Adjectival and Adverbial Prep. Phrases Quiz

**Directions: Using the sentences below, fill in the appropriate boxes for each. Label the prepositional phrase(s). Remember to double check if your “preposition” is part of a prepositional phrase or is an adverb!**

1. Franklin was bored during the lecture about caterpillars.

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| **Prepositional Phrase** | **The word it is modifying (describing)** | **Adjective Phrase or Adverb Phrase**  |
| During the lecture | Was bored (when?) | Adv phrase |
| About caterpillars | Lecture (which?) | Adj phrase |

1. The scientists study the moon with a telescope and satellites.

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| **Prepositional Phrase** | **The word it is modifying (describing)** | **Adjective Phrase or Adverb Phrase**  |
| With a telescope and satellites | Study (how?) | adv |
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1. A lifeguard saw the shark with a white fin and screamed to the swimmers!

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| **Prepositional Phrase** | **The word it is modifying (describing)** | **Adjective Phrase or Adverb Phrase**  |
| With a white fin | Shark | Adj phrase |
| To the swimmers | Screamed (who?) | adv |

1. In front of the class, the students presented their projects about themselves.

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| **Prepositional Phrase** | **The word it is modifying (describing)** | **Adjective Phrase or Adverb Phrase**  |
| In front of the class | Presented (where?) | Adv phrase |
| About themselves | Projects (which? | Adj phrase |

1. Did you walk past the cemetery and lighthouse in the morning?

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| **Prepositional Phrase** | **The word it is modifying (describing)** | **Adjective Phrase or Adverb Phrase**  |
| In the morning | Did walk (when?) | adv |
| Past the cemetery and lighthouse | Did walk (where?) | Adv phrase |

1. The onlookers were watching inside the house as dragons passed.

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| **Prepositional Phrase** | **The word it is modifying (describing)** | **Adjective Phrase or Adverb Phrase**  |
| Inside the house | Were watching | Adv phrase |
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