

Asynchronous activity – Construcción de Frases y Expresiones

GRAMMAR

There is and there are with count and non-count nouns

GOAL

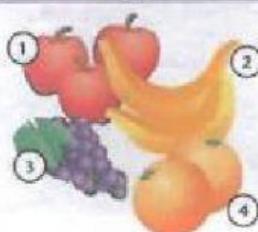
Ask for a restaurant recommendation

VOCABULARY

Categories of food

A  2:22 Read and listen. Then listen again and repeat. Add another food to each category.
Answers will vary.

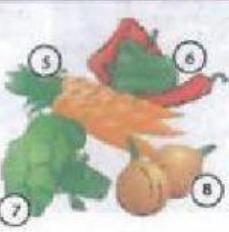
fruit



1 apples 2 bananas
3 grapes 4 oranges

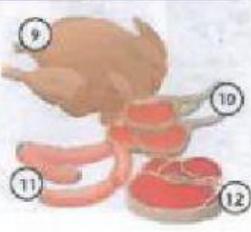
mangoes

vegetables



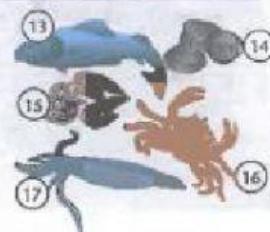
5 carrots 6 peppers
7 broccoli 8 onions

meat



9 chicken 10 lamb
11 sausage 12 beef

seafood



13 fish 14 clams
15 shrimp 16 crab
17 squid

grains



18 pasta 19 rice
20 noodles 21 bread

dairy products



22 butter 23 cheese
24 milk 25 yogurt

oils



26 corn oil 27 olive oil
28 coconut oil

sweets



29 candy 30 pie
31 cake 32 cookies

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Use there is with non-count nouns and singular count nouns.

Use there are with plural count nouns.

There's milk and an apple in the fridge.

There are oranges, too. But there aren't any vegetables.

Use there is with anything and nothing.

Is there anything to eat? (No, there is nothing.)

NOT Are there anything to eat?

Remember:

- Count nouns name things you can count. They are singular or plural.
- Non-count nouns name things you cannot count. They are not singular or plural.
- Don't use a, an, or a number with non-count nouns.
rice NOT a rice NOT ries

See page 122 for a more complete list of non-count nouns.

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- More on non-count nouns
- Expressing quantities
- How much / how many
- Spelling rules

We use **there is** / **there are** to talk about what exists.

Watch the video

Write 2 examples using “there is” and 2 examples using “there are”

1- _____.

2- _____.

3- _____.

4- _____.