

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> March SPAG Task

### Prepositions

A preposition is a word that tells you where or when something is in relation to something else. Look at the video on BBC Bitesize which explains this further.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwwp8mn/articles/zw38srd>



**Task 1: Can you write add prepositions into each of the sentences below? You can use the words above to help you.**

1. The girl held her arms \_\_\_\_\_ her head.
2. Go and sit \_\_\_\_\_ Stan.
3. Joe was \_\_\_\_\_ the bath when the phone rang.
4. They hid \_\_\_\_\_ the table \_\_\_\_\_ an earthquake.
5. The scissors were left \_\_\_\_\_ the pencil case.
6. I sheltered \_\_\_\_\_ my umbrella.

In Class 2, especially in Year 4, we need to write sentences with good description. They need to include an expanded noun phrase and a prepositional phrase (phrases that begin with a preposition)

For example,

The sparkling, turquoise waterfall under the dazzling,  
green canopy of leaves.

**Task 2: Look at the image below. Choose 5 different things or people you can see. On a piece of paper, write a sentence with an expanded noun phrase and a prepositional phrase to describe each thing you have chosen.**

For example, A disgusting, smelly fish dangling limply above a grey, hungry seal.

Can you find what I have described?

