

19 Prepositions of place (2)



1 in front of, behind, opposite, between

in front of		Joanne is in front of Simon. Annie sits in front of me in the class.
behind		Simon is behind Joanne. There's a police car behind our car.
opposite		The snack bar is opposite the ticket office. My house is opposite the post office.
between		Simon is between Joanne and Mariella. That's me in the photo – between mum and dad.

- ⚠ ~~x The snack bar is opposite to the ticket office.~~
 ✓ The snack bar is **opposite** the ticket office.

2 Describing a picture

We use prepositions to describe where things are in a picture.
 Read this description of the picture at the top of the page.

The picture shows the entrance to a festival.

At the **front** we can see the ticket office. Three people are waiting for tickets.

There's a festival stage **at the back**.

The ticket office is **on the left** of the picture and the snacks are **on the right**.

In the centre there's a group of people.

At the top we can see the sky and **at the bottom** we can see some children.