

IBPS Clerk Prelims 2026

Prepositions (Time) - Practice Set 1 of 5

FREE SET

Focus: Time Prepositions (In, On, At, Since, For, From, By, Until)

Time: 20 Minutes

Total: 25 Questions

In, On, At - 8 Qs

Since, For - 6 Qs

From, By, Until - 6 Qs

Mixed Practice - 5 Qs

SET 1 OF 5

Instructions

- ✓ This is the FREE practice set (Set 1 of 5) focusing on TIME PREPOSITIONS for IBPS Clerk Prelims 2026
- ✓ Each question carries 1 mark (No negative marking for practice)
- ✓ Try to complete all 25 questions within 20 minutes to simulate exam conditions
- ✓ After attempting all questions, check answers with detailed explanations
- ✓ Use the Performance Tracker to analyze your accuracy and identify weak areas
- ✓ ★ **Complete all 5 sets to master Prepositions for IBPS Clerk!**

SECTION A: In, On, At (Time)

8 Questions

Directions: Choose the correct preposition (in, on, or at) for each blank.

Question 1

Easy

**FREE PRACTICE SET**

I was born ____ 1995.

- ☐ A. in
- ☐ B. on
- ☐ C. at

Question 2

Easy

He will arrive ____ 6 PM.

- ☐ A. in
- ☐ B. on
- ☐ C. at

Question 3

Easy

We will meet ____ Monday.

- ☐ A. in
- ☐ B. on
- ☐ C. at

Question 4

Easy

I wake up ____ the morning.

- ☐ A. in
- ☐ B. on
- ☐ C. at

Question 5**Medium****FREE PRACTICE SET**

He was born _____ 15th August.

- ☐ A. in
- ☐ B. on
- ☐ C. at

Question 6**Medium**

We met _____ Sunday morning.

- ☐ A. in
- ☐ B. on
- ☐ C. at

Question 7**Medium**

She will come _____ the evening.

- ☐ A. in
- ☐ B. on
- ☐ C. at

Question 8**Medium**

The movie starts _____ 7 o'clock.

- ☐ A. in
- ☐ B. on
- ☐ C. at

SECTION B: Since vs For



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Directions: Choose the correct preposition (since or for) for each blank.

Question 9

Easy

She has been ill _____ last week.

- ☐ A. since
- ☐ B. for

Question 10

Easy

They have lived here _____ ten years.

- ☐ A. since
- ☐ B. for

Question 11

Medium

She has been waiting _____ two hours.

- ☐ A. since
- ☐ B. for

Question 12

Medium

He has known me _____ childhood.

- ☐ A. since
- ☐ B. for

Question 13**Hard****FREE PRACTICE SET**

He has been working here _____ 2018.

- ☐ A. since
- ☐ B. for

Question 14**Hard**

She has been sleeping _____ two hours.

- ☐ A. since
- ☐ B. for

SECTION C: From, By, Until**6 Questions**

Directions: Choose the correct preposition (from, by, or until) for each blank.

Question 15**Easy**

He works _____ 9 AM to 5 PM.

- ☐ A. from
- ☐ B. by
- ☐ C. until

Question 16**Easy**

Submit the report _____ Friday.

- ☐ A. from
- ☐ B. by
- ☐ C. until

Question 17**Medium****FREE PRACTICE SET**

I will wait for you _____ 8 PM.

- ☐ A. from
- ☐ B. by
- ☐ C. until

Question 18**Medium**

The office is open _____ 9 AM to 6 PM.

- ☐ A. from
- ☐ B. by
- ☐ C. until

Question 19**Hard**

I will finish the work _____ tomorrow.

- ☐ A. from
- ☐ B. by
- ☐ C. until

Question 20**Hard**

The store is open _____ 10 PM.

- ☐ A. from
- ☐ B. by
- ☐ C. until

SECTION D: Mixed Practice (All Time Prepositions)



FREE PRACTICE SET

Directions: Choose the correct preposition for each blank.

Question 21

Medium

He has been absent _____ Monday.

- ☐ A. since
- ☐ B. for
- ☐ C. from
- ☐ D. by

Question 22

Medium

The train will arrive _____ time.

- ☐ A. in
- ☐ B. on
- ☐ C. at
- ☐ D. by

Question 23

Hard

He reached the station _____ time to catch the train.

- ☐ A. in
- ☐ B. on
- ☐ C. at
- ☐ D. by

Question 24**Hard****FREE PRACTICE SET**

The meeting will start _____ 10 AM.

- ☐ A. in
- ☐ B. on
- ☐ C. at
- ☐ D. since

Question 25**Hard**

I will meet you _____ the weekend.

- ☐ A. in
- ☐ B. on
- ☐ C. at
- ☐ D. by



Answer Key with Detailed Explanations

SECTION A: In, On, At (Time)

Q1. Answer: A. in

✓ in

Years के लिए "in" use करें → in 1995.

📌 Years/Months → in

Q2. Answer: C. at

✓ at

Specific time के लिए "at" use करें → at 6 PM.

📌 Clock time → at

Q3. Answer: B. on

✓ on

Days के लिए "on" use करें → on Monday.

📌 Days → on

Q4. Answer: A. in

✓ in

Parts of day के लिए "in" use करें → in the morning.

📌 Parts of day (morning/afternoon/evening) → in

Q5. Answer: B. on

✓ on

FREE PRACTICE SET

Dates के लिए "on" use करें → on 15th August.

📌 Dates → on

Q6. Answer: B. on

✓ on

Specific day + morning के लिए "on" → on Sunday morning.

📌 Day + morning/afternoon/evening → on

Q7. Answer: A. in

✓ in

Parts of day के लिए "in" → in the evening.

📌 In the evening is correct

Q8. Answer: C. at

✓ at

Specific time के लिए "at" → at 7 o'clock.

📌 Clock time → at

SECTION B: Since vs For

Q9. Answer: A. since

✓ since

"Last week" एक बिंदु है → since last week.

📌 Since + point of time

Q10. Answer: B. for

✓ for

FREE PRACTICE SET

"Ten years" अवधि है → for ten years.

📌 For + duration of time

Q11. Answer: B. for

✓ for

"Two hours" अवधि है → for two hours.

📌 For + duration

Q12. Answer: A. since

✓ since

"Childhood" एक बिंदु है → since childhood.

📌 Since + point of time

Q13. Answer: A. since

✓ since

"2018" एक बिंदु है → since 2018.

📌 Since + year

Q14. Answer: B. for

✓ for

"Two hours" अवधि है → for two hours.

📌 For + duration

SECTION C: From, By, Until

Q15. Answer: A. from

✓ from

FREE PRACTICE SET

Start to end time → from...to.

📌 From + start time + to + end time

Q16. Answer: B. by

✓ by

Deadline के लिए "by" → by Friday.

📌 By = deadline

Q17. Answer: C. until

✓ until

Waiting continuously → until 8 PM.

📌 Until = continuously up to

Q18. Answer: A. from

✓ from

Start to end time → from...to.

📌 From...to structure

Q19. Answer: B. by

✓ by

Deadline के लिए "by" → by tomorrow.

📌 By = deadline

Q20. Answer: C. until

✓ until

Open continuously → until 10 PM.

 Until = up to that time

  **FREE PRACTICE SET**

SECTION D: Mixed Practice

Q21. Answer: A. since

 **since**

"Monday" एक बिंदु है → since Monday.

 Since + point of time

Q22. Answer: B. on

 **on**

"On time" means punctually.

 On time = punctually

Q23. Answer: A. in

 **in**

"In time" means before the last moment.

 In time = before the deadline

Q24. Answer: C. at

 **at**

Specific time के लिए "at" → at 10 AM.

 Clock time → at

Q25. Answer: C. at

 **at**

"At the weekend" is correct in British English.

📌 At the weekend

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📊 Performance Tracker - IBPS Clerk Set 1 (Time Prepositions)

Section	Total	Correct	Wrong	Accuracy %
Section A (In, On, At)	8	___	___	___%
Section B (Since, For)	6	___	___	___%
Section C (From, By, Until)	6	___	___	___%
Section D (Mixed Practice)	5	___	___	___%
TOTAL	25	___	___	___%

📊 Score Interpretation (IBPS Clerk - Time Prepositions):

- **22-25 correct:** Excellent! You've mastered Time Prepositions.
- **18-21 correct:** Good - review Since vs For rules.
- **14-17 correct:** Average - need more practice on In/On/At.
- **Below 14:** Need significant improvement - review all rules.

🎯 IBPS Clerk Special Focus - Key Learning Points from Set 1

- 🎯 **In, On, At (Time):** Years/Months → IN, Days/Dates → ON, Clock time → AT, Parts of day → IN (but "at night")
- 🎯 **Since vs For:** Since + point (2015, Monday), For + duration (2 hours, 5 years)
- 🎯 **From vs By vs Until:** From...to (start to end), By (deadline), Until (continuously up to)
- 🎯 **On time vs In time:** On time = punctually, In time = before the last moment

IBPS Clerk Prepositions Series Progress

  FREE PRACTICE SET

✓ ✓ **Set 1 (Free - This Set):** Time Prepositions - 25 questions

✓ ⌚ **Set 2 (Free):** Place Prepositions - Coming Next

✓ ⌚ **Set 3 (Free):** Fixed Expressions - Coming Soon

✓ ⌚ **Set 4 (Premium):** Mixed Prepositions - Advanced Level

✓ ⌚ **Set 5 (Premium):** Error Detection - Advanced Level

★ **Next: Set 2 - Place Prepositions (IBPS Clerk Level)**

 **IBPS Clerk Target:** Time Prepositions are the foundation. Master this set before moving to Set 2!

IBPS Clerk Prelims 2026 - Prepositions Practice Set 1 (Time Prepositions - Free - 25 Questions)

 This is FREE Set 1 from Ignite Exams - Time Prepositions Complete Practice

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