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Std 3 English

Articles (a, an , the)

Exercise 1: Fill in the blanks with 'a' or 'an'.

1. Anuar bought _____ bicycle for his son.
2. She keeps _____ umbrella in her bag.
3. She is writing _____ letter to her sister.
4. Several men robbed _____ bank yesterday.
5. Mr Ranjit bought _____ new camera.
6. Meena is sitting next to _____ tall girl.
7. My father ate _____ egg for breakfast.
8. I have _____ aunt in Singapore.
9. She wrote the address on _____ envelope.
10. He peeled _____ orange by himself.



Exercise 2: Fill in the blanks with 'a' or 'an'.

1. _____ orange



2. _____ apple

3. _____ book



4. _____ oven

5. _____ house



6. _____ church

7. _____ teacher

8. _____ uncle

9. _____ hour



10. _____ old woman

11. _____ pen

12. _____ umbrella

13. _____ owl

14. _____ school

15. _____ finger

16. _____ onion



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Exercise 3: Circle the correct answers.

1 Please lend me a an ruler.

2 Mr Lau bought a an new house last month.

3 Swee Kok is a an honest boy.

4 Zubair goes to a the mosque every Friday.

5 There is a an post office near my house.

6 An A eagle is flying over the trees.

7 Mr Kwek has a an motorcycle. He washes a the motorcycle every week.

8 The A little boy cries when he sees a an elephant in the zoo.

Exercise 4: Fill in the blanks with 'a', 'an' or 'the'.

1 My neighbour met with _____ accident last month.

2 Would you like _____ orange or _____ mango?

3 _____ woman sitting on the chair is our headmistress.

4 There is _____ rambutan tree in front of my house.

5 Lai Ying's ambition is to be _____ engineer.

6 Please do not play in _____ middle of _____ road.

7 This is not _____ dress I want.

8 This is _____ boy who planted the flowers.

9 Malaysia is situated near _____ equator.

10 Mrs Wan is slicing _____ onion with _____ knife.



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Exercise 5: Fill in the blanks with 'a', 'an' or 'the'.

- 1 On a rainy day, you can't go out without _____ umbrella.
- 2 Amir is _____ thinnest boy in his class.
- 3 Zarina lives in _____ apartment in Klang. _____ apartment is very clean.
- 4 Sarawak is _____ largest state in Malaysia while Pahang is _____ largest state in Peninsular Malaysia.
- 5 A chicken is _____ type of domestic fowl. _____ female of a chicken is called a hen and _____ male of a chicken is called a rooster.
- 6 _____ Eskimos live in igloos. _____ igloo is built using snow blocks.
- 7 My leg got injured during my football training last week. After _____ training session, I went to see _____ doctor.
- 8 _____ coffee that I made has too much sugar but _____ coffee that my mother made was just perfect.
- 9 My sister bought me _____ pair of sports shoes. _____ shoes are too small for me.

Exercise 6: Fill in the blanks with 'a', 'an' or 'the'.

Article	Noun
1	Indian
2	eye
3	house
4	car
5	unicorn

Article	Noun
6	onion
7	Pacific Ocean
8	author
9	National Museum
10	hotel

Exercise 7: Fill in the blanks with the correct articles.

Mrs Lee goes to _____ market every morning. She usually brings
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2 empty basket with her. Today, she buys _____ chicken,

some fish and vegetables. She also buys some oranges and _____ comb
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of bananas. _____ oranges cost 80 cents each. She puts all the things
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into _____ basket. Then, she has her breakfast in a restaurant. She has
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7 egg and two pieces of toast. After breakfast, she goes home by

bus. _____ bus comes at 8.30 a.m.
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