

1. Select the correct form.

- 1) *The hydrogen / Hydrogen* is lighter than the *atmosphere / atmosphere*.
- 2) *Windows / The windows* are made of the glass / glass.
- 3) Many people say they are interested in the *nature / nature* and the environment.
- 4) We're studying the *grammar / a grammar of the English / English*.
- 5) Most experts agree that *ice / the ice* at the North and South Pole is melting.
- 6) *The gravity / Gravity* is the force / force of attraction between *masses / the masses*.
- 7) *The global warming / Global warming* is causing *rise / a rise* in temperature.
- 8) *Scientists / The scientists* have discovered *a new galaxy / the new galaxy*.

2. Correct the mistakes with the articles in the following sentences.

1) I like to spend time in an open air.

2) I'm very interested in the history, especially history of South America.

3) We are having a good weather this year.

4) I'm going to do a shopping. Do you want anything from the supermarket?

5) A Yangtze is the famous river in China.

6) I was late for the school yesterday.

7) An Atlantic Ocean is smaller than a Pacific.

8) Japanese make very good electronic products.

3. Read the text and fill in the blanks with a / an, the or zero article.

No gain without pain

Pain is necessary. It is _____ body's way of telling us that something is wrong. However _____ scientists do not understand how pain works. People experience _____ pain in different ways. It depends on _____ different biological factors.

There is _____ very rare condition where the sufferer doesn't feel any pain. Doctors have only found 33 people with this condition. In one case _____ young child broke his ankle and continued

to play and run. One possible cause may be a lack of 'betaendorphin', _____ chemical which is responsible for controlling _____ pain.

_____ pain stops us from doing things that can hurt us like putting our hand in _____ fire, or burning ourselves with _____ boiling water. It also means that we do something to protect _____ injured part of our body. For example, we are careful to avoid putting weight on _____ injured ankle. This child mentioned above will keep hitting his head but it doesn't hurt him. On the other hand, _____ normal children learn to be careful because their mistakes are painful.

4. Translate the text to English. Be mindful of the articles.

Има фантастичен турски ресторант в нашия град. Собствениците са двойка от Истанбул. Те живеят във Великобритания сега. Айла, жената, е архитект, но работи в ресторанта вечерта. Окан, нейният съпруг, работи само в ресторанта. Те имат турски готвач - Кемал, и английски писател - Джо. Те имат много добро меню с много блюда. Ходим там един или два пъти в месеца за наистина вкусно хапване.