Practice below by identifying the prepositional phrases in the following word groups. If the word group is a prepositional phrase write PHR on the line, if it is not then write NP on the line.

Example: \_\_\_\_\_ over the mountain (PHR)

Example: \_\_\_\_\_ Talbot and him (NP)

1. \_\_\_\_\_ in the kitchen
2. \_\_\_\_\_ across the library
3. \_\_\_\_\_under a harvest moon
4. \_\_\_\_\_ beyond the solar system
5. \_\_\_\_\_ when I was six
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Smith is reading my book report

Underline each prepositional phrase and circle the preposition in the sentences below.

1. I am reading a book about the Columbia River.
2. The entire length of this mighty river is 1, 240 miles.
3. During the Ice Age the Columbia River had a different course.
4. The river begins in the Canadian Rocky Mountains.

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Underline each prepositional phrase, and circle the preposition in the sentences below.

1. He greeted his cousin from Brazil with a smile and a handshake.
2. Juan drove Luis to Juan’s family’s ranch.
3. Juan’s family gathered around Luis.
4. The house stood among a group of oak trees.