Homework Assignment 6: Prepositions

Underline the prepositional phrases in the following sentences. Remember that a sentence can have more than one prepositional phrase.

1. The cake in the refrigerator is for our new neighbor.

2. She spilled her milk on the clean tablecloth.

3. The team won the game that started at 4:00 p.m.

4. After the football game, the fans ran onto the field.

5. The books on the library shelf were checked out by the patrons.

6. For six weeks, he was without a car.

7. They were happy about the new equipment in the playground.

8. Over the weekend, Susan studied hard for her test.

9. The building was destroyed by the tornado.

10. Jennifer demonstrated her singing talent during the county fair.

Underline the correct word or phrase in the sentence.

11. Like/As the teacher said, there will be a test in two weeks.

12. Brian looked as if/like he could use a good night’s sleep.

13. Michelle enjoys eating fruits like/as oranges, apples, and pears.

14. Everyone said the little girl looked exactly as though/like her older sister.

15. She was so upset that she felt like/as though she wanted to cry.