Fill in	the	blanks	with	an	appropriate	preposition.
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1. They swam the river.
across
over
on
2. They live in a village justthe border.
across
over
Either could be used here
3. I work best the evening.
on
in

at
4. See you Saturday evening.
in
on
at
5. I can run 400 meters about one minute.
by
in
within

6. We usually go and see grandmother Sunday.

in
on
at
7. That car can seat seven people.
until
as far as
upto
8. I won't be seeing him
until
before
Either could be used here

9. The nearest restaurant is about half a mile the road.
up
down
Either could be used here
10. None of the last six trains has been time.
in
on
11. He could have been saved if they had brought him to hospital time.
on

at
12. I have been here three weeks now.
since
for
in

Answers

- 1. They swam across the river.
- 2. They live in a village just across / over the border.
- 3. I work best in the evening.
- 4. See you on Saturday evening.
- 5. I can run 400 meters in about one minute.
- 6. We usually go and see grandmother on Sunday.
- 7. That car can seat up to seven people.

- 8. I won't be seeing him until / before Wednesday.
- 9. The nearest restaurant is about half a mile up / down the road.
- 10. None of the last six trains has been on time.
- 11. He could have been saved if they had brought him to hospital in time.
- 12. I have been here for three weeks now.