In On At

Choose in, on, or at.

1. I like to put jalapeños _____ guacamole.
2. John is _____ the hospital. - Two answers are possible.
3. I’m going to my friend’s house _____ Saturday.
4. How much sugar do you put _____ your coffee?
5. We get _____ the bus every morning _____ seven and go to work.
6. The meeting is _____ Tuesday _____ nine _____ the morning.
7. We live _____ a small city _____ the northeastern part of the country.
8. They went fishing _____ the lake. - Two answers are possible.
9. There’s a lot of life _____ the bottom of the sea. - Two answers are possible.
10. Joe’s _____ the post office. - Two answers are possible.
11. We are sitting _____ a table _____ some comfortable chairs.
12. We were _____ a boat when we saw some whales.
13. The whales stayed _____ the surface for a while.
14. I heard a song I like _____ the radio.
15. We thought we were going to be late, but we got there just _____ time.
16. We thought we were going to be late, but we got there _____ time.
17. We went for a walk _____ the beach.
18. We decided to go _____ the water.
19. I bought a couple really good shirts _____ the mall.
20. They were _____ sale _____ a good price.
21. Do you like whipped cream _____ your coffee?
22. We were sitting _____ the bed talking for a little while.
23. I think you should take an umbrella _____ case it rains.
24. It’s not a good idea to stand up _____ a canoe.
25. We bought some books _____ a good price.
26. We put the books _____ a box _____ the shelf.
27. How long have you been working _____ this project?
28. I started working _____ this company _____ January.
29. I read about it _____ an article _____ the internet.
30. He’s been posting articles and content _____ the Impact website.
31. She hasn’t spoken to him _____ a few days.
32. She said she’d call _____ a couple days.
33. Do you think there are other forms of intelligent life _____ other planets _____ the universe?
34. We’re going for a ride _____ the country _____ Sunday morning.
35. We’ll be back _____ about nine _____ the evening.
36. We’re leaving early _____ the morning, and we’ll be back late _____ night.
37. I posted digital recordings _____ the Impact website.
38. _____ the winter we have to be careful not to slip _____ the ice and fall _____ the ground.
39. They’re sick _____ the head.
40. What do you have _____ your mind?
Here's a basic guide for in, on, and at.

In - Use “in” for enclosed areas or areas that have borders. Using “in” means that that there are limitations.

The limitations can be physical or abstract. An example of an abstract area with imitations is “in the cards”. When we speak of something that is “in the cards”, we speak of a possibility.

At - Use “at” for locations.

A location can be physical or abstract. An example of an abstract location is “at our convenience”. Our convenience is a location in time.

On - Use on for surfaces. Using “on” means that something touching a surface or coming into contact with a surface.

A surface can be physical or abstract. An example of an abstract surface and a physical surface is a fence. If you are “on the fence” about something, it means that you have not made a decision, can’t decide, or have not committed to something.