

Prépositions at, in, to

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' A funny thing happened **to me in the sea!**

I didn't feel really at ease...'

At	In	To
<p><u>Repère précis dans l'espace</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> at a hotel 	<p><u>Environnement large</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> in the sea 	<p><u>Mouvement, direction</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> go to come to
<p><u>Adresse</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> at 45 High Street 	<p><u>Lieu géographique</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> in America in London 	<p><u>Avec des noms</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a trip to on my way to welcome to GB
<p><u>+ génitif local</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> at a friend's 	<p><u>Lieu clos</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> in a room in a corner of in the garden 	<p><u>Avec 'be'</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> have you been to London?
<p><u>Expressions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> at school at college at home at church at work at sea at university 	<p><u>Rangée</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> in a queue in a row in a line in the front in the back 	<p><u>Autres verbes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (to) get to work (to) send to bed (to) return to sender = retourner à l'expéditeur
<p><u>Emotion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> be angry at 	<p><u>Document</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> in a photo 	<p><u>Ne pas employer 'to' avec 'here' et 'there'</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> I went there yesterday

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be surprised at • be annoyed at 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • in a mirror • in a magazine 	
<p><u>Activité</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be good at + Ving • be bad at + Ving • <u>+ le but de l'action:</u> <p>= > look at (regarder)</p> <p>=> laugh at (se moquer de)</p> <p>=> shout at (crier après)</p> <p>=> throw at (lancer)</p>	<p><u>Autres</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • météo: in the rain • papeterie: in ink • affaires: pay in cash • vie quotidienne: <p>fall/be in love</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • partie du corps: in his hand 	<p><u>On dit</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (to) send somebody abroad (=> pas de 'to)
<p><u>Expressions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at risk • at once • at last • at best / at worst • ... 	<p><u>Expressions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • all in all • in my opinion • in sight • in any case • in many respects 	<p><u>Expressions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From ...to... • de ...à... • from Paris to London
<p><u>Degré</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at his most spectacular • at its very worst • at a speed of 	<p><u>Autres expressions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to be in = être à la mode • to be in with a chance = avoir ses chances 	<p>To est la préposition qui indique le déplacement d'un point vers un autre</p>

- at a temperature of

Ex1: We saw her **at** a concert

Ex2: It was **in** London

Ex3: Let's go **to** the cinema.

⇒ 'at' et 'in' sont utilisés pour donner une 'position'.

⇒ 'to' indique un mouvement.

• Choisir une préposition.

Questions:

1. We spent Christmas Day _____ York.
2. Did you stay a long time _____ the Cathedral?
3. What a pity we left the camera _____ home!
4. We usually put it _____ a case.
5. What's the easiest way to get _____ York?
6. We always get off _____ Huddersfield where our daughter picks us up.
7. We went _____ York to see the old city.
8. We went to see old friends _____ York.
9. We had dinner _____ 'Paul and Nancy's': it's a good restaurant.
10. _____ last we went to our hotel: it was very late.

11. Tell me _____ a letter if you go there again, will you?
12. I will take you _____ the best restaurant of the town.
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REPONSES :

1. in
 2. in
 3. at
 4. in
 5. to
 6. at
 7. to
 8. in
 9. at
 10. at
 11. in
 12. to
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Explications:

- 1- lieu géographique précis- ville- environnement large
- 2- lieu géographique précis- lieu clos- intérieur.
- 3- expression: 'at home'
- 4- lieu clos- intérieur ('dans' la valise)
- 5- déplacement vers York
- 6- lieu géographique précis: repère précis=> descendre 'à' la gare de Huddersfield
- 7- déplacement (to go to)
- 8- Dans la ville de York/ Les amis habitent 'dans' ce lieu
- 9- 'at' + génitif local: 'at Paul and Nancy's' => 'chez'...
- 10- expression => 'at last' (enfin)
- 11- in + document écrit=> 'dans' une lettre
- 12- déplacement: 'je vous emmènerai au...'= je vous ferai aller quelque part...