

Lesson 6. Verbs and prepositions

Practice 2

Instructions. Based on <u>this lesson</u>, fill in each blank using the verb (and other words) in parentheses, including 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. (stand) Does "brb" ______ "be right back" on the internet? 2. (aim / getting a job) Sandra ______ with this company when she finishes college. 3. (adjust / my new boss) I like my new job, but I still need to ______ 4. (stand / their children) Parents always ______ no matter what they do. 5. (count / you) Can I ______ to help me with this project? 6. (the teacher / insist) The student wants to write his work by hand, but _____ _____ that he should use a computer. 7. (introduce / you / my teacher) Let me ______ 8. (protect / people / getting sick) Vaccines _____ 9. (protect / their children / bad people) It is important for parents to ______ _____ while they are very young. 10. (I / stand / it) I am not sure if this is the best decision, but ______

Answer Key

- 1. Does "brb" **stand for** "be right back" on the internet?
- 2. Sandra aims at getting a job with this company when she finishes college.
- 3. I like my new job, but I still need to adjust to my new boss.
- 4. Parents always **stand by their children** no matter what they do.
- 5. Can I **count on you** to help me with this project?
- 6. The student wants to write his work by hand, but **the teacher insists** that he should use a computer. (no preposition after "insists")
- 7. Let me introduce you to my teacher.
- 8. Vaccines protect people from getting sick.
- 9. It is important for parents to **protect their children from bad people** while they are very young.
- 10. I am not sure if this is the best decision, but I stand by it.

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