



Lesson 12. Verbs and prepositions

Practice 1

Instructions. Based on [this lesson](#), fill in the blanks with the correct preposition. In one or more sentences, you may not need to use a preposition.

When you are done, see “Answer Key” to check your answers.

1. I'm hot. I need to change _____ summer clothes.
2. I accepted an invitation _____ a friend to join his book club.
3. Congratulations, Mary! I know you've always dreamed _____ becoming a doctor.
4. How much did you pay _____ Carolina _____ her typing services?
5. These ugly caterpillars will change _____ beautiful butterflies in just a few weeks.
6. The charity accepted donations _____ anyone wanting to help.
7. I've changed _____ my opinion about this. I don't think it's a good idea anymore.
8. I dreamed _____ my children last night.
9. In the spring, beautiful weather can change _____ a rainstorm very quickly.
10. The tutor guided me _____ the process from beginning to end.

Answer Key

1. I'm hot. I need to change **into** summer clothes.
2. I accepted an invitation **from** a friend to join his book club.
3. Congratulations, Mary! I know you've always dreamed **of** becoming a doctor.
(In conversational English, "about" is also possible here.)
4. How much did you pay Carolina **for** her typing services?
(no preposition before "Carolina")
5. These ugly caterpillars will change **into** beautiful butterflies in just a few weeks.
6. The charity accepted donations **from** anyone wanting to help.
7. I've changed my opinion about this. I don't think it's a good idea anymore.
(no preposition after "changed")
8. I dreamed **about** my children last night.
(In conversational English, "of" is also possible here.)
9. In the spring, beautiful weather can change **into** a rainstorm very quickly.
10. The tutor guided me **through** the process from beginning to end.

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