

Lesson: V114

Prepositions of Place and Furniture



Aim: to describe location using prepositions of place

A. Naming rooms

- With your teacher, name all the rooms in your house.
- Are there any that you struggled to name, such as utility room, en-suite bathroom, cellar etc.?

Tell your teacher in which room you will find each item in the box below:

rug	dishwasher	washing machine
TV	dining table	sofa
wardrobe	cupboards	sink
sink/basin	toilet	shower curtain

B. Living room layout

Look at this living room layout on the following page.

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Quickly identify these items in the picture:

2 & 3 seater stripy sofas

large rug/small rug

cupboards

table lamps

coffee table

windows/doors

arm chairs

fireplace

piano/piano stool

C. Describing the layout

Describe the above room layout to your teacher. Here are some useful Prepositions of Place which you might find helpful.

Useful language

against

next to

parallel to

at a 45 degree angle to

in the bottom left hand corner

in the top right hand corner

to the left of the

on top of

underneath

facing

between

D. Discuss

- Do you like the layout of the room above? Why/why not?
- Which is your favourite room in your house? What make it your favourite, is it the layout, colour scheme, contents etc?
- Ideally, where would you live? The countryside, town, overlooking the sea?

E. Homework

Draw your living room or room of your choice and write sentences about the layout ready to tell your teacher next time.