

# THE IMPOSSIBLE POSSIBLE BOOKSHOP

## Prepositions

When writing about *settings*, you often want to tell the reader where things are and create an image in the reader's mind and this is where prepositions are very useful.

So let's learn about them! Watch the video first to remind you what they are.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&feature=share&v=Vc59AVto25>

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### A Underline the prepositions in these sentences from the story.

- 1) Sammy began to explore and it wasn't long before a book, perched precariously on a high shelf, caught his eye.
- 2) Sammy found himself inside the trunk of a large tree.
- 3) In the middle of the room, a magnificent feast was laid out on a large woven willow table.
- 4) In the centre was an enormous cake covered in rainbow icing and on the top over a hundred candles burned brightly.

Now, mark it using the answers on the next page.

### B Choose prepositions from the prepositions mat (download from website) and use your most exciting adjectives to write a paragraph of sentences to describe a goblin's party which will put marvellous images in the reader's mind!

Use nouns, such as: balloons    bunting    banners    music    people  
clothes    dances    ears    feet    necks    necklaces    hair    feast  
food    table    puddings    cake    candles

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about	behind	from	on	toward
above	below	in	onto	under
across	beneath	in front of	on top of	underneath
after	beside	inside	out of	until
against	between	instead of	outside	up
along	by	into	over	upon
among	down	like	past	with
around	during	near	since	within
at	except	of	through	without
before	for	off	to	

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