

the object is specified
things, which are unique
general geographical areas
generalization about classes of things using singular countable nouns
with names when there are two people with the same name to specify which one we mean
with an adjective to describe a person, or another noun that tells us his job
a family as a whole
before superlative adjectives
with ordinal numerals
with the names of musical instruments when indicating what kind of musical instrument is played
in the adverbial modifiers of time
with decades of years
in the adverbial modifiers of place

The Robinsons are away today.
We're going to the beach on holidays.
I read about it in the books.
He plays the piano very well.
The dog in front of the house was very dirty.
He is the finest young man around.
Read the third page.
The computer has revolutionised publishing.
The Earth moves around the Sun.
He wrote several books in the eighties.
We saw Nina the other day.
I prefer the late Michael Jackson.
That's not the Stephen Fraser I went to school with.

Insert the right article:

It was ___ amazing view. ___ girl was sitting on ___ lawn. ___ dog was lying near her.

She dreamt of visiting ___ beach.

When I woke up, ___ bright warm sun was shining in ___ blue tender sky.

I'm saving money to buy ___ bicycle.

You are not ___ Michael, who I fell in ___ love with, anymore!

___ Sun is ___ largest star in ___ universe.

___ works of ___ early Yesenin can be considered ___ works of art.

We were swimming across ___ river for ___ long time and finally got to ___ opposite bank.

She fell in ___ love with ___ Michael many years ago.

___ girl, whose dog was running on ___ lawn, was reading ___ book.

It is ___ fourth phone I have broken.

We read poems of Yesenin in ___ eighth grade.

___ life of ___ Kardashians was interesting to all ___ Americans.

___ atmosphere of ___ twenties is fascinating and glamorous.

___ bicycle has become one of ___ most popular means of transport nowadays.

I didn't have time to meet you ___ day before yesterday.

She used to spend her holidays at ___ seaside.

When we gather together, he always plays ___ guitar and sings our favorite songs.