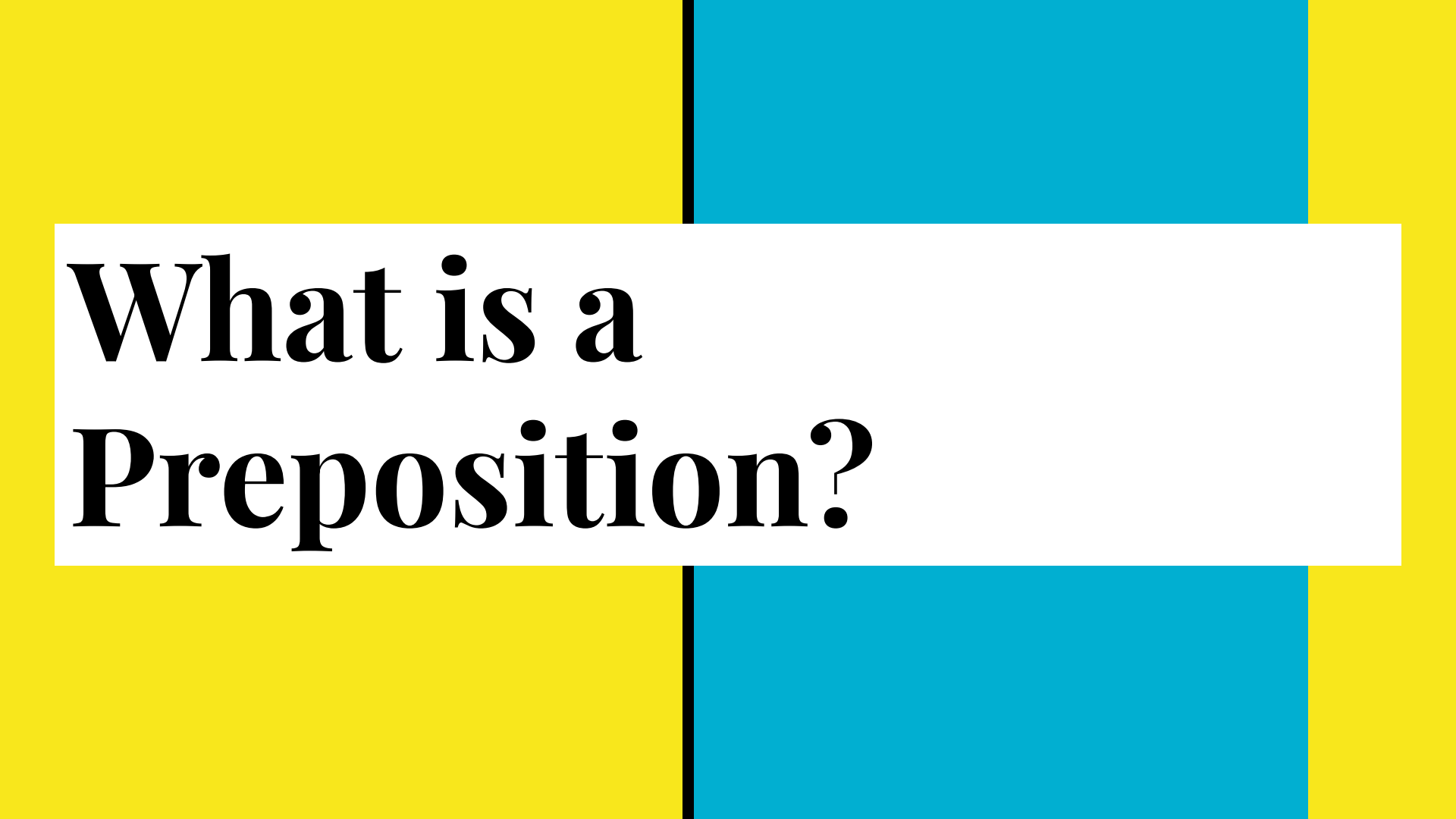




**What is a
Preposition?**

A Preposition

Is a word that shows how a noun or pronoun is connected to some other word in the sentence.

For Example:

The snowshoe hare lives in Alaska.

During the summer, the hare's coat is brown.

The hare's brown coat blends with the ground.

The words **RED** are the **prepositions**!

Here are some common PREPOSITIONS:

about	among	below	for	near	through
above	around	beside	from	of	to
across	at	by	in	off	under
after	before	down	inside	on	until
against	behind	during	into	over	with

What is a Prepositional Phrase?

A Prepositional Phrase

Is a group of words that begins with a preposition and ends with a noun or pronoun.

When a prepositional phrases comes at the beginning of a sentence, it is followed by a comma.

After the first snowfall, the hare's coat turns white.

The hare with the white coat eats its meal.

Another snowshoe hare sits beside it.

The prepositional phrase is RED in these examples.

Prepositional phrases

ADD importance and interesting information to sentences.

Let's Practice!

Read each sentence. Look at the prepositional phrase in **boldface** then say the preposition!

1. I read the book **about camouflage**.

What is the preposition?

2. Camouflage lets an animal hide **from its predators**.

What is the preposition?

3. The chameleon lives **in Asia and Africa**.

What is the preposition?

Were these your answers?

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What is the preposition? **about**

2. Camouflage lets an animal hide **from its predators**.

What is the preposition? **from**

3. The chameleon lives **in Asia and Africa**.

What is the preposition? **in**

Good Job!

Now click on the link on the website
and complete the assignment on
Google Forms!

Don't forget to look back at the list of
prepositions if you need some extra
help!