



CLASS: III

Subject: English

Date: 01/06/2020

Topic: Articles

Time Limit: 30 Mins

Worksheet No. : 14

[Copy the questions following the notes and solve them on a sheet of paper date wise. Keep the worksheets ready in a file to be submitted on the opening day.]

The words *a, an* and *the* are called articles. We use them before nouns in a phrase or a sentence.

A/AN

We use 'a' and 'an' with singular countable nouns. We do not use them with plural or uncountable nouns.

Eg. Rohan is writing a letter.

Rohini is eating an orange.

Countable and Uncountable nouns

You have to keep in mind what are countable and uncountable nouns.

Names of items that can be counted are countable nouns. E.g. Apple, pen, table.

Names of items that cannot be counted are called uncountable nouns. E.g. rice, water, love.

We use 'an' before words beginning with a vowel sound. E.g. an egg, an honest person. (Remember children, in honest, the letter h is silent)

We use 'a' before words beginning with a consonant sound. E.g. a banana, a university. (Remember here, the word university begins with the letter u, which is pronounced as 'you', which begins with the consonant letter y.)

THE

#We use 'the' to particularise anything, that means, when we want to tell about a specific thing, about which it is already mentioned.

For example:-It is the umbrella that I wanted to buy.

#We use 'the' also before names of rivers, oceans, seas, mountains etc.

For example:-The Ganga, The Atlantic Ocean, The Red Sea, The Himalayas etc.

#'The' is also used in case of unique things which means that only one of that kind exists.

For example:- The sun, the moon, the sky etc.

Tap on the link given below to view the video about Articles. It will help you to understand the topic better.

<https://youtu.be/drTyYqbz6Xk>

Now it's activity time. Work out the following exercises:

A. Write A or AN before the nouns given below:

1. octopus.
2. crab.
3. insect.
4. umbrella
5. apple.
6. flag
7. bangle.
8. engine
9. uniform
10. onion
11. urn
12. hour

B) Fill up the following blanks with appropriate articles:-

1. Mary has _____ little lamb.
2. Hary bought _____ mango, _____ orange and _____ guava.
3. There is _____ University in this city.
4. _____ stars are above us in _____ sky.
5. There doesn't exist any living thing in _____ Dead Sea.
6. This is _____ blind man whom I saw yesterday.

7. _____ Indian Ocean is at _____ southern part of India

8. Have you seen _____ unicorn?

9. Are you aware of _____ mistake you had done?

10. _____ sun is a big ball of gases.

Ok, Bye children.

Take care.