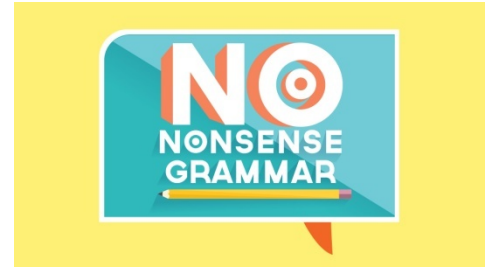


# No Nonsense Grammar



## How To Use Prepositional Phrases

A **preposition** connects nouns, pronouns, and phrases with other words in a sentence. It gives information about location, direction, space, or time. It answers the question: “Where?” Examples include:

- Your sock is **in** the dog’s mouth. (In is a preposition indicating location.)
- We will not leave **until** we are ready. (Until is a preposition indicating a period of time.)

A **prepositional phrase** contains the preposition and its object. It never contains a verb. For example:

- Your sock is **in the dog’s mouth**. (In the dog’s mouth is a prepositional phrase.)
- The dog is **under the bed**. (Under the bed is a prepositional phrase.)

### List of 40 prepositions:

about	above	across	after	against	along
around	at	before	behind	below	beneath
beside	between	by	down	during	except
for	from	in	inside	into	near
of	off	on	out	outside	over
past	through	throughout	to	toward	under
until	up	with	without		