

# Prepositions exercise

Complete the following sentences using appropriate prepositions.

1. The dog was beaten ..... a stick.

by  
with

Either could be used here

2. She was trembling ..... fear.

by  
with

Either could be used here

3. I received a letter ..... my mother.

from  
to  
of

4. My friend has invited me ..... his party.

to  
for  
on

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5. I live ..... my parents.

with

by

at

6. He discussed the problem ..... his brothers.

to

with

for

7. He drew a picture ..... the pencil.

with

by

Either could be used here

8. I agree ..... you.

by

with

to

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9. My house is ..... the river.

near

by

Either could be used here

10. He comes ..... Chennai.

in

from

at

11. The dog ran ..... me.

across

before

after

12. This train runs ..... Delhi and Agra.

in

between

across

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13. She sat ..... the children.

among

between

Either could be used here

14. There is no unity ..... .. the brothers.

between

among

Either could be used here

15. We cancelled the trip ..... the rain.

because

because of

Either could be used here

16. He played well ..... the injury.

Please select 2 correct answers

despite

for

in spite of

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## Answers

1. The dog was beaten with a stick.
2. She was trembling with fear.
3. I received a letter from my mother.
4. My friend has invited me to his party.
5. I live with my parents.
6. He discussed the problem with his brothers.
7. He drew a picture with the pencil.
8. I agree with you.
9. My house is near/by the river.
10. He comes from Chennai.
11. The dog ran after me.
12. This train runs between Delhi and Agra.
13. She sat among the children.
14. There is no unity among the brothers.
15. We cancelled the trip because of the rain.

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16. He played well in spite of / despite the injury.