

GRAMMAR

Determiners

1 Read the sentences in Exercise 6 on page 64 again and underline all the examples of *a/an* and *the*.

- 1 It's the largest city in the world.
- 2 Every year, there's a big carnival here.
- 3 Lots of films are made here.
- 4 The city has a lot of bridges.
- 5 The Olympic Games were in this city in 2016.
- 6 It has a statue that's known around the world.
- 7 It's the second-biggest city in China.
- 8 Its most famous cathedral is on an island.

Choose the correct word to complete the rules.

We use **the** / **a/an** to introduce something for the first time.

We use **the** / **a/an** to talk about something already mentioned; with superlatives; if there is only one in the world; in front of *first*, *second*, etc.

2 Complete the email with *the* or *a/an*.

To: Camilla

From: Rosa

Reply Forward

I'm having (1) _____ great holiday in Rome with my family! Today we visited (2) _____ Colosseum, and we went to (3) _____ fantastic museum called MAXXI. Afterwards, my brother and I each had (4) _____ ice cream in (5) _____ city centre. We both said it was (6) _____ best ice cream in (7) _____ world! Tomorrow, we're going to see (8) _____ Trevi Fountain and also (9) _____ palace – but I can't remember which one. Rome is (10) _____ really wonderful city!



PRONUNCIATION

the



3 Listen and repeat. When do we say /ði:/ and when do we say /ðə/?

/ði:/ the	/ðə/ the
the oldest	the youngest
the east	the north
the Atlantic Ocean	the Pacific Ocean
the Olympic Games	the World Cup

/ði:/ : _____

/ðə/ : _____

4 Put the words into the correct column in the table.

the apple	the Arctic
the dog	the Earth
the Indian Ocean	the North Sea
the orange	the River Nile
the Statue of Liberty	the umbrella

/ði:/ the

/ðə/ the



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Listen and check. Then repeat.

- 5 Read the examples below and underline all the examples of *all*, *both*, *other* and *another*. Choose the correct word to complete the rules.

All the questions are about cities.

Are you all ready?

The city has both beaches and museums.

Central Park and Times Square are both popular.

There are many other great places to visit.

The other famous thing here is the statue of Jesus.

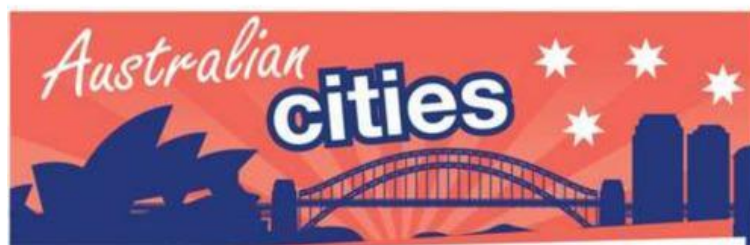
There's another beautiful church in the city.

We use *all* / *both* to talk about two things.

We use *all* / *both* to talk about a total number of things.

Another / *Other* means 'one more'.

- 6 Complete the text about Australian cities with *all*, *both*, *other* and *another*. Use each word twice.



Australian cities have a lot to offer visitors to the country. (1) _____ visitors to Australia should go to Sydney. It's the largest and oldest city in the country, and (2) _____ the Opera House and Harbour Bridge are important world-famous monuments. (3) _____ popular cities are Perth, Brisbane and Cairns.

Cairns is in Queensland, in the northeast of Australia. From this city, you can enjoy (4) _____ the rainforest and the ocean, including the Great Barrier Reef.

(5) _____ thing you can do in Cairns is learn (6) _____ about the culture of the Aboriginal people of Australia.

Melbourne is (7) _____ great Australian city. It has excellent museums and also a modern arts centre. Phillip Island is not far from Melbourne, and you can see koalas, penguins, kangaroos and many (8) _____ animals here.

- 7 Correct the mistakes in the sentences.

- 1 It's a biggest museum in my town.
2 It's not boring like others computer games.
3 The T-shirts cost both £15.
4 This phone has very good screen and camera.
5 I went to park and I played football with my friends.
6 We went on holiday to the Edinburgh.

- 8 In pairs, write a city quiz.

- Choose three cities.
- Write some notes about each one.
- Describe the cities to another pair of students.
- Can they guess your cities? Can you guess theirs?

a/an / the

We use **a** or **an** when we introduce something for the first time and when we talk about things in general.

*I visited **a** museum in Paris.*

*I bought **an** ice cream and **a** can of lemonade.*

We use **the**:

- when we talk about something already mentioned.
*I visited **a** museum in Paris. **The** museum was very old.*
- before superlatives.
*London is **the** **biggest** city in England.*
- before *first*, *second*, etc.
***The** first man to walk on the moon was Neil Armstrong.*
- when there is only one of something.
*I went to **the** sea to swim.* (There's only one near.)

1 Complete the conversation with a/an or the.

Matt: Where did you go on holiday?

Jane: We went to St Malo. It's (1) _____ town in France.

Matt: Did you have a good time?

Jane: Yes, we went to (2) _____ beach every day and we swam in (3) _____ sea. In the evening, we ate in (4) _____ very good restaurant near our hotel.

Matt: What was the name of (5) _____ restaurant?

Jane: I can't remember. I bought you (6) _____ T-shirt. It was (7) _____ nicest one in the shop.

Matt: Thank you, Jane. You're (8) _____ first person to buy me a present from their holiday.

both / all

- We use **both** to talk about two things.
***Both** Rachel and Ruth enjoy going to the theatre.*
(not *~~The both Rachel and Ruth~~ ...*)
- We use **all** to talk about a total number of people or things.
*We visited **all** the museums in the city.*

another / other

- We use **another** with a singular noun to talk about 'one other' person or thing. We write it as one word.
*This café is closed. There's **another** one over there.*
- We use **other** with plural nouns and uncountable nouns to talk about people or things in general which are different from the ones we are talking about.
*We wanted to see the palace and the cathedral, but my sister wanted to visit **other** places.*
(not *~~another~~ places*)
*Were there **other** people there?*
- We use **the other** with singular or plural nouns to talk about one or more things already mentioned.
*We didn't eat in **the other** restaurant.* (= We know there are only two restaurants.)
***The other** famous places to visit are all in the old town.* (= We are talking about a list of famous places.)

2 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences.

- 1 This pencil is broken. Can I have *another / other* one?
- 2 *All / Both* my parents work in the city centre.
- 3 My friends want to write about their last holiday, but I've got *another / other* idea.
- 4 They built a new bridge because *another / the other* bridge is very old.
- 5 My dad's got five brothers and sisters. They *all / both* live near us.
- 6 I'd like to study *all / both* maths and science when I go to university.

3 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

all an another both
other the

- 1 The website didn't give me much information, so I had to look at _____ websites.
- 2 I don't know what to get Sam for his birthday. Can you give me _____ idea?
- 3 _____ the cheaper hotels were full, so we stayed in a really expensive one.
- 4 She's lost her map, so she'll need to buy _____ one.
- 5 We didn't spend much time in _____ art gallery because there were a lot of people inside.
- 6 'Do you prefer the green or the blue scarf?'
'I think _____ scarves are nice.'

2 Read the descriptions in Exercise 1 again. What are the cities?

1 _____ 3 _____
2 _____ 4 _____

3 Correct the mistakes in three of the sentences. Which two are correct?

- 1 I live on the Black Street at number 10.
- 2 Vancouver has both mountains and beaches.
- 3 All the students were waiting to go into the new museum.
- 4 We had an sports competition today.
- 5 I want a penfriend in other country.

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1 Choose the correct words to complete the descriptions of cities.

- 1 This is one of *a / the* most beautiful cities in Europe. It's *a / the* capital of the Netherlands and it's famous for its bridges and museums. It's *a / the* great place for riding a bike.
- 2 This is one of *a / the* biggest cities in the United States of America. Tourists come here to see *a / the* Statue of Liberty and visit art galleries like the Museum of Modern Art. The city is called *all / both* 'the city that never sleeps' and 'The Big Apple'.
- 3 This city is in the United Kingdom. There are many reasons to visit this city – the parks, museums and shops are *all / both* excellent. *Another / Other* reason visitors come here is to go to the theatre. The Olympic Games were here in 2012.
- 4 This city is Russia's capital. It has *the / a* very famous square in its centre. It is called Red Square. There are some beautiful cathedrals here, as well as lots of *other / another* interesting buildings.

4 Complete the article with the words in the box. You can use some words more than once.

a all both the

CARDIFF

Cardiff is ¹ _____ capital city of Wales. It's not ² _____ large city, but it's ³ _____ biggest one in Wales. Cardiff is very friendly. It's ⁴ _____ good city to visit because there's lots to do there. It's by the sea and it has parks, shops and restaurants. It also has ⁵ _____ theatres and stadiums. ⁶ _____ the road signs in Cardiff are in two languages: Welsh and English. ⁷ _____ these languages are spoken in Cardiff, but ⁸ _____ first language of most people there is English.