

## Zero article

countable plural nouns in general
uncountable and abstract nouns
a unique position of a job
with proper names, surnames, nicknames
before a superlative adjectives in informal speech
with the names of holidays, special times of the year, days, months
with winter, spring, summer, autumn
times of the day and night (midday, midnight, noon)
with means of transport (by bus) and communication (by e-mail)
games

The dog's name is Buck.
In summer I spend much time outdoors.
- Why did you choose this hotel? - It was cheapest.
I contacted her by e-mail.
Cars pollute air.
We met on Monday.
I'd like to get there by noon.
I don't like coffee.
She has been appointed Head of the company.
He has been playing football for 3 years.

## Choose the right preposition:

\_\_ Students start \_\_ school at \_\_ age of 6.

He has been playing \_\_ tennis since he was 3.

He used to work as \_\_ Head of the Sells Department in \_\_ famous company.

My dog \_\_ Shtulp is \_\_ crazy little fellow.

\_\_ Students of this school wrote \_\_ most beautiful song.

I can't drink \_\_ coffee without \_\_ sugar.

He used to work as \_\_ top manager in \_\_ famous company.

\_\_ Queen Elizabeth II has been reigning for \_\_ ages.

What \_\_ magic atmosphere is created on \_\_ New Year's Eve!

After \_\_ accident he wasn't \_\_ Johnny I had studied with at \_\_ school.

Mum, I'm gonna brush up for \_\_ stupid Math test. Bring me \_\_ hugest plate of \_\_ burgers.

I can't imagine \_\_ Sunday morning without \_\_ coffee.

He suffers from \_\_ heat in \_\_ summer and hates \_\_ cold in \_\_ winter.

They are so old-fashioned! They contact with their suppliers by \_\_ fax.