

Articles

12 *a, the, or nothing?*

1 Complete the sentences with *a/an* or *the*.

- 1 Pat and Peter are a lovely couple. She has a shop and he's an engineer.
- 2 We went to the cinema to see a film about Tolstoy, a Russian writer.
- 3 It was my friend's birthday yesterday. I bought her a bunch of flowers and a box of chocolates. She put the flowers in a lovely glass vase.
- 4 'Where are the children?' 'They're playing in the garden.'
- 5 'Where are my shoes?' 'They're on the floor in the kitchen.'
- 6 I'd love to live in a house with a balcony near the sea.
- 7 Before you go to bed, can you feed the cat and turn off the lights?
- 8 We drove into the countryside last weekend and found a lovely restaurant next to the River Thames. The food was excellent.