







## Answers

1. a) on
2. d) in
3. b) at
4. c) in
5. b) on
6. a) in
7. d) at
8. c) in
9. a) at
10. d) at
11. b) in
12. c) in
13. c) at
14. a) on
15. d) in
16. b) in
17. d) at
18. c) on
19. b) in
20. a) in



# Explanations

## 1. “on” (a)

'On time' means punctual, at the scheduled time. 'In time' means early enough, before it's too late. Here the bus never arrives late, so it's always 'on time'.

## 2. “in” (d)

'In time' means early enough, before it's too late. 'Just in time' = barely early enough. They almost missed it but arrived before it started.

## 3. “at” (b)

'At the end of' refers to a physical location at the final point of something: at the end of the road, at the end of the corridor.

## 4. “in” (c)

'In the end' means finally, after considering everything. It describes the final result of a process. 'At the end' refers to a physical point or moment.

## 5. “on” (b)

'On the way' means during the journey, en route. 'In the way' means blocking or obstructing.

## 6. “in” (a)

'In the corner' is used for the interior angle of a room or enclosed space. 'On the corner' is used for the outside corner where two streets meet.

## 7. “at” (d)

'At first' means initially, in the beginning. It often introduces a contrast with what happened later.

## 8. “in” (c)

Use 'in' with parts of the day: in the morning, in the afternoon, in the evening. Exception: 'at night' (not 'in the night').

## 9. “at” (a)

'At the end of' refers to the final point of something specific: at the end of the film, at the end of the book, at the end of the lesson.

## 10. “at” (d)

'At night' is the standard expression for general nighttime. This is an exception to the 'in + part of day' rule (in the morning, in the afternoon, in the evening, but 'at night').

## 11. “in” (b)

'In the way' means blocking, obstructing. The bicycle is stopping people from passing. 'On the way' means during a journey.

## 12. “in” (c)

'In time' means before the deadline, early enough. The context 'before the deadline' confirms this. 'On time' would mean exactly at the scheduled time.

## 13. “at” (c)

'At the moment' means right now, at this point in time. 'In the moment' has a different meaning — it relates to mindfulness or being present.

**14. “on” (a)**

Use 'on' with specific types of days described by an adjective: on a sunny day, on a cold morning, on a rainy afternoon.

**15. “in” (d)**

'In a moment' means very soon, in a short time. 'At the moment' means right now. The context (waiting to see the doctor) means 'soon'.

**16. “in” (b)**

Use 'in' when something is inside a container: in her bag, in the box, in the drawer.

**17. “at” (d)**

Use 'at' with specific clock times: at 3:30, at noon, at midnight.

**18. “on” (c)**

Use 'on' with specific dates: on the 5th of May, on 25th December, on 1st January.

**19. “in” (b)**

Use 'in' with months: in August, in March, in December.

**20. “in” (a)**

Use 'in' for things inside a room: in the bathroom, in the kitchen, in the bedroom.