



Lesson 13. Verbs and prepositions

Practice 1

Instructions. Based on [this lesson](#), fill in the blanks with the correct preposition. In one or more sentences, you may not need to use a preposition.

When you are done, see “Answer Key” to check your answers.

1. My teacher ended the class _____ a long list of new assignments.
2. If you are having difficulties in any course, the university provides _____ free tutors who can help you.
3. Right now, the investigation into the accident points _____ mechanical problems.
4. To open an account, you must provide us _____ a few documents.
5. I didn't like the movie because love stories don't interest _____ me.
6. The manager lied and stole _____ the company. Now he must answer _____ what he did.
7. When I lived in Japan, I just pointed _____ the food I wanted in a restaurant because my Japanese was so bad.
8. I don't have to explain myself to you. I answer only _____ my supervisor.
9. John and Ann tried everything they could, but their marriage ended _____ divorce.
10. Those people over there keep pointing _____ me. Maybe they know me.
11. May I interest you _____ a cup of coffee?
12. That website provides _____ good information about money. If you register, it will also provide you _____ tools to help you make financial decisions.

Answer Key

1. My teacher ended the class **with** a long list of new assignments.
2. If you are having difficulties in any course, the university provides free tutors... **(no preposition)** you.
3. Right now, the investigation into the accident points **to** mechanical problems.
4. To open an account, you must provide us **with** a few documents.
5. I didn't like the movie because love stories don't interest me. **(no preposition)**
6. The manager lied and stole **from** the company. Now he must answer **for** what he did.
7. When I lived in Japan, I just pointed **at** the food I wanted in a restaurant because...
(“to” is also correct)
8. I don't have to explain myself to you. I answer only **to** my supervisor.
9. John and Ann tried everything they could, but their marriage ended **in** divorce.
10. Those people over there keep pointing **at** me. Maybe they know me.
11. May I interest you **in** a cup of coffee?
12. That website provides good information about money. **(no preposition)**
If you register, it will also provide you **with** tools to help you make financial decisions.

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