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Texting, Messaging & Online Replies

Medium | B1 | Intermediate | Adverb | Gerund | Infinitive | Phrasal verb | Phrase | Preposition | Present tense | Verb | Perfect tense | Simple tense | Collocations | Idiom

1. Complete Sarah's chaotic group chat message by choosing the correct prepositions for digital communication.

Guys, focus! Stop scrolling _____ your feeds and answer my question. Are we meeting up for pizza tonight, or are you just going to keep sending me links _____ funny cat videos? I know you are ignoring me because I saw you were all active _____ WhatsApp five minutes ago!

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

A) through
B) in
C) over

Blank 2

A) to
B) for
C) of

Blank 3

A) on
B) in
C) at

2. Help Marco finish his panicked text to his project partner!

"Oh no! I completely forgot ___ the presentation slides to the group chat!"

Select one.

A) to attach
B) attaching
C) attach
D) for attaching

3. Help Maya finish her text message about an embarrassing typing mistake. Drag the correct verb forms to complete her story.

I wanted _____ a professional reply, but I ended up _____ my boss a picture of a potato! I really need to stop _____ people when I'm half asleep.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

A) to send
B) sending
C) sent

Blank 2

A) texting
B) to text
C) texted

Blank 3

A) messaging
B) to message
C) message

4. Complete Grandad's proud text message to his grandson.

"It took a few weeks of practice, but I am finally used ___ with my thumbs!"

Select one.

- **A)** to type
- **B)** to typing
- **C)** typing
- **D)** for typing

5. Help Liam complete his dramatic text message to his best friend about a frustrating group chat. Drag the correct prepositions into the blanks.

I can't believe you left me _____ read! I was waiting for you to reply _____ my question, but instead you just tagged me _____ that weird meme.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

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

Blank 2

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

Blank 3

- **A)** in
- **B)** into
- **C)** around

6. Help Sarah vent about her dating app match in a message to her best friend.

"I can't believe it. I sent him three hilarious memes yesterday, and he still hasn't replied ___!"

Select one.

- **A)** me
- **B)** at me
- **C)** to me
- **D)** for me

7. Emma wants to reply to a group chat invitation for a movie night. Select ALL the natural and grammatically correct ways she can accept the invite.

Select all that apply.

- **A)** I'm definitely up for it! Count me in.
- **B)** Sounds great! I'm planning to join you guys.
- **C)** I'm definitely up for it! Count me on.
- **D)** Sounds great! I'm planning on join you guys.

8. Help Liam vent to his best friend about a highly frustrating texting situation by choosing the most natural phrases.

I can't believe he hasn't _____ my message yet! He literally left me on _____ three hours ago. I am definitely not going to text him _____ until he says something first.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** replied to
- **B)** answered to
- **C)** replied

Blank 2

- **A)** read
- **B)** seen
- **C)** viewed

Blank 3

- **A)** again
- **B)** back
- **C)** more

9. Alex is texting his coworker to apologize for a delayed reply. Choose ALL the messages that are grammatically correct and natural for this situation.

Select all that apply.

- **A)** Sorry for taking so long to get back to you!
- **B)** Sorry it took me a while to reply.
- **C)** Sorry for take so long to get back to you!
- **D)** Sorry it took me a while for replying.

10. Help Sarah reply to her friend's text about their weekend plans. Select ALL the grammatically correct and natural messages she could send.

Select all that apply.

- **A)** I'm looking forward to seeing you this weekend!
- **B)** I can't wait to hang out on Saturday!
- **C)** I'm looking forward to see you this weekend!
- **D)** I can't wait to hang out in Saturday!