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Nouns

I can use various types of nouns with the correct articles.

1 **SPEAKING** Rate the TV series genres in the box from 1 = 'I can't stand them' to 5 = 'I love them'. What other series genres can you think of? Discuss the series you like most.

(cookery programmes fantasy science fiction
silly humour cool vampires)

2 **03.21** Listen to a conversation between a media industry expert and a TV journalist. Why are more and more young people watching cookery programmes?

3 **03.21** Choose the correct option. Which one of the sentences is false? Listen again and check.

- 1 The latest **news** is / are that **food** has / have become the most popular subject for reality TV programmes.
- 2 **Research** tells / tell us that we spend more time watching food on TV than cooking it.
- 3 **Series** such as *The Great British Bake-Off* and *Masterchef* is / are very popular with young people.
- 4 Survey **information** suggest / suggests that people bake cakes to share on social media, not to eat.
- 5 The **interests** of young people isn't / aren't very difficult to predict.
- 6 **Life** is / are too short to stuff a mushroom!



5 Complete the sentences with the phrases in the box to reflect your opinions. Then compare with a partner.

(is too much are too many isn't enough
aren't enough)

- 1 There _____ news on the TV.
- 2 There _____ politics in the news.
- 3 There _____ TV series about crime.
- 4 There _____ women directors.
- 5 There _____ advice for young people about Internet safety.
- 6 There _____ furniture in my bedroom.

6 **USE OF ENGLISH** Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in brackets.