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Questions:

Prepositional Verbs

1. Frame sentences using the prepositional verbs given in the box.

benefit from	pay for
stand in	rely on
stay at	joke about
go into	consist of
prepare for	attend to

2. Fathima _____ stay at a hotel, when visited Mumbai
   (a) stood in (b) listerned to (c) planned to (d) begged for
3. Ihave pressing matters to _____ in Kolkata
   (a) pay for (b) joke about (c) consist of (d) attend to
4. I _____ the healing power of a mother's touch.
   (a) planned to (b) consist of (c) believe in (d) knock at
5. She was so happy in life that she could not _____ more
   (a) knock at (b) ask for (c) believe in (d) agree to
6. The elderly couple _____ their pets as they do for their children.
   (a) charge with (b) consist of (c) care for (d) joke about

Preposition

7. We have been living in Chennai _____ eight years. (for / since)
8. Abdul has taken _____ his father. (after / at)
9. Vimal generally goes to his workplace _____ bus. (by / on)
10. The cricket ball was hidden _____ the leaves. (among / beween)
11. Mani divided his toys _____ his brothers and sisters. (among / between)
12. Complete the passage by filling in appropriate prepositions from the list (with, out, to, in, from, during, of, for, by): Some prepositions may be used more than once.
    In Tamil Nadu, a very interesting form of recitation named Villupattu developed (a) _____ the 15th century. Villupattu means bow-song because a bow-shaped musical instrument (b) _____ strong high tension string is used (c) _____placing it (d) _____ an earthen pitcher. It is believed that this narrative form was an invention (e) _____ Arasa Pulavar. The troupe gives its performance mostly (f) _____ temple festivals. There are seven to eight persons in a troupe who form a kind (g) _____ chorus that supports the main singer-narrator. When the chief narrator sings, the chorus takes (h) _____ the refrain (i) _____ the song and repeats it in unison. The whole party sits (j) _____ the ground and performs (k) _____ a lot (l) _____ gesticulation and facial expression to suit the narrative they have taken. The balled style songs are composed (m) _____ the rural dialect which appeals (n) _____ the audience who sometimes join the troupe (o) _____ suitable notes or words.
13. The cat hid _____ the door.
    (a) behind (b) under (c) on (d) since
14. My uncle will visit me _____ may
    (a) at (b) in (c) on (d) by
15. Wait there _____ I come
    (a) behind (b) until (c) near (d) under
16. I have been practising _____ morning
    (a) by (b) for (c) since (d) over

Underline the preposition

17. Riya borrowed a dress from me and lent it to her friend, Mary.
18. When I moved back to the city, things had changed considerably.
19. The burglar found the keys under the pot in the balcony
20. Prabhu was hiding behind the door when his sister came looking for him.