

**BALABHADRA SKILL DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY**  
**ENGLISH QUESTION BANK - 28**  
**PREPOSITIONS**

Time: 1 Hour

Full marks: 60

Pass marks: 48

Fill in the blanks with appropriate preposition.

1. She could not confide the secret \_\_\_\_\_ a stranger.
2. He had no confidence \_\_\_\_\_ his son.
3. I was confident \_\_\_\_\_ success.
4. The famine was consequent \_\_\_\_\_ the failure of crops.
5. It happened subsequent \_\_\_\_\_ his death.
6. It is contrary \_\_\_\_\_ the rule.
7. This is contrasted \_\_\_\_\_ that.
8. He is conversant \_\_\_\_\_ English.
9. He is versed \_\_\_\_\_ state affairs.
10. I am not covetous \_\_\_\_\_ wealth.
11. He is eager \_\_\_\_\_ praise.
12. He is eager \_\_\_\_\_ the pursuit of knowledge.
13. The teacher was dear \_\_\_\_\_ his students.
14. The king was popular \_\_\_\_\_ his subjects.
15. The queen delights \_\_\_\_\_ music.
16. She was delighted \_\_\_\_\_ the scene.
17. The lady was depended \_\_\_\_\_ her uncle.
18. She is now independent \_\_\_\_\_ his help.
19. I derive pleasure \_\_\_\_\_ walking.
20. I take pleasure \_\_\_\_\_ walking.
21. This will certainly derogate \_\_\_\_\_ your reputation.
22. He never does anything derogatory \_\_\_\_\_ his position.
23. They are descended \_\_\_\_\_ Sivaji.
24. They are descendants \_\_\_\_\_ Sivaji.
25. He had a design \_\_\_\_\_ my life.
26. The book is designed \_\_\_\_\_ children.
27. The writer had a strong desire \_\_\_\_\_ fame.
28. He was desirous \_\_\_\_\_ fame.
29. We should not despair \_\_\_\_\_ success.
30. There is no hope \_\_\_\_\_ his recovery.
31. We hoped \_\_\_\_\_ better results.
32. They were hopeful \_\_\_\_\_ success.
33. His views are different \_\_\_\_\_ mine.
34. He is indifferent \_\_\_\_\_ our grievances.
35. He discouraged me \_\_\_\_\_ competing.
36. I was discouraged \_\_\_\_\_ learning French.

37. He encouraged us \_\_\_\_ brave deeds.
38. He has a dislike \_\_\_\_ you.
39. I have no liking \_\_\_\_ cards.
40. He was eminent \_\_\_\_ his scholarship.
41. He is pre-eminent \_\_\_\_ all the rest.
42. He is pre-eminent \_\_\_\_ cleverness.
43. He is an enemy \_\_\_\_ you.
44. They are at enmity \_\_\_\_ my uncle.
45. I do not feel envy \_\_\_\_ his success.
46. Don't be envious \_\_\_\_ his good fortune.
47. This angel is equal \_\_\_\_ that.
48. He is coequal \_\_\_\_ your brother.
49. He is on a footing of equality \_\_\_\_ you.
50. It is an exception \_\_\_\_ the general rule.
51. He was excepted \_\_\_\_ punishment.
52. You will please make an exception \_\_\_\_ his case.
53. My name was excluded \_\_\_\_ the list.
54. I paid a rupee exclusive \_\_\_\_ postage.
55. He is extravagant \_\_\_\_ his expenditure.
56. We should be economical \_\_\_\_ our habits.
57. Be economical \_\_\_\_ your time.
58. His remarks are not favourable \_\_\_\_ our cause.
59. The time is not favourable \_\_\_\_ our action.
60. I was not favoured \_\_\_\_ a reply.

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**ENGLISH QUESTION BANK – 28 (ANSWER)**  
**PREPOSITIONS**

1. to
2. in
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41. above

- 42. in
- 43. to
- 44. with
- 45. at
- 46. of
- 47. to
- 48. with
- 49. with
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- 54. of
- 55. in
- 56. in
- 57. of
- 58. to
- 59. for
- 60. with

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