



Worksheet number (8) / Unit One

Name :

Subject:

Articles

Class:

9th grade

Date:

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Learning objective: Students should be able to be familiar with articles:

A- The Indefinite Article : a- an

- We use a before a consonant sound

For example, a policeman a boy...

- We use an before a vowel sound

An orange - an hour...

We use the indefinite article a/an with singular countable nouns to talk about ...

1- Someone or something for the first time.

- They've got **an apple tree** in their garden.

- We saw **an elephant** in the zoo.

- **A policeman** stopped me in my car.

2- One person or one thing in a general way.

- I'd like to be **an artist** one day.(= *One of many possible artists.*)

- **A dog** is a **loyal animal**. (= Talking about dogs in general, using "a dog" to represent the group.)

- **A doctor** must be kind and patient.

B- We use the definite article (the) with singular and plural countable nouns and uncountable nouns to talk about...

1- One or more people or things in a specific way.

- **The students** in the front row are all from Grade 9.

→(Specific group of students everyone knows.)

- **The restaurant** we went to last night was amazing.

→(Not just any restaurant — a specific one both people remember.)

2- Someone or something that has been mentioned before.

I saw a cat in the garden. The cat was chasing a bird.

→(First mention: "a cat"; second mention: "the cat" because we now know which cat.)

She bought a laptop yesterday. The laptop was very expensive.

→(Now we're talking about the same, already-mentioned laptop.)

C. Using no articles

We use no article with plural countable nouns and uncountable nouns to talk about ...

1- People or things in a general way.

Sugar is bad for your teeth.

Education helps people grow.

Cats are independent animals.

Doctors work long hours.

Question 1: Choose the correct article (a, an, the, or Ø [no article]) for each blank.

Question 2: Fill in the Blanks (Use: a, an, the, or Ø)

1. I saw ____ cat in the garden. ____ cat was chasing a butterfly.
2. He's reading ____ interesting book about ancient Egypt.
3. ____ teachers at our school are very helpful.
4. My dream is to become ____ engineer.
5. She gave me ____ orange and ____ apple.

Question 3: Correct or Incorrect?

Write C for Correct or I for Incorrect

1. A sugar is bad for your teeth. → _____
2. An hour passed before the doctor arrived. → _____
3. I saw the boy. A boy was playing football. → _____
4. A dog is a loyal animal. → _____
5. We met a teacher. The teacher was very kind. → _____

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