UNIT 4: FOOD AND DRINK

B. GRAMMAR:

Exercise 1: Read the information. Then read the sentences and choose the correct answers.

Countable nouns: Things that you can count, e.g. *one book*, *two books*; *one person*, *two people*. **Uncountable nouns:** Things that we don't normally count, e.g. *water*, *fun*.

1. *I went to the shop and bought two ice creams, one for me and one for you.*

In this sentence, '*ice cream*' is

- countable
- uncountable

2. *For dessert, we've got ice cream.* In this sentence, '*ice cream*' is

- countable
- uncountable

3. *In my family, we often have pizza for dinner. It's our favorite meal.* In this sentence, '*pizza*' is

- countable
- uncountable

4. *I ordered a takeaway pizza, but when it arrived, it was really small.* In this sentence, '*pizza*' is

- countable
- uncountable

5. *Would you like a chocolate?* In this sentence, '*chocolate*' is

- countable
- uncountable

6. *I never eat chocolate. It's too sweet for me.* In this sentence, '*chocolate*' is

- Countable
- uncountable

7. *Could we have three coffees, please?* In this sentence, '*coffee*' is

- countable
- uncountable

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8. *Do you like coffee?* In this sentence, '*coffee*' is

- countable
- uncountable

Exercise 2: Read the information. Then choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

We use *much* with singular uncountable nouns and *many* with plural nouns

1. How ***many / much*** meals do you eat every day?
2. We haven't got ***many / much*** bread. Can you buy some?
3. There wasn't ***many / much*** food at the party, so i'm still hungry!
4. You eat too ***many / much*** sweets. They're bad for your teeth.
5. Do you eat ***many/much*** fruit?
6. How ***many / much*** rice do you want? A lot or just a little?
7. You didn't cook ***many / much*** peas. Are you sure there are enough for all of us?
8. I don't want too ***many / much*** spaghetti. I'm not really hungry.
9. There's too ***many / much*** butter on that toast! It's not healthy.
10. I don't eat ***many / much*** eggs. I don't really like them.

Exercise 3: Choose the correct words to complete the text.

For breakfast, I usually have ***a / any / some*** toast and jam. I don't put ***a / any / some*** butter on my toast. I usually just drink ***a / any / some*** cup of tea with my breakfast. I don't put ***a / any / some*** sugar in my tea – I don't like sweet drinks. At the weekend, I often have ***a / any / some*** egg for breakfast. Then, at about 11 o'clock, I usually have ***a / any / some*** coffee break. I eat ***a / any / some*** biscuits – just two or three. Then for lunch, I usually have ***a / any/ some*** sandwich. I also eat ***a / any/ some*** fruit, like an apple or an orange. I never eat ***a / any / some*** crisps – they're really unhealthy.

Exercise 4: Complete the description of how to make scrambled eggs. Use *a*, *the*, *some* or *any*.

1. You will need _____ butter, two or three eggs and _____ large frying pan.
2. First of all, break _____ eggs into _____ bowl.
3. Make sure there aren't _____ pieces of eggshell in _____ bowl.
4. Mix _____ eggs with _____ fork .
5. Now melt _____ butter in _____ frying pan.
6. When _____ butter has melted, pour _____ eggs into the frying pan.

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7. Use _____ wooden spoon to stir the eggs in _____ pan .
8. When it's nearly ready, add _____ salt and pepper to _____ eggs.
9. Keep mixing _____ eggs with _____ wooden spoon.
10. When it's ready, serve _____ scrambled eggs with _____ toast.

Exercise 5: Choose the correct answers to complete the sentences.

1. I eat ***a few / a little / a lot of*** cheese – too much, really, but I love it.
2. I made ***a few / a little / a lot of*** sandwiches, but our visitors still ate every single one!
3. When I was younger, I ate a lot of chocolate, but I eat ***fewer / less / more*** chocolate now – I'm trying to be healthier.
4. We prepared enough food for ten people, but there were a lot ***fewer / less / more*** people than that at the party. It was really crowded!
5. The extra-large pizza is perfect for four or more people. For ***fewer / less / more*** people, we recommend a normal pizza.
6. It's better to cook your own food than to buy fast food. Cooking usually takes ***fewer / less / more*** time, but it's much healthier.
7. A: So who did you invite for dinner?
   B: Just ***a few / a little / a lot of*** people – only three.
8. A: Do you want some milk or sugar in your coffee?
   B: Just ***a few / a little / a lot of*** milk, please. Not too much.
9. A: How much time do you spend cooking every day?
   B: ***A few / A little / A lot***! At least three hours every day.

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