

## Prepositions: In Time, On Time

**FORM:**

**IN TIME (TO do something)**

**ON TIME (FOR something)**

**USE:**

We use “**in time**” to indicate that there is time to spare or that it is not late.

We use “**on time**” to indicate that it is exactly at the right moment or right time.

NOTE: **in time** to, **on time** for

**EXAMPLES:**

*She’s always on time (for) the meeting.*

*You must leave now if you want to arrive in time (to) catch the train.*

*Complete the following sentences using ON TIME or IN TIME.*

1. You would feel better if you woke up \_\_\_\_\_ to have breakfast before you leave the house.
2. I must leave now. The movie starts at nine o’clock and I want to be \_\_\_\_\_ for the beginning.
3. Send in your registration today if you want it to arrive \_\_\_\_\_ to meet the deadline.
4. I’m tired of waiting for the doctor. He’s never \_\_\_\_\_ for his appointments.
5. I didn’t arrive \_\_\_\_\_ to say good-bye before they left on vacation.

*Make up five sentences of your own using ON TIME and IN TIME.*

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_