

Prepositional Phrases



Objective

Using prepositional phrases to describe settings – writing composition.



Equipment

- Enrich School Orienteering Map
- Orienteering Control Markers
- Activity Sheets
- Follow-on Activity Sheet.



Preparation

- This activity involves children in using the letters from control markers to make a set of prepositions (see below).
- As a follow-on activity, they then use the prepositions they have collected in sentences about story settings.
- Children could do this activity in pairs or small groups.
- There are two different Activity Sheets.
- Provide each pair/small group with a copy of an Activity Sheet and an Enrich School Orienteering Map.



Instructions

- Children use their Enrich School Orienteering Map to locate a series of control points. At each control point they record letters from the control marker to complete a preposition.
- Having collected all the prepositions on their Activity Sheet, they then choose some of them to include in sentences that describe a setting.
- There is a Follow-On Activity Sheet for this activity which has some suggestions and examples and which children can use to record their sentences.



Other information

- Children could choose one of the sentences that they compose to use as the opening of a narrative.

Activity Sheet 1

Under
Inside
In
Outside
Beside
Toward

Activity Sheet 2

Above
Towards
On
Between
Below
Over

