

Empower A2 U4A

1 GRAMMAR

Countable and uncountable nouns; *a/an, some, any*

a Underline the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 I need some bread / *breads* to make sandwiches.
- 2 Excuse me. Have you got any *carrot* / carrots?
- 3 The *pastas are* / pasta is really good in this restaurant.
- 4 I'd like *some lamb* / a lamb, please.
- 5 The *fruits are* / fruit is really fresh in this market.
- 6 You can buy fantastic *cheese* / cheeses in this market.
- 7 I love French *food* / foods – I think it's the best in the world.
- 8 Can you buy me some *milks* / milk from the supermarket?

b Underline the correct words to complete the conversation. (Sometimes there is more than one possible answer.)

NICK We can make ¹*any* / *a* / some sandwiches for lunch.

HELEN Good idea. Have we got ²*any* / *some* / *a* nice bread?

NICK Yes, we have. We've got ³*any* / *some* / *a* really fresh bread – it's still warm!

HELEN OK. Have we got ⁴*any* / *some* / *a* meat or chicken to put in them?

NICK Um, let me see. We haven't got ⁵*some* / *a* / *any* meat but we've got ⁶*some* / *a* / *any* chicken.

HELEN Never mind. Have we got ⁷*a* / *some* / *any* cheese in the fridge?

NICK Yes, we've got ⁸*some* / *a* / *any* French cheese and ⁹*any* / *a* / *some* Swiss cheese.

HELEN OK. And what about vegetables? Have we got ¹⁰*a* / *any* / *some*?

NICK Yes, we've got ¹¹*a* / *some* / *any* mushrooms and there's ¹²*a* / *any* / *some* big tomato. But I'm afraid we haven't got ¹³*a* / *some* / *any* onions.

HELEN OK. I can make ¹⁴*some* / *a* / *any* cheese and tomato sandwich for me and ¹⁵*a* / *any* / *some* chicken sandwich for you.