

Prepositions: Space

We use in/on/at to talk about:

**Surrounding
Areas**

in

Regions, Countries,
Cities or Towns,
Neighborhoods,
Rooms, Buildings

- I live in Tel Aviv.
- We live in Canada.
- France is in Europe.
- He works in Ben Gurion Airport.

Surfaces

on

Streets, Corners of
Streets, Floors of a
Building

- Our office is on the third floor.
- We live on Ibn Gabirol street.

**Precise
Locations**

at

Named Places,
Familiar Places

- She works at Azrieli Mall.
- He is at the office.
- We were at the house when you called.

Other Uses

**Technology
on**

Computers,
Websites, Devices,
Phones

- I wrote the emails on the computer.
- She called me on her phone.
- We chatted on Skype.
- I read the news on their website.

**Most
Vehicles
on**

Any besides cars

- I came here on my bike.
- We sailed on the ship.
- They flew to Japan on a plane.
- He rides to work on the bus.

Prepositions: Time

We use in/on/at to talk about:

Large
Periods of
Time

in

Years, Months,
Seasons, Weeks

- I was born in 1991.
- We were on vacation in January.
- It rains a lot in the winter.
- In the last week, we were quite busy.

Days

on

Days of the
week, dates,
holidays

- I was born on January 28th, 1987.
- She works on Fridays.
- Everybody dresses up on Halloween.

The Hour

at

Telling the Hour

- We arrived at 9:30.
 - I start work at 8 o'clock.
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Practice

Fill in the space with the appropriate preposition.

Ex. **I will finish _____ 8 o'clock. -> I will finish at 8 o'clock.**

- 1) I don't work _____ Fridays.
- 2) Now they live _____ London.
- 3) The children are _____ school.
- 4) Penn Station is _____ 34th Street in New York City.
- 5) Israel is _____ the Middle East.
- 6) My birthday is _____ January 29th.
- 7) I came here _____ the bus.
- 8) I was sleeping _____ home when she called me.
- 9) _____ 1991, the Soviet Union fell.
- 10) I started work _____ 9 in the morning today.
- 11) She spoke with me _____ the phone.
- 12) The store is _____ the corner of Sheinkin and Allenby.
- 13) It is very hot _____ the summer.
- 14) _____ Wednesday, she told me that she was sick.
- 15) We took the test _____ 12:30.
- 16) I read about it _____ the internet.
- 17) We will fly to Berlin _____ March.
- 18) I can't talk because I'm _____ the office.
- 19) The weather was nice so we sailed _____ our boat.
- 20) Be'er Sheva is _____ the Negev.

Practice

Fix the mistakes in the following sentences.

Ex. **My father lives at Sydney. -> My father lives in Sydney.**

1) She lives in Rothschild Blvd.

2) We vote on 2016.

3) He is in home.

4) China is at Asia.

5) I finish work on 5 o'clock.

6) They don't work at Fridays.

7) The students learn English on school.

8) My cousin lives at Russia.

9) It rains on the winter.

10) Sarah works at Manchester.

Practice

Form a sentence with the given words.

Ex. is/Big Ben/London/in -> Big Ben is in London.

1) 8 o'clock/Shirley/work/at/starts

2) Fridays/on/doesn't/my friend/work

3) Russia/snows/in/a lot/it

4) Jabotinsky Street/she/on/lives

5) warm/summer/it/in/is/the

6) in/are/we/2016

7) her/at/brother/is/work

8) studies/Jerusalem/Mona/in

9) celebrate/New Year's Eve/we/December 31st/on

10) phone/they/on/talk/a lot/the
