

Lesson 4. Verbs and prepositions ¹

Practice 1

Instructions. Based on <u>this lesson</u>, fill in the blanks with the correct preposition. In one or more sentences, you do not need to use a preposition.

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

- 1. What happens _____ water at 100°C?
 - It starts to boil.
- 2. I do not approve _____ people who are rude to other people.
- 3. This exercise is very difficult. I need someone to help me ______ it.
- 4. Mr. Smith is a very good teacher. He really cares _____ all his students.
- 5. What are you planning ______ doing _____ your friend's birthday? Are you planning ______ a party for him?
- 6. Exercising every day prevents you _____ getting sick.
- 7. Daniel works ______ a nurse in a small hospital.
- 8. I'd like to go to the movies tonight. Does that work _____ you?
- 9. I'm not taking this medication anymore. It doesn't work _____ me.
- 10. Walking every day can help _____ you stay healthy.

Answer Key

- What happens to water at 100°C?
 It starts to boil.
- 2. I do not approve **<u>of</u>** people who are rude to other people.
- 3. This exercise is very difficult. I need someone to help me with it.
- 4. Mr. Smith is a very good teacher. He really cares **<u>about</u>** all his students.
- 5. What are you planning **on** doing **for** your friend's birthday? Are you planning a party for him? (no preposition)
- 6. Exercising every day prevents you **from** getting sick.
- 7. Daniel works <u>as</u> a nurse in a small hospital.
- 8. I'd like to go to the movies tonight. Does that work for you?
- 9. I'm not taking this medication anymore. It doesn't work **for** me.
- 10. Walking every day can help you stay healthy. (no preposition)

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