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Basics. Verb + Preposition: Listen to and Look at

Medium | A1 | Elementary | Beginners | Imperative mood | Infinitive | Modal verb | Negation | Past tense | Preposition | Verb | Progressive tense | Simple tense | Collocations

1. Help the frustrated theater director give feedback to her distracted lead actor.

When Juliet is speaking, you need to actually listen _____ her, instead of just looking _____ your own reflection in the stage props!

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

A) for
B) to
C) in

Blank 2

A) on
B) to
C) at

2. Complete the conversation between two friends at a noisy cafe. Drag the correct prepositions to fill the gaps.

"Are you even listening _____ me? You just keep looking _____ your phone!"

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

A) to
B) for
C) about

Blank 2

A) at
B) in
C) through

3. Help the excited roommate share their new obsession by choosing the correct phrase.

"You really need to _____ this new podcast about time-traveling hamsters!"

Select one.

A) listen
B) listen to
C) hear to
D) listen at

4. Complete the astronaut's frantic log entry by choosing the correct prepositions.

I tried to communicate, but the creature just stared. It refused to listen _____ my peace treaty and just continued to look _____ my shiny space helmet.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

A) at
B) to
C) for

Blank 2

A) at
B) to
C) on

5. Help the confused alien complete its report to the mothership by choosing the correct phrase.

"Humans put tiny speakers in their ears and sit for hours just to _____ invisible sound waves."

Select one.

- **A)** listen to
- **B)** listen at
- **C)** listen
- **D)** look at

6. Help the exhausted teacher write her report on a very distracted student. Select ALL the sentences that are grammatically correct.

Select all that apply.

- **A)** He didn't listen to the instructions for the assignment.
- **B)** He was looking at his phone under the desk.
- **C)** He refused to listen at the classical music.
- **D)** He didn't look to the painting on the board.

7. Help the museum tour guide give instructions to the group! Drag the correct words to complete the sentences.

"Welcome, everyone! Please listen _____ the audio guide carefully, and then look _____ the giant dinosaur skeleton above you."

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** to
- **B)** with
- **C)** from

Blank 2

- **A)** at
- **B)** on
- **C)** into

8. A very enthusiastic local tour guide is giving you some vacation tips! Select ALL the sentences where the guide uses the verbs and prepositions correctly.

Select all that apply.

- **A)** You should look at the beautiful sunset from the bridge.
- **B)** Make sure you listen to the street musicians in the plaza.
- **C)** If you look to the menu, you will see great prices.
- **D)** Always listen at the safety announcements on the boat.
- **E)** You must look at the colorful birds in the park.

9. Complete the art critic's observation by selecting the right words.

The visitors stood in silence for twenty minutes, trying to _____ the giant bronze potato.

Select one.

- **A)** look
- **B)** look at
- **C)** look to
- **D)** see at

10. Complete the detective's spooky case notes from the haunted mansion. Select ALL the sentences that use the correct prepositions.

Select all that apply.

- **A)** I looked at the creepy old portrait on the wall.
- **B)** I listened at the heavy footsteps in the hallway.
- **C)** I looked to the ghost floating in the corner.
- **D)** I listened to the strange whispering sounds.