

Master Class on Preposition



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Identify the parts of Speech of 'before'?

- ① We have never met before.
- ② Let's meet before 7 O'clock.

What words are
prepositions
used with?

• Noun/Pronouns





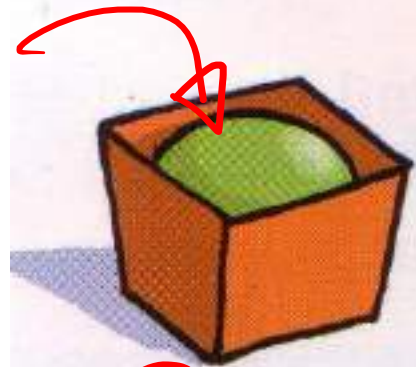
What do
preposition do?

- Show how a noun or pronoun connects to other parts of the sentence

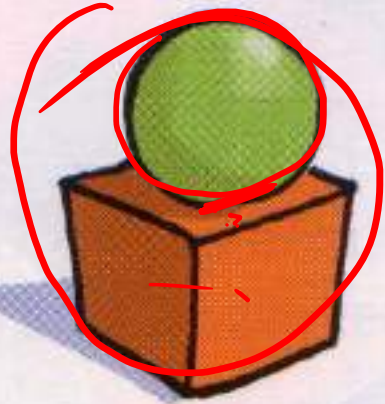
- The cat sat **on** the sofa.

- Relationship with **verb** + **Noun**

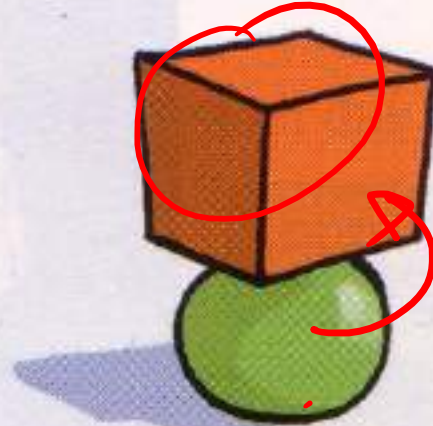




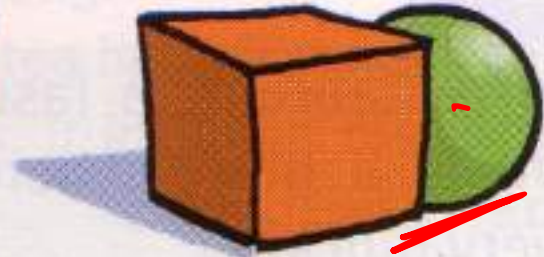
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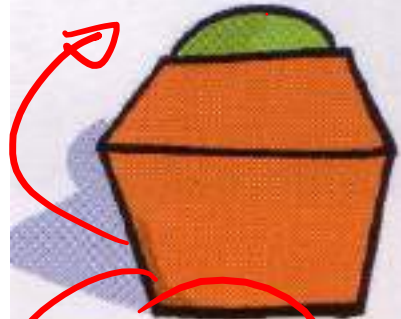
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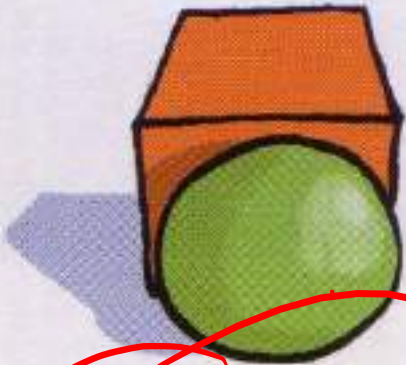
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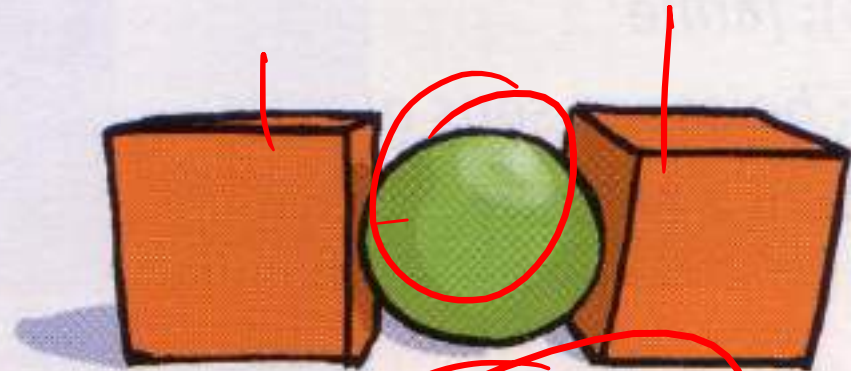
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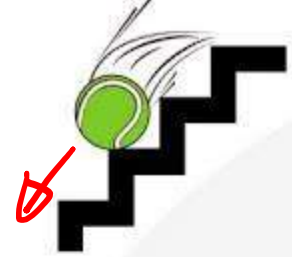
BEHIND



IN FRONT OF



BETWEEN



Down the stairs



Up the stairs



Out of the box



Into the box



In the box



On the box



Under the box



Next to the box



Toward the box



Away from the box



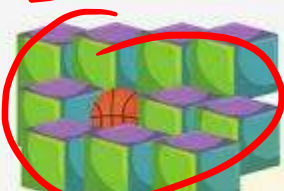
Past the box



Over the box



Between the boxes



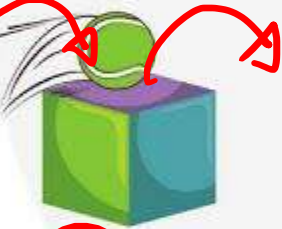
Among the boxes



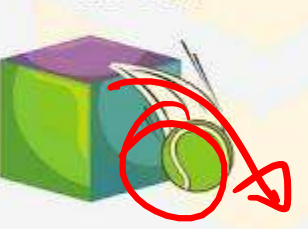
In front of the box



Behind the box



Onto the box



Off the box



Around the cube



Under the box



Above the box



Below the box



Near the box



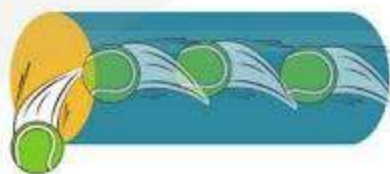
Far from the box



Along



Across



Through



Place

Prepositions of Movement

up

He is walking **up** the stairs.



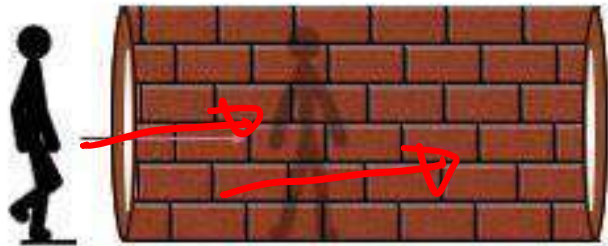
down

He is walking **down** the stairs.



into

He is walking **into** the tunnel.



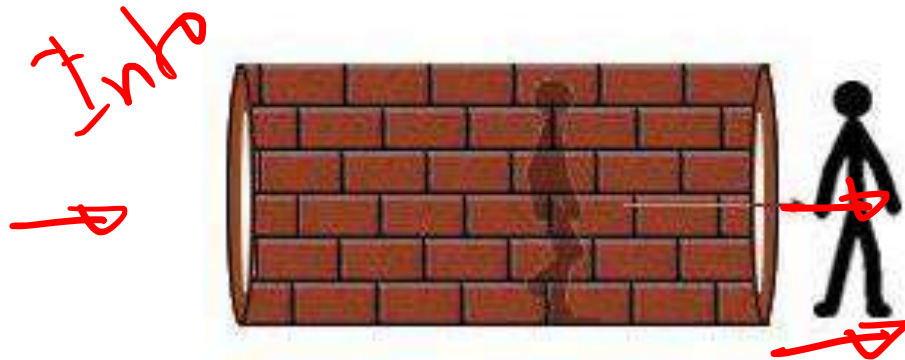
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He is walking **through** the tunnel.



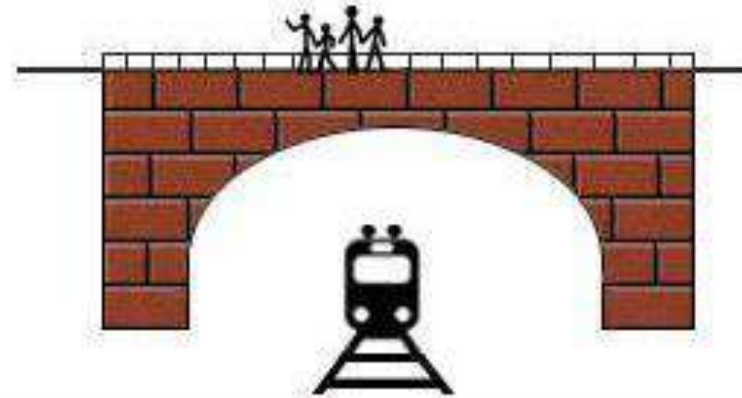
out of

He is walking **out of** the tunnel.



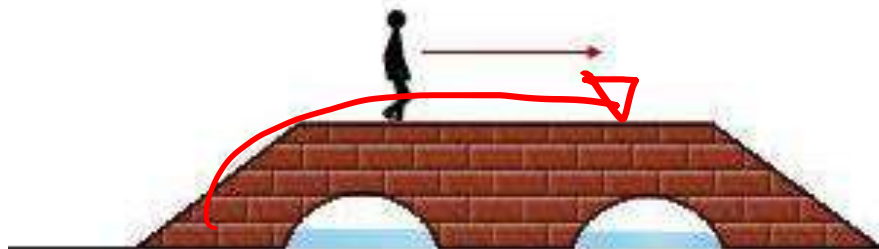
under

The train is going **under** the bridge.



over

He is walking **over** the bridge.



towards

He is walking **towards** the shop.



past

He is walking **past** the shop.



across

He is walking **across** the road.



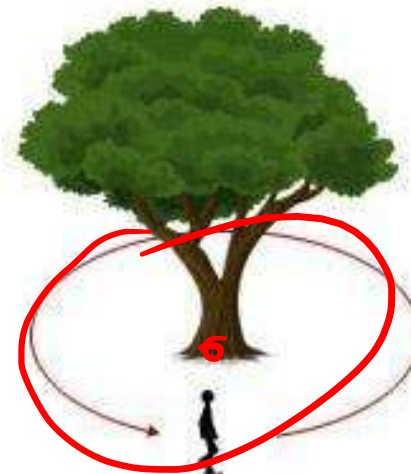
along

He is walking **along** the street.



round / around

He is walking **around** the tree.



• On = কোন কিছু

উপরে



Humpty Dumpty sat on a wall



• in = ভেতরে / মাঝে



The bird is **in** the cage.



• To = কোন গন্তব্যের দিকে ।

• কোন গন্তব্য চলার গতি বুঝাতে 'to' বসে ।



• The train runs from Rangpur to Dhaka.



Liton
returned to
his flat.



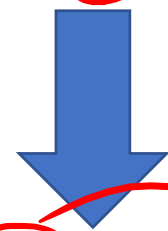
① I am going to the store.



Preposition

I am going to hit the ball.

②



infinitive

to + verb



into

in = ভিতরে

to = দিকে

into = ভিতরের দিকে

এভাবে তীর থেকে নদীতে jump দেয়া, কাপটির ভিতরে চিনি বা ঢালা

ইত্যাদি বুঝাতে into ব্যবহৃত হয়





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The boy jumped into the river.



*Info
part
Info!*

Mr. Nahid walked *Info* the exam room.

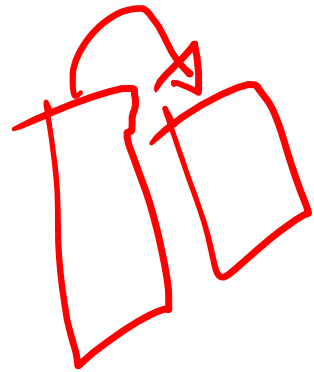
Onto = উপরের দিকে

• কোন কিছুর উপরের দিকে গতি বুঝাতে

onto ব্যবহৃত হয়।



—
I stepped onto
the platform.



INTO

VS.

ONTO

preposition



indicates movement
towards middle or inside of
something

Ex. After being turned down,
Jaz furiously threw her budget
proposal into the trash can.

indicates movement
towards a particular place,
usually a surface

Ex. The dog jumped onto the
side table.

IN vs INTO

ON vs ONTO

QUICK
TIPS

I walked **INTO** the room.

there's an action
of coming inside
the room

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I climbed **ONTO** the roof.

there's an action of
climbing on top of
the roof

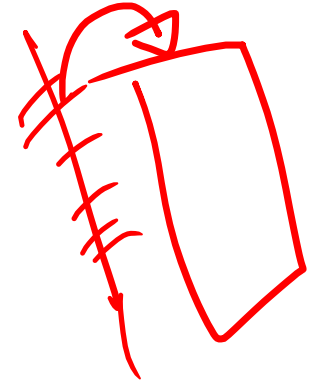
I'm sitting **IN** the room.


I'm already inside
the room, there's no
action

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The pen is **ON** the table.

the pen is already on
the table, there's no
further action





Under: নিচে আছে এমন

The girl hides under the bed.



Under

The river

flows **under**

the bridge.



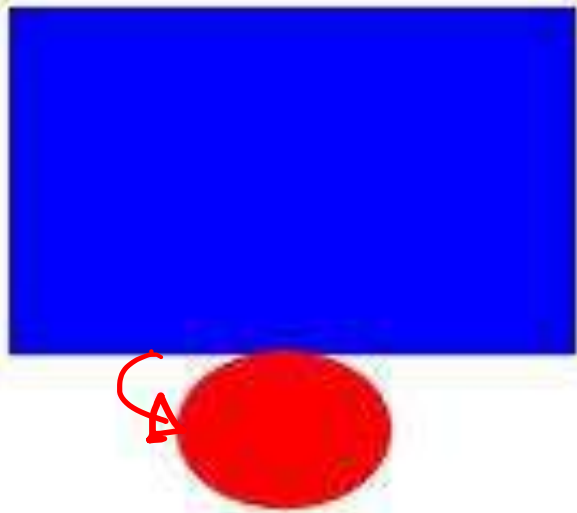
Write your name below the line.

Below=

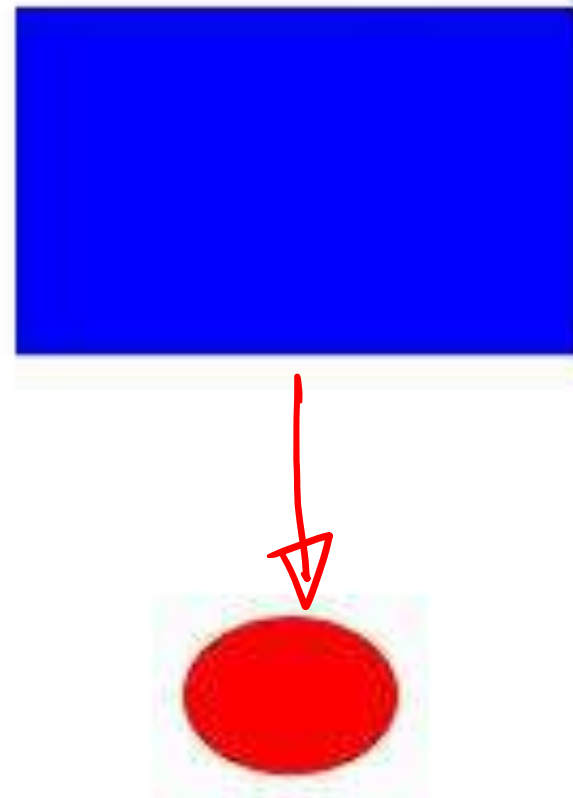
কিছুটা

নিচে

The ball is
under the box



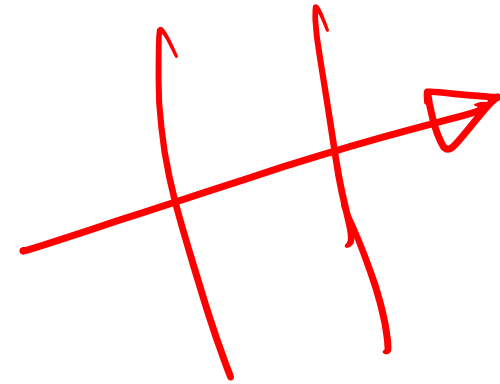
The ball is
below the box



Across = এক পাশ থেকে অপর পাশে

• Across দিয়ে মাঠ, নদী, রাস্তা, ইত্যাদির

‘একদিক থেকে অন্য দিকে’ যাওয়া বোঝায়।



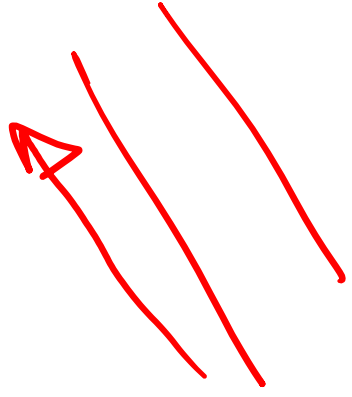


Jahid is going **across** the bridge.

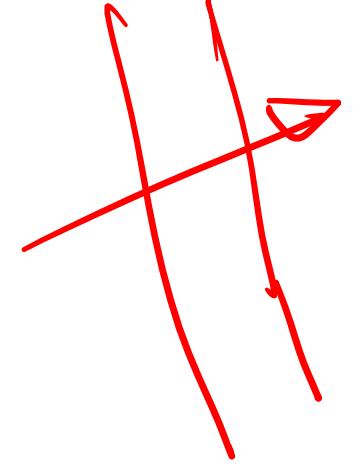




• They boated
across the river.



Along = বরাবর



কোন কিছু বরাবর চলার গতি বোঝাতে Along

বসে।





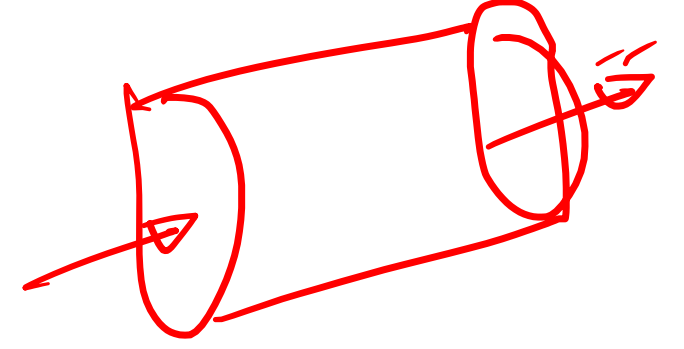
Along

- The ship is sailing **along** the coastline.

•Let's Recap

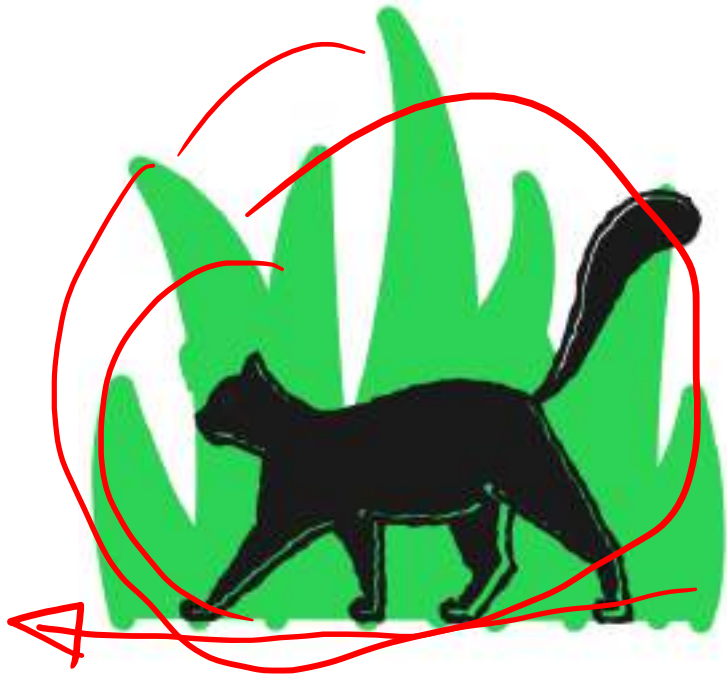


• **Through**- কোন কিছুর মধ্য দিয়ে

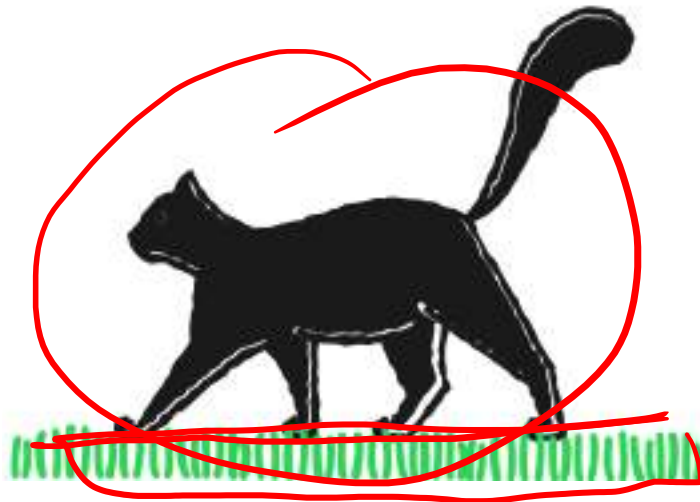


• কোন কিছুর মধ্য দিয়ে অতিক্রম করার গতি
বোঝাতে Through বসে।





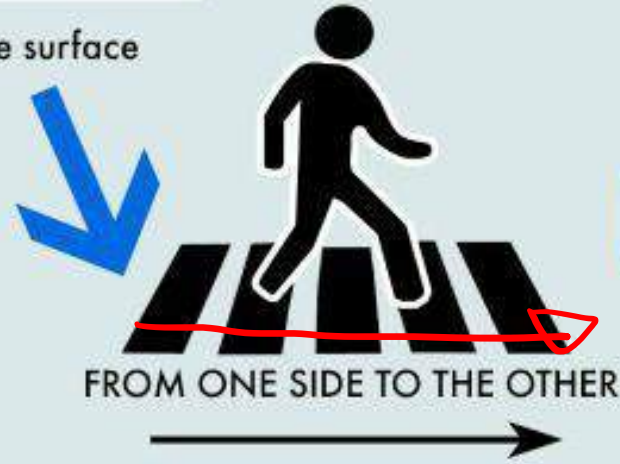
Through



Across

ACROSS

on the surface



At that moment,
I was walking
across the road.

THROUGH

surrounded by the same something or to be in that thing

The man was
walking through
the forest when
he met the wolf.



FROM ONE SIDE TO
OR TOWARDS THE OTHER



Past = পাশ দিয়ে অতিক্রম করা

- কোন কিছুর পাশ দিয়ে অতিক্রম করে যাওয়ার গতি বোঝাতে past বসে।



- If you go ^{past} ___ the drug store, could you please bring some anti-ulcerant for me.



Up = উপরের দিকে।

- কোন কিছুর উপরের দিকে যাওয়া বোঝাতে up ব্যবহৃত হয়



They are climbing
_____ the tree.



down = নিচে

- উঁচু স্থান থেকে নিচু স্থানে বোঝাতে **down** বসে।
- এটি up এর বিপরীত।



The stone rolled down the hill.

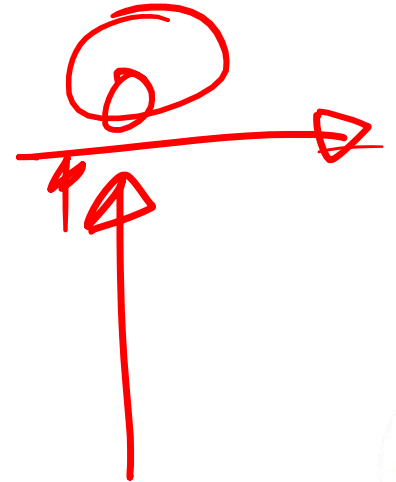


Her hair hung
down her back
to her waist.



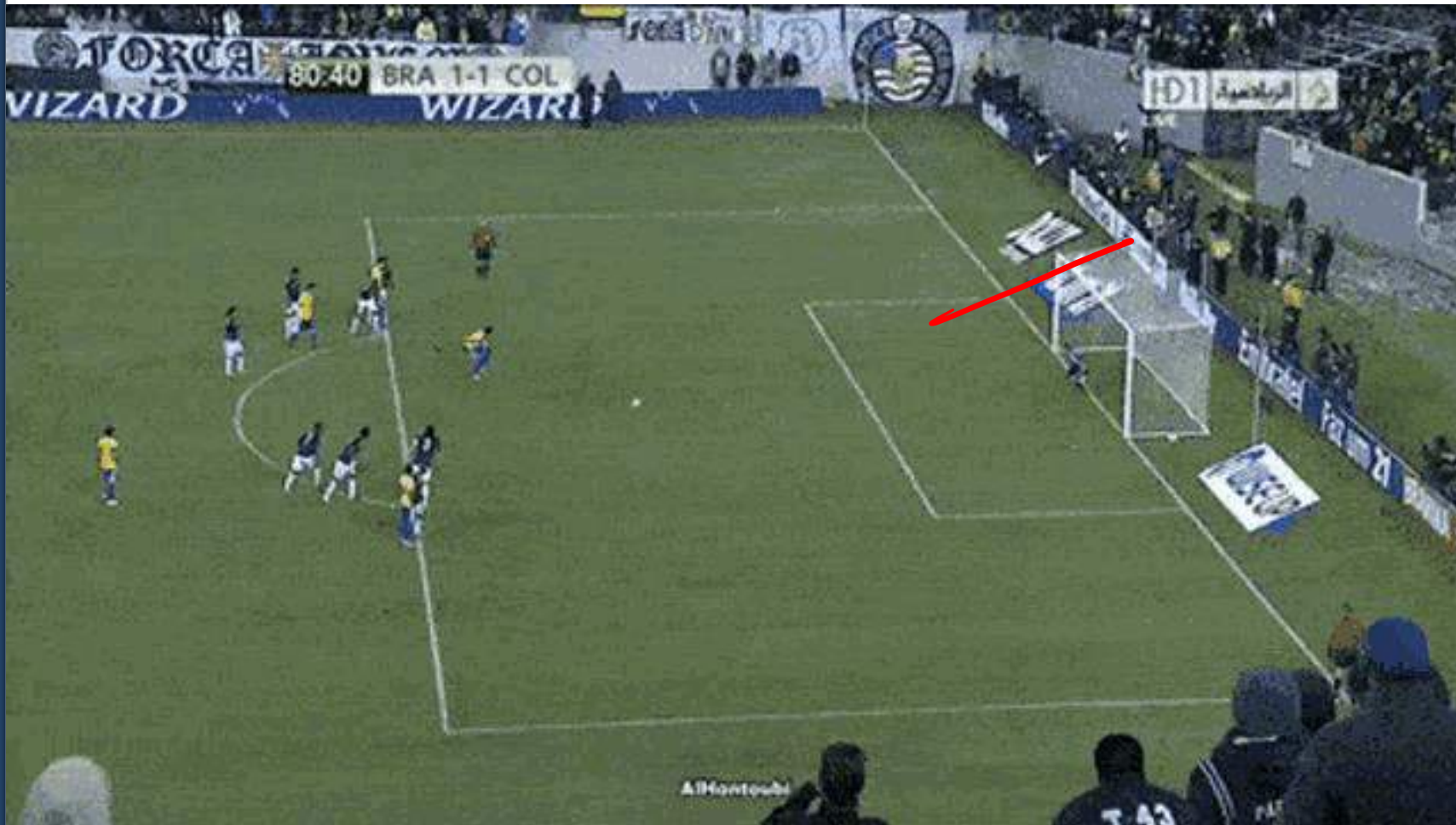
Over= অল্প উপরে (Closeness)

- তার মানে (না ছুঁয়ে) অল্প উপর দিয়ে পার হওয়ার গতি বোঝাতে over ব্যবহৃত হয়।



- The bird flew over the garden.





The ball went
over the
goalpost.

ACROSS / OVER / THROUGH

ACROSS

[ə'krɒs]

From one side to the other:



- There is a large bridge **across** the river.
- Look! Peter is **across** the street.
- The tree fell down **across** the road last night.



OVER

[əʊvə]

It refers to something at a higher position than something else, sometimes involving movement:



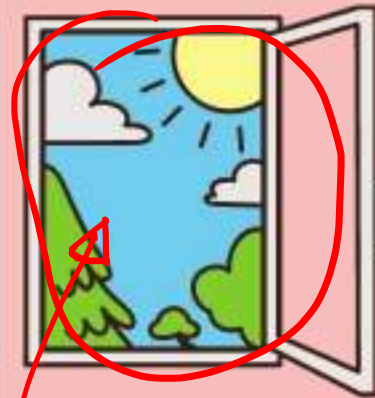
- A plane was flying **over** the village.
- The thief jumped **over** the fence.

THROUGH

[θru:]

It refers to movement from one side to another but 'in something', such as long grass or a forest:

- Peter walked **through** the forest.
- We looked **through** the window and saw that it was a beautiful day.



above= অনেক উপরে

- Above দিয়ে সাধারণত over এর চেয়ে বেশি দূরত্ব বা বেশি উপরে বুঝানো হয়ে থাকে।



Above vs Over

- **Above** – a higher level than
- **Over** – closeness



PREPOSITIONS

location

**over/
above**

in a place that is higher
than another thing or
person

examples:

I held the umbrella **over** my
head.



She hung the picture **above**
the sofa.



Round= চারদিকে

- কোন কিছুৰ চারদিকে ঘোঁৱাৰ গতি বা কোন কিছুৰ পাশ দিয়ে ঘূৰে আসা বুঝাতে round বসে।



- The earth moves
round the sun.



- Let's Recap

towards xyz = xyz এর দিকে



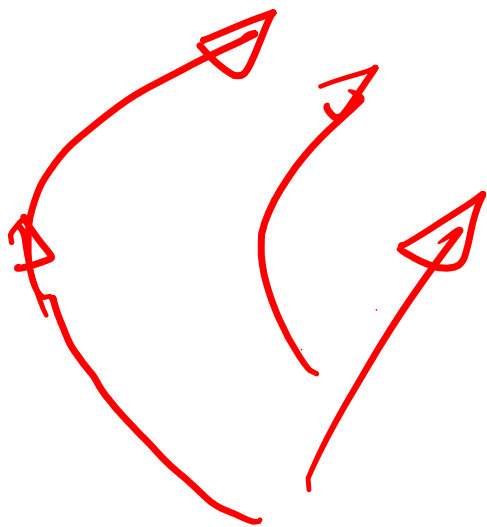
- কোন দিকে চলার গতি বোঝাতে towards বসে।



• The car is going
towards the city.



Messi kicked the ball towards the goalpost.



I am going to School.

towards



আব্বা বললো, কই যাস?

- যাচ্ছিলাম সিনেমা হলে। কিন্তু আব্বারে বললে মার দিবে। অন্যদিকে হুজুরে বলেছে মিথ্যা বলা মহাপাপ।



I am going towards school.



Out of-কোন কিছুর ভেতর থেকে বের হওয়া

- Out of দ্বারা কোন কিছুর ভেতর থেকে বাইরের দিকে কোন কিছুর গতি বুঝায়।



The rabbit is popping
out of the hole.



Papers are coming
out of the printers.



Off = সামান্য দূরে/থেকে

• কোন কিছুর উপর হতে বিচ্ছিন্ন হয়ে

গতি বোঝাতে off বসে।



Prepositions- 'off'

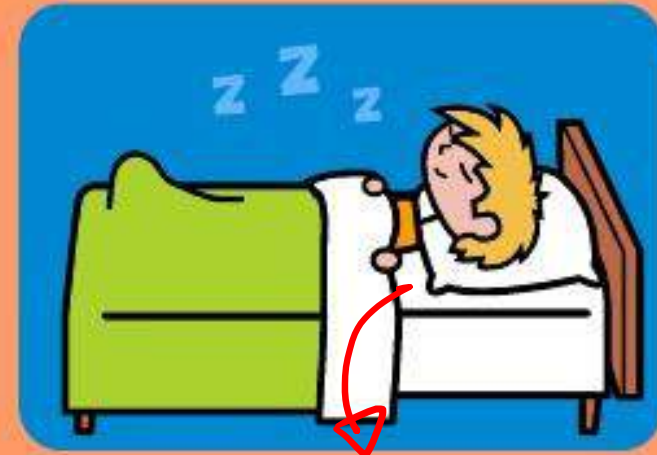
'Off' tells you the **direction** of a person, animal or thing moving away from the original place.

- Direction

We use 'off' when describing something moving towards the ground or away from something.

Examples:

- Charlie fell off his bed last night.
- Mother sending me off to school.
- Father went off to work at seven.



•from

•কোন স্থান হতে গতি বোঝাতে

from হয়।



The prisoner ran

away from the jail.



• Against = বিরুদ্ধে, কোন

কিছুর সাথে (সংঘর্ষ)





Salman shah used to dash against shabnur.



• Behind = পিছনে

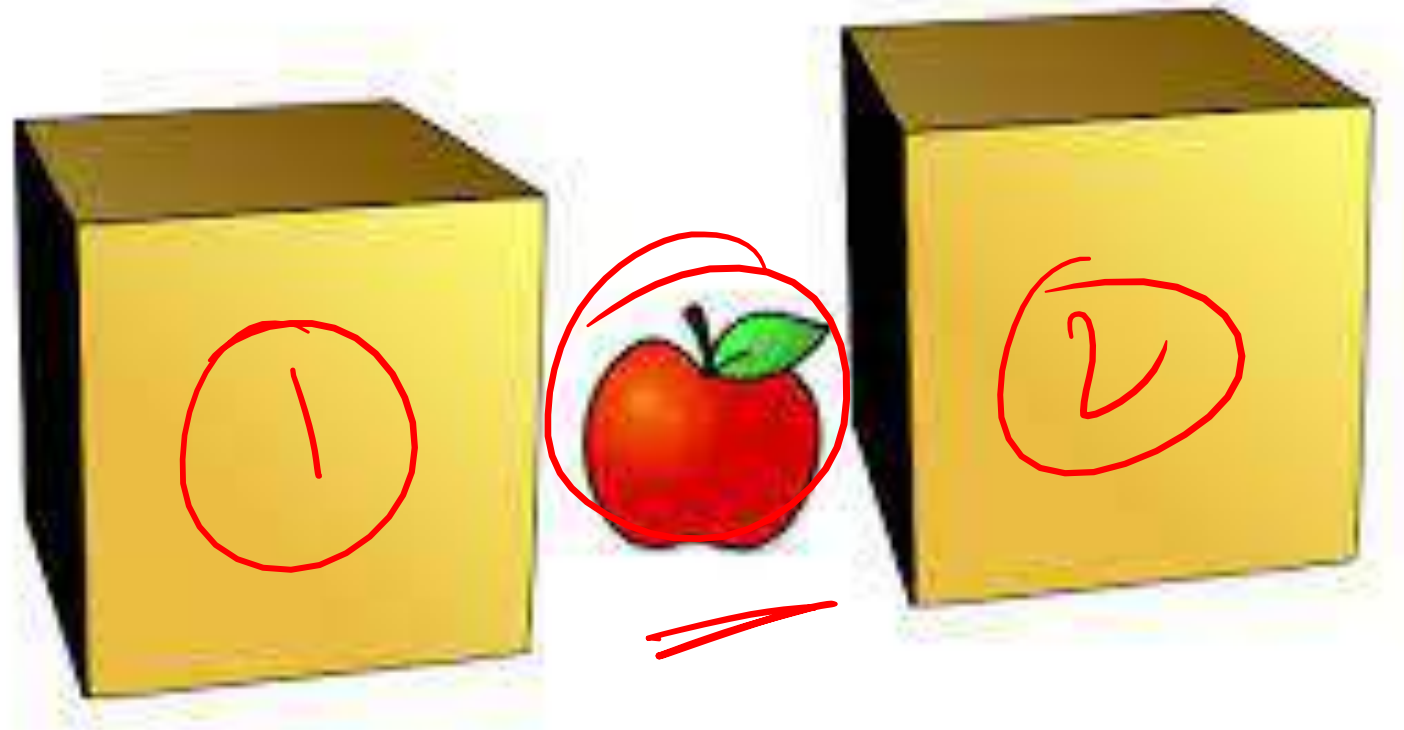


The policeman is
running behind
the extortionist.



Between =

দুইয়ের মাঝে



The apple is between
the boxes.

- Divide mangoes

between two boys.



among = দুইয়ের
অধিক এর মাঝে



The woman distributes her love among four boyfriends.

BETWEEN vs. AMONG



IN GENERAL

BETWEEN = something is in the middle of a space separating two things.

- The pencil fell **between** the books.

There were only two books and the pencil was in the middle.



AMONG = something is in the middle of a group of things. It is surrounded.

- The pencil fell **among** the books.

There were more than two books and the pencil was surrounded by books.



MORE DETAILS

Between = to connect two periods of time.

- The bank is open **between** 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.
- He lived in Japan **between** 1994 and 1997.

Between = to show the interval between two points on a scale or map.

- It fluctuates **between** 20° and 30°.
- Starting next month, there will be three new flights a week **between** Madrid and Rome.

Between = to show a connection or relationship between two (or three) things.

- There is a contract **between** the landlord and the tenant.
- Can we keep this information just **between** you and me?



Sometimes **Among** is written as **Amongst**. **Amongst** is more formal and less common.

- He just wanted to spend some time **amongst** friends.

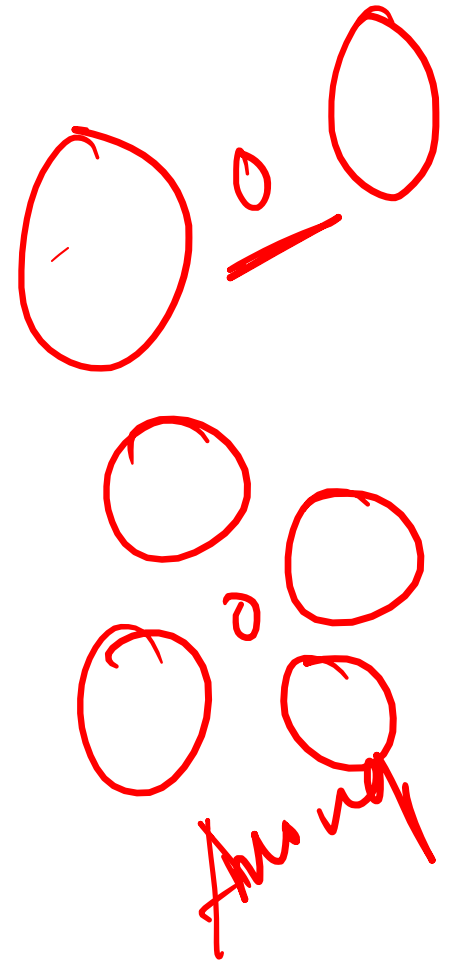
COMPARE

Between can be used for more than two things when they are **identified individually**.

- There is a new trade agreement **between** New Zealand, Australia, and Indonesia.

Among is used to show a connection or relationship between three or more things that are **not distinct**. (Especially with collective nouns)

- There was disagreement **among** members about who should be the new club president.



PREPOSITIONS



IN FRONT OF



BEHIND



BETWEEN



AROUND



**ACROSS FROM
(OPPOSITE)**



THROUGH



**NEXT TO
(BESIDE)**



AMONG

• by = পাশে/দ্বারা

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The student sat by the teacher.



beside/next to =

একদম পাশাপাশি/খুবই নিকটে

- কোন কিছু অন্য কোন কিছুর পাশে বুঝাতে ব্যবহৃত হয়।





The student sat
beside/next to
the teacher.



- উপরে বুঝাতে - on/over/above বসে।
- নীচে বুঝাতে - below/under বসে।
- দিকে বুঝাতে - to বসে।
- থেকে বুঝাতে - from বসে।
- বাইরে বুঝাতে - out বসে।



- মধ্যে স্থির বুঝাতে - in/inside বসে।
- ভিতর দিয়ে বুঝাতে - through/across বসে।
- মধ্যে প্রবেশ বুঝাতে - into বসে।
- বাইরে বুঝাতে - out of বসে।
- দ্বারা বুঝাতে - by/with বসে।



- Let's Recap

PREPOSITIONS OF TIME AND PLACE



IN - ON - AT

Centuries.....The 1900's

Decades.....The 90's

Years.....1990, 2000

Months.....March, June

Weeks.....5 Weeks

Seasons.....Spring

Periods of Time.....The Future

Holidays.....The Easter Holiday

Parts of the Day.....The Morning

Holidays with "Day".....Easter Day

Days.....Monday

Dates.....April 3rd

Specific Days.....My Birthday

Time.....The Weekend

Day + Part of Day.....Sunday Morning

Hours.....8 a.m/p.m

Parts of the Day.....Midnight

Time.....The Moment

Holidays without "Day".....Easter

General

IN

(Bigger)

More specific

ON

(Smaller)

AT

(Smallest)

France..... Countries

Paris..... Cities

Manhattan.... Neighborhood

A Car..... Enclosed Space

Columbus Street..... Streets

Seventh Avenue..... Avenues

The Floor..... Surfaces

A Bus..... Means of Transport

The Radio..... Communications

156 State Street..... Addresses

The Station..... Specific Locations



PREPOSITIONS OF PLACE

Prepositions of place are used to show the position or location of one thing in the relation to another.

ON

- ~~On~~ a bus
- ~~On~~ the way
- ~~On~~ the left
- ~~On~~ the right
- ~~On~~ a ship
- ~~On~~ a plane
- ~~On~~ the train
- ~~On~~ a bicycle
- ~~On~~ a motorbike
- ~~On~~ a horse
- ~~On~~ an elephant
- ~~On~~ television
- ~~On~~ the second floor

IN

- ~~In~~ a car
- ~~In~~ a taxi
- ~~In~~ Park Street
- ~~In~~ a row
- ~~In~~ the sky
- ~~In~~ the newspaper
- ~~In~~ a lift
- ~~In~~ a boat
- ~~In~~ a helicopter
- ~~In~~ the bathroom
- ~~In~~ Paris
- ~~In~~ the World
- ~~In~~ the kitchen

AT

- ~~At~~ reception
- ~~At~~ the side
- ~~At~~ the bottom
- ~~At~~ the top
- ~~At~~ college
- ~~At~~ university
- ~~At~~ school
- ~~At~~ work
- ~~At~~ home
- ~~At~~ the door
- ~~At~~ a concert
- ~~At~~ the dinner

UNDER

- ~~Under~~ a tree
- ~~Under~~ the table
- ~~Under~~ the chair
- ~~Under~~ you bed
- ~~Under~~ a bridge
- ~~Under~~ the water
- ~~Under~~ the sea
- ~~Under~~ the mistletoe
- ~~Under~~ the ground
- ~~Under~~ mine(my)
- ~~Under~~ the flowerpot



Preposition of Place ✓

In	On	At ✓
in Dhaka, in Bangladesh. ✓	on the Internet ✓	at a conference ✓
in the journal ✓	on the ceiling	at a party
in the article ✓		at a concert
in a room	on the table	at the reception desk
in a building	on the wall	at the doctor's chamber
in the garden	on a page	at school
in the city center	on an island	at the bus station
in a pool	on the left / right	at the window
in a line	on a map	at the door
in the sky	on a list	at the hospital
in bed, in the bedroom	on the corner	
in the sea, in water		
in the room, in the yard		

Preposition of time

at	in	on
Precise time	Months, Years, Centuries, Long periods	Days & Dates
at 3 o'clock	in May / June / March	on Sunday
at 10.30 am	in summer/ spring etc.	on Tuesday
at noon	in childhood	on 6th March
at dinnertime	in 1990 / 2016/2013 etc	on 16th Dec 2014
at bedtime	in the 1990s	on Christmas Day
at sunrise	in the next century, in the 20 th century	on Independence Day
at sunset	in the Ice Age	on Eid day
at the moment	in the past/future	on New year's Eve



Which one is correct?

- He is going ~~to~~ home.
- He is going home.



She returned to her father's
home.

- Home এর পূর্বে কোন শব্দ বা Phrase থাকে তবে এর পূর্বে to বসাতে হয়



- Home, here, there, abroad, upstairs,
downstairs, now, here, somewhere ইত্যাদির
আগে to বসে না।
- তবে, from here to there ব্যতিক্রম।



• He will go **to abroad** for higher education. ❌

• He will **go abroad** for higher education.



- He goes to home. ❌
- He goes home.



বাড়িতে থেকে

• Please stay at home. (British)

OK

• Please stay home. (American)



বাড়িতে

• At home নাৰি in home



- You cannot do this in home.

- You cannot do this at home in your
home.

