

VOCABULARY



VERBS AND PREPOSITIONS

Some verbs are usually followed by a specific preposition.

He **succeeded in** business and became rich.

I **rely on** my brother to help me with my homework.

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1 Choose the correct preposition that follows the verb in colour.

- I was **accused** of / on / at cheating in the test.
- This exam was difficult **compared** to / for / about the one we did last week.
- We **searched** of / for / about information on the Internet.
- The teacher **complained** of / about / for our behaviour.
- I'm trying to **concentrate** in / on / to my assignment.

2 Match A to B to form logical sentences.

A

- Everyone **stared**
- I've never **heard**
- She **blames** everyone
- Good teachers **care**
- She was sorry and **apologised**

B

- for** all her problems.
- for** her behaviour in class.
- at** the new student in class.
- of** that game.
- about** their students.

LISTENING An Interview

3 Do you know any apps that help students study and revise? If so, what are they? Do you use them?

4 Listen to the first part of an interview about a study app and complete the fact file.

FACT FILE

Helps students: learn things ¹ ...

Create: your own ² ... flashcards

Use them: to ³ ... and test yourself

Started by: Andrew Sutherland in the year ⁴ ...

Available in: ⁵ ... languages



5 Listen to the second part of the interview and decide if the following sentences are true or false.

- George wanted to teach his son music.
- George's songs helped Paris.
- Studytracks is only good for auditory learners.
- Studytracks is based on the connection between music and the brain.
- Chemistry and literature are the main subjects on Studytracks.



LOOKING AT PRONUNCIATION

- 1 Listen and repeat the words below from the interview. Pay attention to the syllable that is stressed in each word.
education | **students** | **memorise** | translation
- 2 Which syllable is stressed in each of the words below? Listen and check your answers.
flash-cards | a-bil-ity | suc-cess | con-cen-tra-tion

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TECHNO TASK

Go online and find an example of a study app for teens. Write three facts about it.