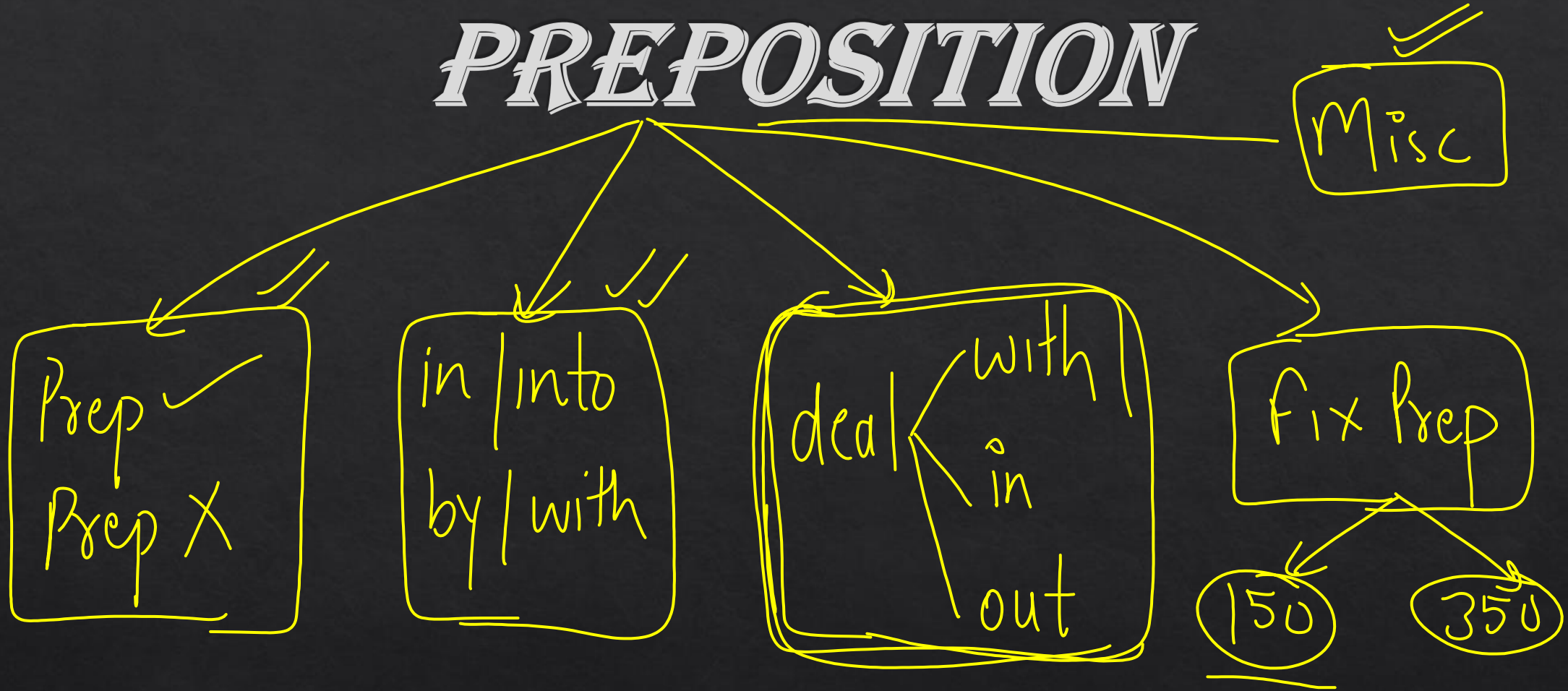


# PREPOSITION



Leave of :- Bye

Leave from :- Permission

(a) We took leave ...from... the office for a week.

(b) We took leave ...of... the host after the party was over.

Decline - of (end)

Decline - In (decrease)

(a) What caused the decline .....<sup>of</sup>..... the Mauryan Empire?

(b) We have noticed no decline .....<sup>in</sup>.....crime in the city.

**Divide - into (make fraction)**

**Divide - Between, among (distribute)**

(a) They have divided all the money ....*into*..... five equal parts.

(b) They have divided all the money ..*among*... their friends.

**Made - of (physical change)**

**Made - From (chemical change)**

(a) The board is made ..... *of* ..... wood.

(b) Bread is made ..... *from* ..... wheat.



**Died - in (accident, incident)**

exam

**Died - of/from (cause)**

→ Grammar

**Died - of (disease)**

**Died - for (purpose)**

(a) The man died ... <sup>o</sup>in ..... the riots.

(b) The man died ... <sup>o</sup>of ..... hunger.

(c) The man died ..... <sup>o</sup>of ..... cancer.

(d) I am ready to die ..... <sup>o</sup>for ..... my country.

**Familiar – with (something)**

|| Someone informal

**Familiar – to (someone)**

(a) We are not familiar ...with... the ways of this city.

(b) We are not familiar .....to..... his parents.

**Angry, annoyed, vexed, disgusted – at something**

**Angry, annoyed, vexed, disgusted – with someone**

(a) Your father is very angry .....*at*..... your performance.

(b) Your father is very angry .....*with*..... your friends.



## Part - from (someone) / with- (something)

- (a) It is very difficult for one to part .....*from*... one's friends.
- (b) It is very hard for one to take part ....*with*... one's wealth.

**Partake- of (share)**

**Partake- in (participate)**

(a) He didn't partake .....*of*.....the light refreshment.

(b) He didn't partake .....*in*..... annual function.

**Deal – in (business)**

**Deal – with (behave)**

**Deal – with (tackle)**

**Deal -out(distribute).**

(a) Mr. Sharma deals .....<sup>o</sup>*in*..... food grains.

(b) Mr. Sharma deals ....*with*..... everyone politely.

(c) Mr. Sharma doesn't know how to deal ...*with*..... this problem.

(d) The profits <sup>*was*</sup> ~~were~~ dealt .....*out*..... among the investors.

**Suffer – for (one's actions)**

**Suffer – no preposition (loss)**

**Suffer – from (ailment)**

**Ill- with**

(a) He suffered ~~from~~ ..... *for* ..... wrongdoing. *s*

(b) He suffered ..... ~~from~~ ..... a great loss in his business.

(c) He is suffering ..... *from* ... fever and cold.

(d) Rajat was ill ..... *with* ... fever and cold.

**Quarrel – with (someone)**

**Over - (something)**

(a) We shouldn't quarrel .....*with*.... one another.

(b) We shouldn't quarrel .....*over*.... petty issues.



**Answerable/accountable/responsible - for something**  
**Answerable/accountable/responsible - to someone**

(a) Everyone is answerable ..... *to* ..... god ..... *for* ..... *his* ~~own~~ *man's* action. *s*

(b) I am not responsible ..... *for* ..... all these problems.

**Obligated/grateful/thankful – to (someone)**

**Obligated/grateful/thankful – for (something)**

(a) we shall be highly obliged ...to... you ...for... your help.

(b) I am very thankful ...to...her ...for...her support.

**Married (verb) – no preposition,**

**Married (adj) - to**

(a) Rahul married .....~~X~~..... Rajni.

(b) Rajni is married .....~~to~~..... Rahul.

↓      ↓  
LV    Adj (SC)

**Comprise (include) – no preposition**

**Comprise (be hidden)-in**

(a) The team comprises .....~~X~~.....15 employees.

(b) Beauty comprises .....<sup>o</sup>~~in~~..... character.

**Complain – of (something)**

**Complain – against, about (someone)**

**Complain – to (authority).**

(a) The students complained ..... *of* ..... the poor facilities.

(b) All of us have complained ..... *about* ✓  
*against* ✓ you ..... *to* ..... the warden.



**Lives - on (some food),**

**Lives - by (customs, principles)**

**Lives - within (income).**

(a) he lives .....*on*..... fruits only.

(b) He lives .....*by*..... his customs.

(c) He lives ......*within*..... his means.

**Jump - at (accept happily), to (make haste)**

(a) He jumped .....at..... the lucrative offer.

(b) He jumped .....to..... a wrong conclusion and repented later.

**Surprised, astonished, shocked, amused - at (something)**

**Surprised, astonished, shocked, amused - by (someone)**

(a) We were surprised ..... his stunts.

*S*   *L.V*   *Adj(sc)*   *prep*   *PO*  
↑   ↑   ↑   ↑  
*S*   *HV*   *mv*   ✓ *at/by* ✓

(b) We were surprised ..... the stuntman.

..... *by* .....

**Dissent, disagree, accede, agree, concur— with (someone), to (something, accept something), on (matter, issue)**

(a) I don't agree ..... with ..... you .

(b) I don't agree ..... to ..... your offer.

(c) I disagree..... with ..... her ..... on .....this matter.

**Differ - with (disagree), from (different), on (matter, issue).**

(a) My opinion differs ..... from ..... yours.

(b) He never differs ... with ... his brothers on any issue.

(c) He differs a lot ..... from ..... his brother.

(d) I differ ... with .. you ..... on ..... this matter.



**Results (verb) – (in)**

**Results (noun) - (of)**

(a) Jealousy results .....<sup>o</sup>in..... unhappiness.  
verb

(b) Unhappiness and anxiety are the results .....<sup>o</sup>of..... jealousy.  
Noun

**Blind - to (negligent)   Blind- in (one eye)   Blind- of (both eyes)**

(a) He is blind .....*to*..... his brother's faults but he will surely repent later.

(b) He is blind .....*in*..... the right eye.

(c) He is blind .....*of*..... both eyes

**Taste - in (habit, knowledge)**

**Taste - for (liking)**

(a) He has a very good taste .....<sup>in</sup>.....music so I like his company.

(b) While she was in France, she developed a taste .....<sup>for</sup>..... wine.

## Compared(verb) - with, Compared (adj) – to

S      Adv      Verb

(a) He always compares his performance .....with.....his brother's.

L.V      Pron(SC)      Adj (Past Pr)

(b) Your achievement is nothing compared.....to..... hers.

**Shout - at (anger), for (call)**

(a) His father shouted.....*at*.....him when he broke the vase.

(b) The shouted.....*for*.....someone to help him.



**Change(verb) - no prep. ~~no object~~, for (replace)**

**Change ( noun) - in, of**

(a) I will changed .....~~in~~.....this phone .....for.....a new one.

(b) The change~~in~~ .....in.....his daily routine affected his health.

(c) A change.....of.....place can improve his degrading health.

**Supply something (to) somebody,**  
**Supply somebody (with) something, \***  
**supply something (for)purpose**

(a) They supplied weapons.....to.....them.

(b) China supplied Pakistan.....with.....weapons.

**Present something (to) somebody**

**Present somebody (with) something**

(a) My uncle presented me ..... with ..... a watch on my birthday.

(b) She presented a watch ..... to ..... me.

**Entrust person/thing to be cared (to) caretaker**

**Entrust caretaker (with) person/thing to be cared**

(a) The court entrusted the boy .....to.....his uncle.

(b) The court entrusted his uncle.....with.....the boy.

**Throw - to (pass) , throw - at (target)**

(a) She became very annoyed and threw the bottle.....*at*.....him.

(b) She threw the child.....*to*.....him.



**Answer (verb) - no prep. Answer (noun) – to**

*S*      *V*  
(a) He answered.....~~X~~.....all my questions very politely.

(b) He had no answers .....*to*.....my questions.

**Feeds - on( food) , Feeds - no prep (somebody/ something)**

(a) He feeds.....on.....~~only~~ fruits. only

(b) He feeds.....X.....all the monkeys of this area every Tuesday.

**Enamoured - with ( someone ) , of ( something )**

(a) He was enamoured.....with.....her.

(b) He was enamoured.....of.....her simplicity.

**Believe - no prep (trust)**

**Believe - in (to be sure about existence or effectiveness of something)**

(a) You should not believe.....~~.....~~.....everything that he says.

(b) I don't believe.....<sup>o</sup>  
in.....ghosts.

**Guilty - about (ashamed of doing sth.)**

**Guilty - of (responsible, criminal)**

(a) I feel guilty .....about.....not obeying my parents.

(b) He is guilty .....of.....stealing all those paper.



**Anxious - about (worried)**

**Anxious - for (waiting for something/ someone)**

(a) He was really anxious.....*about*.....her safety.

(b) He were anxious.....*for*.....you to come.

to → Prep → PO (Noun)  
We are not opposed over this bill still we request you to reconsider it.  
X

pref → on → going → N (Gerund) (PO)

They insisted to go there alone but their father didn't allow them.  
X

of winning  
The players are very confident to win this match.

Prep ← in clearing → (N) (PO) (Gerund)

He was very happy when he succeeded to clear the exam.

Obj. of gerund

of

P.O (N)  
↑

He is fond to romantic songs sung by Arijet Singh.

of  
↑ P.O (N) (Gerund)

She accused him for stealing her ring.