

# Prepositions Exercise

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate preposition.

1. It is too late to go out now. ...., it's starting to rain.

Please select 2 correct answers

Beside

Besides

In addition

2. There were ..... ten people at the meeting.

under

below

Either could be used here

3. She is well ..... average in intelligence.

above

over

Either could be used here

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4. We lost the championship .....  
working very hard.

- in spite of
- although
- however

5. We understood him ..... his  
strange accent.

- despite
- in spite of
- Either could be used here

6. I could not enjoy the movie .....  
the headache.

- in spite of
- because of
- despite

7. The cat is ..... the roof again.

- on
- onto
- at

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8. How did that cat get ..... the roof?

- on
- in
- onto
- into

9. Can you translate this letter ..... German?

- in
- into
- Either could be used here

10. I prefer swimming ..... walking.

- to
- over
- Either could be used here

11. Can you go with Madhu ..... me today?

- instead
- instead of

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without

12. Wine can be made .....  
blackberries.

of

with

from

## Answers

1. It is too late to go out now. Besides / In addition, it's starting to rain.
2. There were under ten people at the meeting.
3. She is well above average in intelligence.
4. We lost the championship in spite of working very hard.
5. We understood him despite / in spite of his strange accent.
6. I could not enjoy the movie because of the headache.
7. The cat is on the roof again.
8. How did that cat get onto the roof?
9. Can you translate this letter into German?
10. I prefer swimming to walking.
11. Can you go with Madhu instead of me today?
12. Wine can be made from blackberries.