

Preposition Match Game

This is a fun, light-hearted game to help your child practise using prepositions in sentences.

Equipment

- Preposition cards
- Object cards

Preparation

Before playing the game, print out the game playing cards and cut them out. Keep the cards in two separate piles (preposition cards and object cards). Tip: You may wish to laminate them if you have a laminator.

How to play

- First, shuffle each pile of cards (preposition cards and object cards) and place them face down.
- The youngest player goes first. Each player must select a card from each pile. They then have to make a sentence that includes the object and the preposition. For instance, if you select a preposition card that says 'inside' and an object card with a picture of a 'cake', you could say, 'the cake is inside the box.' The other players have to agree that the sentence makes sense. The player can then keep that pair of cards.
- The person with the most pairs at the end of the game is the winner.

Miss a turn card

A player may pick up a miss a turn card in the preposition card pile. If so, they keep the miss a turn card it is the next player's turn.

Steal card

Some of the cards in the object pile say 'steal'. If you get this card, you can steal a pair of cards of any opponent who has at least one set of cards. You can choose the opponent you wish to steal from and ask them for a pair of their cards. You must then say a sentence using the preposition and object in that set of cards. If you say a correct sentence, you get to keep that set of cards and add it to your collection.



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**in front
of**

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**adjacent
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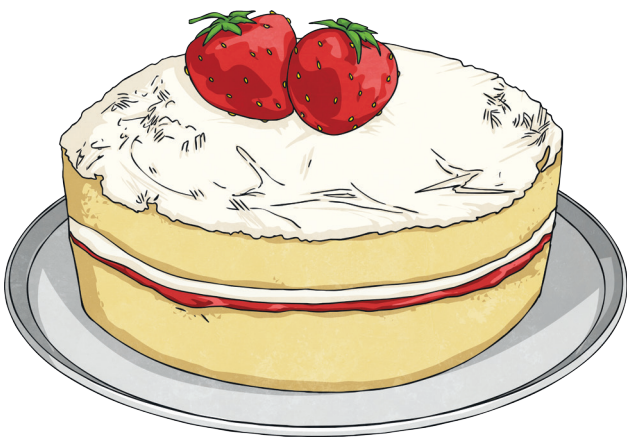
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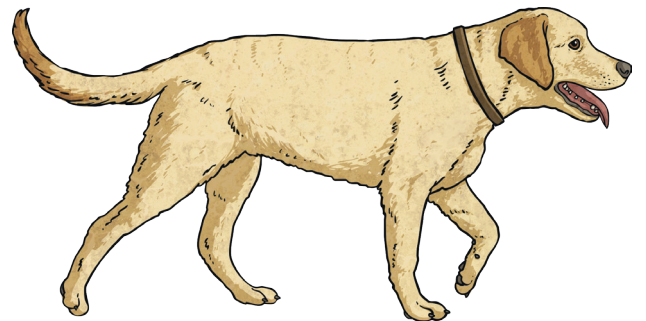
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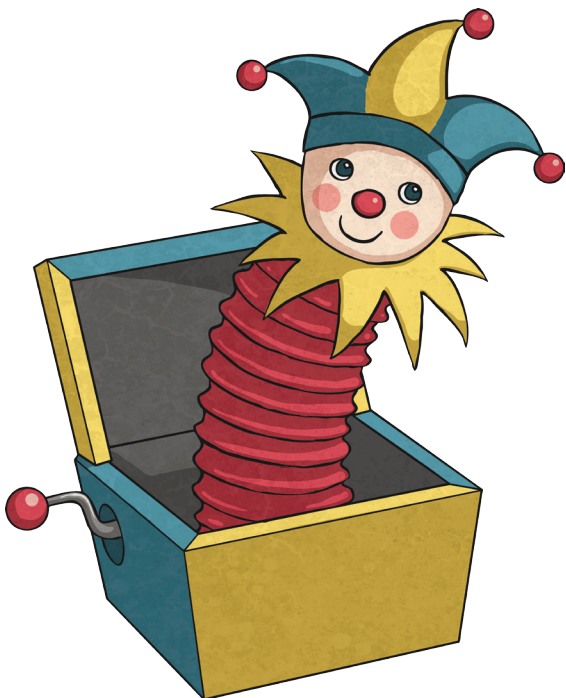
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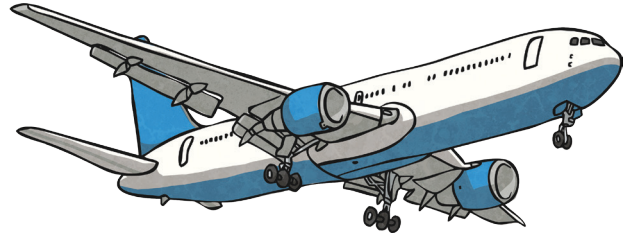
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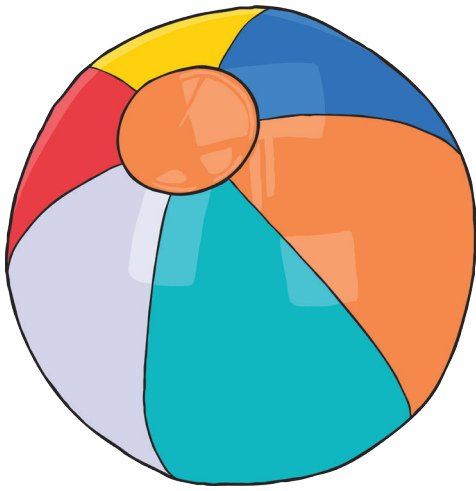
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