

# **FRENCH PREPOSITIONS**

## **Vocab List**

### **Quick Lesson**





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# French Prepositions (*Vocab List*) Notes

## **French prepositions:**

Today we are going to talk about \_\_\_\_\_. Let's start by defining **Prepositions**: words which \_\_\_\_\_ two related parts of a sentence. They are placed in front of nouns in order to indicate a relationship between that noun and the verb, adjective, or noun that precedes it.

In a previous lesson we focused on contrasting **à** vs **de**. Today we are going to look at a \_\_\_\_\_ list of prepositional phrases.

Below is a vocab list --- try to fill in the blank for as many as you can.

<b>vers</b>		<b>entre</b>	
<b>à côté de</b>		<b>envers</b>	
<b>après</b>		<b>environ</b>	
<b>au sujet de</b>		<b>hors de</b>	
<b>avant</b>		<b>jusque</b>	
<b>avec</b>		<b>loin de</b>	
<b>chez</b>		<b>malgré</b>	
<b>contre</b>		<b>par</b>	
<b>dans</b>		<b>parmi</b>	
<b>d'après</b>		<b>pendant</b>	
<b>de</b>		<b>pour</b>	
<b>depuis</b>		<b>près de</b>	
<b>derrière</b>		<b>quant à</b>	
<b>devant</b>		<b>sans</b>	
<b>durant</b>		<b>selon</b>	
<b>en</b>		<b>sous</b>	
<b>en dehors de</b>		<b>suivant</b>	
<b>en face de</b>		<b>sur</b>	

**Logic of the Ear:**

Using prepositions is difficult for non-native speakers because knowing when to use what preposition requires “logic of the \_\_\_\_\_ / logic of the \_\_\_\_\_.” That is to say you just know. It’s the same in English.

Translate ENGLISH to French paying attention to the preposition:

**I’m driving \_\_\_\_\_ my friend’s house. → \_\_\_\_\_**

**I’m driving \_\_\_\_\_ the highway. → \_\_\_\_\_**

**I’m driving \_\_\_\_\_ the garage. → \_\_\_\_\_**

Translate FRENCH to English paying attention to the preposition:

**Je téléphone \_\_\_\_\_ une copine. → \_\_\_\_\_**

**J’écoute \_\_\_\_\_ musique. → \_\_\_\_\_**

**Je rends visite \_\_\_\_\_ ma tante. → \_\_\_\_\_**

**Practice with Prepositional Phrases:**

Fill in the blanks with the best prepositional phrase for the sentence.

Il conduit \_\_\_\_\_ Lyon. → \_\_\_\_\_

Je fais une promenade \_\_\_\_\_ voiture. → \_\_\_\_\_

Le lait est \_\_\_\_\_ la table. → \_\_\_\_\_

On finit travailler \_\_\_\_\_ 18h. → \_\_\_\_\_

Elle va \_\_\_\_\_ ciné \_\_\_\_\_ voir un film. → \_\_\_\_\_

Je parle français \_\_\_\_\_ 15 ans. → \_\_\_\_\_

Il va \_\_\_\_\_ un ami. → \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ moi, ce film est trop long. → \_\_\_\_\_