

1 Complete the sentences with the correct article.

a/an • a/an • 0 (no article) • the • the

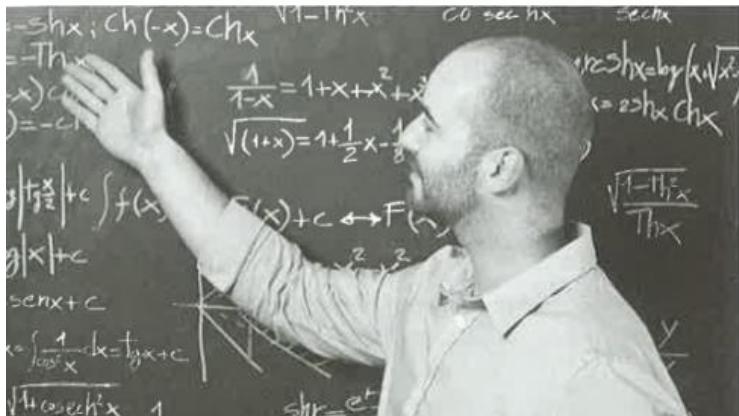
- 1 Now I live in flat.
- 2 I was having a lot of arguments with my parents about politics.
- 3 I'm restaurant manager.
- 4 flat's a bit small.
- 5 I recently moved into my own flat near beach.

2 Match the rules with the sentences from 1.

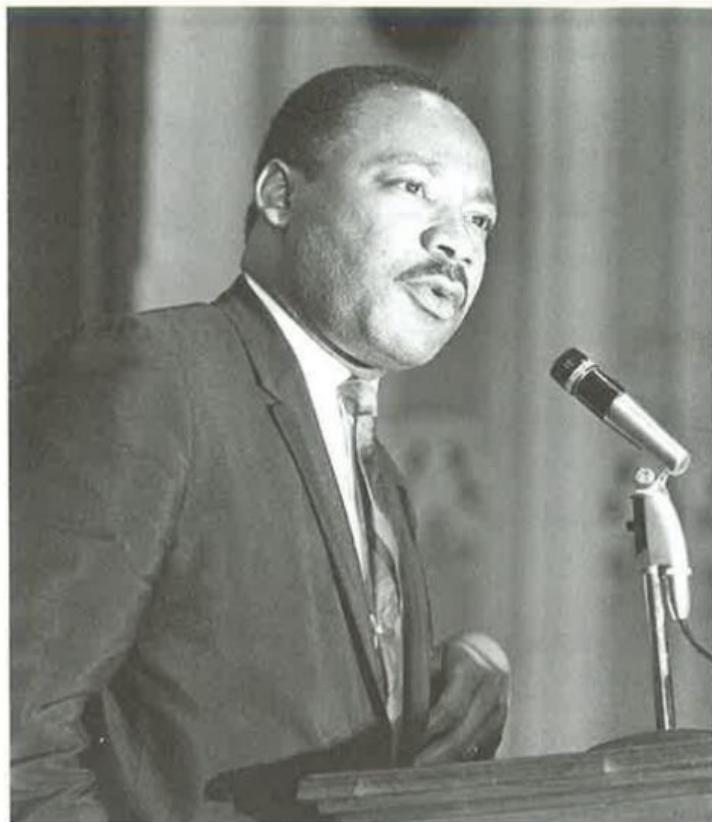
- a We use no article when we talk about things in general.
- b We use *the* to talk about a specific person or thing or previously mentioned person or thing.
- c We use *a/an* to talk about a singular, countable person or thing for the first time, or to say that the person or thing is one of a number of people or things.
- d We use *the* to talk about someone or something that is unique.
- e We use *a/an* to say what somebody's profession is.

3 Complete the sentences with *a/an* or *the*.

- 1 teacher in the photo looks very clever.
- 2 My brother has got new mobile phone!
- 3 What's title of that song?
- 4 He works for organisation that helps people.
- 5 boy behind you is Paul's cousin.
- 6 What's on TV? Can you pass remote control?
- 7 She's single. She hasn't got husband.
- 8 I have idea! Why don't we go out tomorrow?
- 9 Alex is name of my nephew.
- 10 My stepfather is builder.
- 11 He is director of the film we saw yesterday.
- 12 My sister wants to be economist.
- 13 Have you got new hat? I haven't seen it before.
- 14 coat you are wearing looks very warm.



4 Complete the famous quotes with *a/an*, *the* or 0 (no article).



- 1 'I have dream.' Martin Luther King
- 2 ' Earth goes round Sun.' Copernicus
- 3 'I paint objects as I think them, not as I see them.' Pablo Picasso
- 4 'To be or not to be, that is question.' William Shakespeare
- 5 ' Imagination/imagination is more important than knowledge.' Albert Einstein
- 6 'Nothing is more responsible for good old days than bad memory.' Franklin Pierce Adams
- 7 ' Only/only problem with common sense is that it is not very common.' Voltaire
- 8 ' Life/life is a dream.' Calderón de la Barca

GRAMMAR CHALLENGE

5 Cross out the extra word in the sentences.

- 1 I love the Italian food.
- 2 The English people I am know are really nice.
- 3 We are go to the shopping centre on Saturdays.
- 4 All you need is the love.
- 5 Is the food in this restaurant is good?
- 6 Does your brother is enjoy pop music?
- 7 Where do are you going now?
- 8 The vegetarians don't eat meat.
- 9 We don't not like the new restaurant.