Prepositions Exercise

Test your understanding of prepositions with this grammar exercise. Fill in the blanks with an appropriate preposition.

1. We walked ......................... the edge of the desert.

Please select 2 correct answers

as far as
up to
until

2. It is another three weeks ......................... the holidays.

Please select 2 correct answers

to
until
for
up to

3. I don’t know how she manages to support such a large family. She has nothing ......................... her pension.

besides
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except
apart from
All of the above

4. Are you wearing anything ......................... your sweater?
below
under
underneath
Either under or underneath

5. Do you mind? I was .............................. you!
Please select 2 correct answers
in front of
in front off
before

6. We should arrive ......................... their place
......................... time ......................... lunch.
at, in, for
in, to, at
at, for, in
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at, by, for

7. They live ................................ a small one bedroom flat ....................... the third floor.

in, in
on, on
in, on
on, in

8. Granny is arriving ................................. the 3.30 train.

in
with
on

9. Last year, there were a large number of mangoes .......................... the tree.

in
at
on
with
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10. His house is ……………………….. the way from Mumbai to Thane.

in
at
by
on

11. He met and fell in love with a French girl when he was ……………………….. the London School of Economics.

in
at
on

12. A few days after the accident she died ……………………….. the injuries.

of
with
from
Either of or from
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Answers

1. We walked up to / as far as the edge of the desert.
2. It is another three weeks to / until the holidays.
3. I don’t know how she manages to support such a large family. She has nothing besides / except / apart from her pension.
4. Are you wearing anything under / underneath your sweater?
5. Do you mind? I was before / in front of you!
6. We should arrive at their place in time for lunch.
7. They live in a small one bedroom flat on the third floor.
8. Granny is arriving on the 3.30 train.
9. Last year, there were a large number of mangoes on the tree.
10. His house is on the way from Mumbai to Thane.
11. He met and fell in love with a French girl when he was at the London School of Economics.
12. A few days after the accident she died of / from the injuries.