

Prepositions Exercise

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate preposition.

1. There are four stages the metamorphosis of a mosquito.

for

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2. I can't find anything this messy desk.

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3. Trying to define God led us even more metaphysical questions.

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4. He was praised his meritorious service.

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5. The caretaker showed no mercy trespassers.

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6. Dickens was a great writer his tearful plots.

despite

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7. The car was going its maximum speed.

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8. the two examples, I prefer the latter.

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9. The clown made the children laugh
..... joy.

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10. The comedian finally got a laugh
..... the unresponsive audience.

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11. You will be a laughingstock
that silly outfit.

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12. I wish I had her knack
cooking.

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Answers

1. There are four stages in the metamorphosis of a mosquito.
2. I can't find anything on this messy desk.

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3. Trying to define God led us to even more metaphysical questions.
4. He was praised for his meritorious service.
5. The caretaker showed no mercy to trespassers.
6. Dickens was a great writer despite his tearful plots.
7. The car was going at its maximum speed.
8. Of the two examples, I prefer the latter.
9. The clown made the children laugh with joy.
10. The comedian finally got a laugh from the unresponsive audience.
11. You will be a laughingstock in that silly outfit.
12. I wish I had her knack for cooking.