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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

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

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

Mrs Lee goes to _____
1_____ market every morning. She usually brings

2_____ empty basket with her. Today, she buys _____
3_____ chicken,
some fish and vegetables. She also buys some oranges and _____
4_____ comb
of bananas. _____
5_____ oranges cost 80 cents each. She puts all the things
into _____
6_____ basket. Then, she has her breakfast in a restaurant. She has

7_____ egg and two pieces of toast. After breakfast, she goes home by
bus. _____
8_____ bus comes at 8.30 a.m.

