

Common Preposition Combinations

Verbs before Prepositions:

about	in	of	on	over
do, dream, fight, talk, forget, know, think, write	assist, help, interest, persist, participate	advise, hear, know, learn, remind, think	agree, focus, insist	argue, grieve, worry

Adjectives before Prepositions:

about	in	of	at	For
angry, concerned, right, upset, pessimistic	Disappointed, interested	fond, proud, sure, wary, ashamed	surprised, shocked, angry, amazed	grateful, prepared, ready
to	with	About something	To someone else	Of someone
addicted, opposed	pleased, impressed, fascinated, content	honest, thoughtless	helpful, kind, truthful	careless, honest ignorant, irresponsible
With someone/thing else	Toward someone else	On someone else		
careful, generous, honest	considerate, gracious, thoughtful, warm	easy, hard		

Prepositions before Nouns:

in	with	in/with		
compliance, consent, defeat, private, reaction	delight, pleasure, understanding	approval, confidence, dismay, distress		
at	in	on	out of	under
attention, ease, rest war, risk, leisure	awe, check, control doubt, order, fear	board, duty, leave strike, schedule	control, focus, order, practice	consideration discussion suspicion