

Countable and Uncountable Nouns + some, any, much, many and a lot of

1) What is countable and uncountable noun?

Countable Nouns	Uncountable Nouns
Things or food that we can count.	Things or food that we can't count.
We use a or an or plural forms.	We don't use a or an and plural forms.
Examples:	Examples:
1) I eat <u>a sandwich</u> today. 2) I eat <u>an apple</u> today. 3) I eat <u>apples</u> today.	1. I drink juice today. 2. They drink juice today.

2) When should we use *some*, *any*, *much*, *many* and *a lot of*?

	Countable	Uncountable
Question words (When asking questions)	many/any Example: How <u>many</u> apples do you have? Do you have <u>any</u> book?	much/any Example: How <u>much</u> milk left? Do you have <u>any</u> water?
Quantity words (Normal sentences)	Many • we use it in negative sentence Example: There isn't <u>many</u> bananas here.	Much • we use it in negative sentence Example: There isn't <u>much</u> bread here.
	Some, any, a lot of	
	 Example: There are some tomatoes here. There aren't many grapes. There are a lot of carrots here.	 Example: There some meat here. There isn't any juice here. There is a lot of bread here.

Practice 1: Look at the picture given. Then, drag and drop the words below to the correct answer.

meat

vegetables

pears

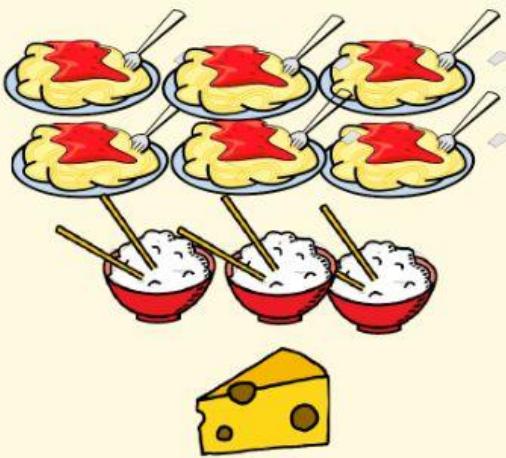
crisps

rice

cheese

grapes

pasta



Unountable

Countable

1. There's a lot of pasta.

1. There are a lot of vegetables.

2. There's some _____.

2. There are some _____.

3. There isn't much _____.

3. There aren't many _____.

4. There isn't any _____.

4. There aren't any _____.

Practice 2: Fill in the blanks using “much” and “many”.

Questions

Answer

1) How _____ meat do vegetarians eat?

They don't eat any meat.

2) How _____ vitamins are there in white rice?

There aren't many vitamins in white rice.

3) How _____ fat is there in chocolate?

There's a lot of fat in chocolate.

4) How _____ fruit is there in fizzy drinks?

There isn't usually much fruit in fizzy drinks.

5) How _____ people can't eat nuts?

There are some people who can't eat nuts.