Recoil from
Attack on	Dislike for	Regard for
Blame for	Divide among (many)	Rely on
Change for(something)	Divide between (two)	Similar to
Change with (somebody)	Equal to	Suffer from
Comment on	Filled with	Tired of (something)
Compared with	Full of	Tired with (action)
Complain of	Good for	Thirst for
Compared with	Guilty of	Vexed at (something)
Complain of	Indignant at (something)	Vexed with(somebody)
Confer with	Indignant with (somebody)	Victim of
Conscious of	Inspired by	Wait for (person, thing)
Defiance of	Interfere with	Wait upon (somebody)
Despair of	Invasion of	Write about (something)
Die of	Meddle with	Write to (somebody)