## **Prepositions and Prepositional Phrases**

**Directions** Underline each prepositional phrase. The number in ( ) tells how many prepositional phrases are in that sentence.

- **1.** *Bambi* is an animated movie about a deer. (1)
- **2.** It begins with Bambi's birth in the forest. (2)
- **3.** All the forest creatures are filled with joy at the birth. (2)
- **4.** They welcome the new prince of the forest. (1)
- **5.** Bambi makes two friends of the closest kind. (1)
- **6.** Thumper is a bunny with attitude, who has a sense of fun. (2)
- 7. Bambi discovers a shy skunk in the flowers and names him Flower. (1)

**Directions** Write P if the underlined word is a preposition. Write O if it is the object of the preposition.

- **8.** Today we learned about computer animation.
- **9.** We enjoy cartoons thanks to this technique.
- **10.** Artists create drawings on the computer.
- **11.** With software, they manipulate these drawings.
- **12.** Before computers, animation artists drew every frame.
- **13.** Now computers move the cartoon for the artist.
- **14.** Software also applies colors in the shapes.

**Directions** Underline the prepositional phrase in each sentence. Write *P* above the preposition. Write *O* above the object of the preposition.

- **15.** Toy Story is an animated film about a boy's toys.
- **16.** The toys remain loyal to their owner.
- 17. There is jealousy and competition between the toys.
- 18. They finally become friends and work together for their own good.



**Home Activity** Your child reviewed prepositions and prepositional phrases. Have your child see how many prepositional phrases he or she can find on the label of a box or can of food. Have your child identify the prepositions.