

## Prepositions of Place

### In

- Used with geographic places (continents, countries, regions, states, counties, cities)  
Ex. *I live in Rock Hill, South Carolina.*
- Used with enclosed areas (buildings, rooms, cars, etc.)  
Ex. *They drove from campus to Florida in a minivan.*  
Ex. *All of my classes this semester are in Bancroft Hall.*

### At

- Used with specific places and locations where an activity takes place  
Ex. *I attend school at Winthrop University.*  
Ex. *My sister will meet me at the airport.*
- Used with specific street addresses  
Ex. *She lives at 1207 8th Street.*

### On

- Used when the subject is on top of something  
Ex. *My keys are on the dresser.*
- Used with streets, page numbers, and floors of buildings  
Ex. *She lives on Charlotte Avenue.*  
Ex. *The office is on the fourth floor.*

### Above/Over

- Used when the subject is higher than another object  
Ex. *His apartment is above the office.*  
Ex. *The sign was hanging over the door.*

### Below/Under/Beneath

- Used when the subject is lower than another object  
Ex. *After the flood, the water level fell below flood range.*  
Ex. *Put the book under the table.*

### Near

- Used when the subject's location is close to another object  
Ex. *I am looking for a job near campus so I can walk to work.*

### To

- Used with a destination  
Ex. *I went to West Virginia for spring break.*  
Ex. *Will you drive me to the grocery store tonight?*

### From

- Used with the original (starting) location  
Ex. *I saw your sister on my way home from school today.*