

Prepositional Phrases

1. Match the preposition to each of the preposition types.

due to the weather

place

before playtime

time

under the bed

cause

VF

4. Choose three prepositions that could be used to complete the sentence below.

Chloe and her brother Steven always enjoyed sitting _____ the beautiful oak tree.

A

2. Tick the phrase which contains a preposition of cause.

A. during the week

☐

B. outside the house

☐

C. because of the rain

☐

D. around the corner

☐

VF

5. Lisa is looking at the sentence below.

Helen swam underneath the water.

She says,



You can replace the underlined pronoun with the preposition through.

Is she correct?
Explain your answer.

R

3. Use the given prepositions to complete the sentences below.

along

on

against

A. The children were playing football _____ the fields.

B. Hannah and Ellis went for a walk _____ the tow path.

C. Lewis's school football team are playing _____ last year's winners.

VF

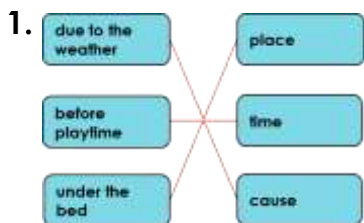
6. Use a different preposition to change the meaning in each sentence.

A. Jack and Mary had to walk across the river on their way home.

B. Elliot finished all his work before lunchtime.

R

Prepositional Phrases



2. **C**
3. **A. on; B. along; C. against**
4. **Various answers, for example: under, in front of, in, against**
5. **Lisa is correct. The preposition 'underneath' can be replaced by the preposition 'through' to explain where she was swimming and the sentence will still make sense.**
6. **Various answers, for example:**
- A. through the river; beside the river**
- B. after lunchtime; at lunchtime**