

E8 – U3 – Question words and a/ an/ the

I. Complete each sentence with a suitable question word.

- _____ ethnic group has larger population, Cho Ro or Chu Ru? – ChoRo.
- _____ groups of languages do all ethnic groups speak? – Eight groups.
- _____ is the biggest house in the village? – It's the communal house.
- _____ arts are displayed in a museum in Da Nang city? – The Cham's.
- _____ do the San Diu mainly live? – In Quang Ninh province.
- _____ do the Thai hold ceremonies to worship their ancestors? – Every year.
- _____ is the village chief of the Phu La? – The oldest man.
- _____ is “*khan pieu*”? – It's a shawl with colorful embroidery.
- _____ do they cook five coloured sticky rice? – On special occasions

II. Change each sentence into a question using the question words in brackets.

- The Khmer have three main festivals in a year. (how many)

- Odu is the smallest ethnic group in Vietnam. (which)

- Ok Om Bok Festival is the biggest festival of Khmer people. (what)

- We can find terraced fields in the northern mountainous regions. (where)

III. Underline the correct option. This may include a space (–) for zero article. (zero article ở bài này dùng với danh từ không đếm được nhắc đến lần đầu tiên)

- Vietnam is a / an/ the multiethnic country with 54 ethnic groups.
- The Viet (Kinh) people account for 87% of a / the/ _ country's population.
- Chaul Chnam Thmey is a/ an/ the celebration of New Year by Khmers.
- Folk singing of the Bru-Van Kieu is popular, particularly cha chap and sim, the / a / an alternating chant between young men and women.
- Ancestor worship is the / a / – most important religious activity among the Bru-Van Kieu.
- The La Ha grow the/ – / a cotton but do not weave.
- The Rong house of the Xo Dang is a / an / the big stilt house with a high roof which looks like a /an / the axe.
- The young Co Ho women play an / a / the active role in marriage.

9. The Ba Na are one of *the / a / an* oldest ethnic minority groups living in *a / – / the* Central Highlands.
10. *The / A / –* right of inheritance in Ede families is only for *the / – / a* daughters.
11. Y Phon lives in the city, but his family still live in *a / the / –* small village in *a / – / the* mountains.
12. *A / The / –* M'Nong live in houses built on *the / – / a* stilts or level with *a / – / the* ground.