

Grammar

so, such, too, enough, little, few

1 Complete the sentences. Choose A, B or C.

- 1 We have (A) too many (B) enough (C) so few milk.
- 2 I only eat (A) too few (B) a little (C) too much meat.
- 3 It was (A) such a (B) so (C) such delicious meal.
- 4 I've got (A) so much (B) so many (C) so little tomatoes in my garden this year.
- 5 There aren't (A) too little (B) so few (C) enough eggs to make a cake.
- 6 The recipe was (A) too much (B) so (C) such hard to understand.
- 7 There's (A) few (B) little (C) such time to cook in the evenings.
- 8 The market has (A) such (B) few (C) so fresh food.
- 9 This coffee is (A) too (B) enough (C) so much hot to drink.
- 10 I don't eat (A) so much (B) few (C) enough vegetables.

2 Some of these sentences contain mistakes. Correct the mistakes you find and put a tick (✓) next to the sentences which are correct.

- 1 This is really tasteless. I don't think the sauce was cooked for long enough.
- 2 It only takes ~~so few~~ ^{a little} time to make an omelette.
- 3 The problem is children generally eat too little vegetables.
- 4 Most of the food we buy in supermarkets has too much packaging.
- 5 It's been such long time since I've had fresh strawberries.
- 6 She's much too thin. I'm worried about her.
- 7 There's so many salt in this that I can't eat it.
- 8 The restaurant wasn't so good as I had expected.
- 9 He can cook much more better than I can.
- 10 There isn't enough tomatoes for the salad.

Vocabulary

Food and diet

1 **EP** Circle the correct word.

- 1 I generally prefer healthy food / diet like salads to things like hamburgers.
- 2 The dishes in this cookery book are very *elaborate* / *exclusive* and contain too many ingredients.
- 3 Athletes need to eat a very well-balanced *diet* / *food*.
- 4 Some people eat only raw *food* / *meals* because they think it's healthier.
- 5 You need to know how to cook a few *simple* / *fresh* dishes.
- 6 *Convenience* / *Organic* food often contains too much salt.
- 7 Don't eat *filling* / *heavy* snacks just before your main meal.
- 8 Experts have warned there may be a water *supply* / *shortage* this year.
- 9 Insects are becoming popular as a *food* / *diet* source.
- 10 We eat our main *meal* / *dish* at about 8 p.m.

Example:

- 0 They only had a little money to spend at the supermarket.
MUCH
 They ~~didn't have much~~
 money to spend at the supermarket.

Write **only** the missing words **IN CAPITAL LETTERS**.

- 1 I'd rather eat at home than go out.
INSTEAD
I'd rather eat at home _____ out.
- 2 'I suggest you have the fish,' the waiter said to me.
ADVISED
The waiter _____ the fish.
- 3 There weren't enough eggs to make pancakes for breakfast.
FEW
There _____ eggs to make pancakes for breakfast.
- 4 This dish needs more salt in it.
ENOUGH
This dish _____ in it.
- 5 'I'm sorry, Madam, the fish has all gone.'
LEFT
'I'm sorry, Madam, there _____ now.'
- 6 This chocolate cake recipe is better than the one my mother uses.
AS
The chocolate cake recipe my mother uses _____ this one.

Reading and Use of English | Part 3

For questions 1–8, read the text below. Use the word given in capitals at the end of some of the lines to form a word that fits in the gap in the same line. There is an example at the beginning (0).



Edible rooftops

With the cost of producing and distributing food becoming (0) increasingly **INCREASE** expensive, consumers are having to pay far higher prices for their food. In many cities around the world this has led to a new (1) to produce food **MOVE** which is grown (2) The idea is to cut the distances food has to travel and to have (3) sources of fresh vegetables available for **LOCAL** people living in big cities. **RELY**

The main (4) with growing vegetables in a city is that land is **DIFFICULT** very expensive, so using space which is currently being wasted, such as rooftops, is seen as one (5) There are hundreds of unused places that could **SOLVE** play an important role in creating a more sustainable environment, although clearly it would be (6) for rooftop gardens to provide all the vegetables **POSSIBLE** needed for a whole city, especially as rooftops are not the (7) **EASY** places to grow vegetables. There needs to be a good supply of rainwater and plants need some (8) from the wind. **PROTECT**