## **English Preposition Chart**

| PREPOSITION  | WHAT IT DOES         | PREPOSITION        | WHAT IT DOES              |
|--------------|----------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|
| aboard       | Place, Agreement     | Ьу                 | Agency/means, Place       |
| about        | Measure, Degree      | by means of        | Agency/means, instrmnt    |
| above        | Place                | circa              | Measure, Time             |
| according to | Cause                | close to           | Place                     |
| across       | Place                | contrary to        | Dis/advantage             |
| after        | Time                 | concerning         | Respect                   |
| against      | Dis/advantage, Place | despite            | Concession                |
| ahead of     | Place, Time          | down               | Place                     |
| along        | Direction, Time      | due to             | Cause                     |
| alongside    | Place, Association   | during             | Time                      |
| amid         | Place                | except             | Restriction               |
| amidst       | Place                | except for         | Restriction               |
| among        | Association, Place   | excluding          | Restriction               |
| amongst      | Association, Place   | failing            | Restriction               |
| around       | Place                | far from           | Place                     |
| as           | Comparison           | following          | Time, Result              |
| as far as    | Extent               | for                | Advantage, Price          |
| as of        | Time                 | for the sake of    | Cause                     |
| as per       | Measure, Cause       | from               | Source, Separation        |
| as regards   | Respect              | given              | Cause                     |
| as well as   | Extent               | in                 | Place, Realm              |
| aside        | Separation           | in accordance with | Cause                     |
| aside from   | Separation           | in addition to     | Measure, Extent           |
| astride      | Place, Extent        | in front of        | Place                     |
| at           | Place, Time          | in regard to       | Reference, Respect        |
| athwart      | Place                | in spite of        | Concession                |
| atop         | Place                | inside             | Place                     |
| barring      | Restriction          | inside of          | Restriction, Place        |
| because of   | Cause                | instead of         | Alternative, Substitution |
| before       | Place, Time          | into               | Place                     |
| behind       | Place                | like               | Comparison                |
| below        | Place                | near               | Place                     |
| beneath      | Place                | next               | Place                     |
| beside       | Place                | next to            | Place                     |
| besides      | Separation           | notwithstanding of | Concession                |
| between      | Place                | of                 | Composition, Contents     |
| beyond       | Extent, Place        | off                | Place                     |
| but          | Restriction          | on                 | Place                     |

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| on account of | Cause                     |
|---------------|---------------------------|
| on behalf of  | Dis/advantage             |
| on top of     | Place                     |
| onto          | Place                     |
| opposite      | Place                     |
| out           | Place                     |
| out from      | Source, Place             |
| out of        | Cause, Composition        |
| outside       | Place                     |
| outside of    | Place, Separation         |
| over          | Place                     |
| owing to      | Cause                     |
| pace          | Dis/advantage, Respect    |
| past          | Place, Time               |
| per           | Measure, Extent           |
| plus          | Extent, Association       |
| prior to      | Time                      |
| pursuant to   | Cause                     |
| qua           | Extent                    |
| regarding     | Respect                   |
| regardless of | Dis/advantage             |
| round         | Place                     |
| sans          | Extent                    |
| save          | Restriction               |
| since         | Time                      |
| subsequent to | Time                      |
| than          | Comparison, Extent        |
| thanks to     | Cause                     |
| that of       | Measure, Composition      |
| through       | Agency/means              |
| throughout    | Extent                    |
| till          | Restriction               |
| times         | Measure, Extent           |
| to            | Destination, Direction    |
| toward        | Destination, Direction    |
| towards       | Direction                 |
| under         | Place                     |
| underneath    | Place                     |
| unlike        | Dis/advantage, Comparison |
| until         | Extent, Time              |
| unto          | Destination, Direction    |

## **PREPOSITION** WHAT IT DOES

| ир              | Direction, Place          |
|-----------------|---------------------------|
| upon            | Place                     |
| versus          | Dis/advantage             |
| via             | Agency/means, destination |
| with            | Association, Instrument   |
| with regard to  | Respect                   |
| with respect to | Respect                   |
| within          | Place, Realm              |
| without         | Dis/advantage, Place      |
| worth           | Measure, Extent           |
|                 |                           |