

QUANTIFIERS: SOME/ANY

Plural Nouns

I have some cookies.

Uncountable Nouns

I need some water.

I don't have any cookies.

I don't need any water.

Do you have any cookies?

Do you need any water?

NOTE 1: With questions in which we expect the answer to be 'Yes', we can use 'some' instead of 'any'.

Example: "Could you please give me some bananas?"

NOTE 2: Some common uncountable nouns include coffee, food, help, homework, information, milk, money, paper, rice, salt, soup, sugar, tea, time, and water.

Fill in the blanks below to complete the sentences. Use 'some' or 'any'.

1. I don't need _____ money because I'm going to bring my lunch to school.
2. He doesn't have _____ pens, but I have _____ pens.
3. Our teacher didn't give us _____ homework yesterday.
4. I'm tired. Do we have _____ time to take a nap?
5. A: Do they have _____ library cards? B: No, they don't have _____.
6. Paul wants to buy _____ new shoes.
7. Excuse me, I need _____ information about the flight to Boston.
8. I don't have _____ paper, but Mary has _____.
9. Mr. Smith has _____ questions that he wants to ask you.
10. They have _____ apples, but they don't have _____ bananas.
11. I'm sorry, but we don't have _____ more tickets.
12. Thomas read _____ interesting books last month.

13. I bought _____ milk and _____ sugar at the supermarket.

14. A: Do you have _____ coins for the bus? B: No, I have _____.

15. I need _____ help with my homework.