

# Prepositions

Prepositions are words / phrases used to describe a **place**, **time** or **cause**.

## Place

These prepositions tell us about the place of the animals.

The dog is **on** the floor.

The cat is **next to** the teacher.

## Time

Prepositions can also tell us about time.

**At 6 o'clock** the dog was on the floor.

**During** the lesson, the cat was under the table.

## Cause

Other prepositions tell us about how something is caused by something else.

**Due to** the barking, she put her hands over her ears.



### Place

beside    under    beneath  
in        through    next to  
on        behind    over

### Time

on the day of the trip  
at the weekend  
on Saturday

### Cause

because of  
due to the fact that  
in honour of