## **ANSWER SHEET**

## Part 2: Prepositional Phrases in Nonfiction Text

Remember, prepositions indicate relationships between other words in a sentence. Examples include: on, for, about, in, over, under, beside, at, by, through.



Prepositional phrases begin with a preposition.
They create a more detailed explanation for the reader.
They often tell when and where.

**Directions**: Circle the prepositional phrases in the following paragraphs.

Chocolate as a food got its start (in) ancient times. In ancient Latin America, chocolate was worshipped. They brought it home to Europe, where it became an expensive import and a symbol of wealth. By the 1700s chocolate was a part of life for upper-class citizens in Europe.

John Muir was born in Scotland He arrived in San Francisco in 1868 He built a cabin on the banks of Yosemite Creek Yosemite was made a national park in 1890)

**Directions:** Answer the questions in the table using clues from the paragraphs above. Write your answer in a complete sentence. The first one was done for you.

Question	Answer	Prepositional phrase to support answer
Where was chocolate worshipped?	Chocolate was worshipped in ancient Latin America.	"In ancient Latin America"
When did chocolate become a part of life for upper-class citizens in Europe?	Chocolate became a part of life for upper-class citizens in Europe by the 1700s.	"By the 1700s"
When did Yosemite become a national park?	Yosemite became a national park in 1890.	"In 1890."
Where was John Muir born?	John Muir was born in Scotland.	"In Scotland."
Where did he build a cabin?	He built a cabin on the banks of Yosemite Creek.	"On the banks of Yosemite Creek."