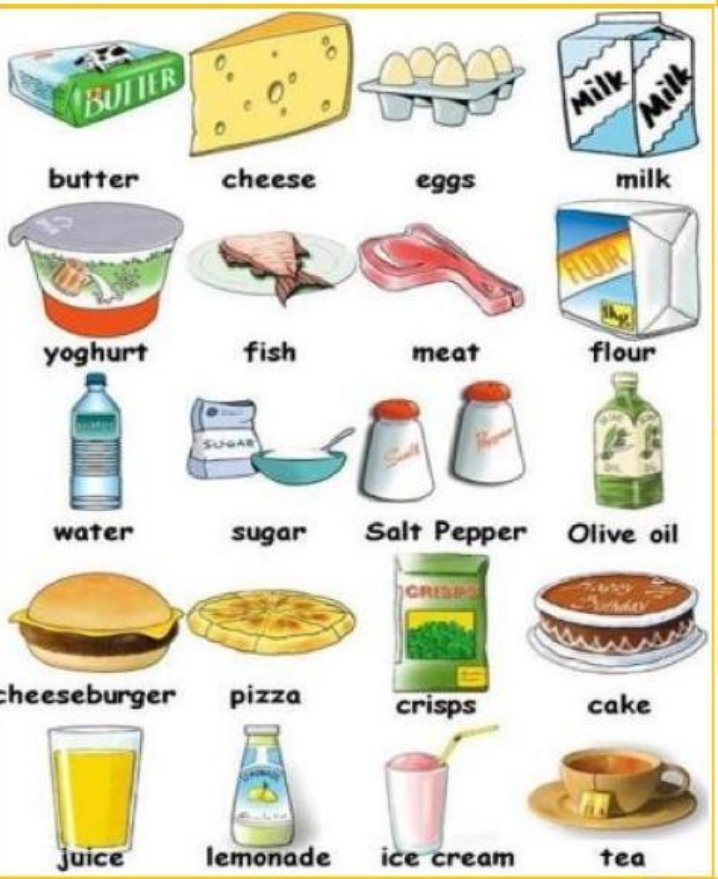
FOOD – COUNTABLE AND UNCOUNTABLE NOUNS

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COUNTABLE / UNCOUNTABLE NOUS

COUNTABLE NOUS

- Nouns you **can count**
- you can use a / an in front of countable nouns.
- Nouns that have a plural form.

UNCOUNTABLE NOUNS

- Nouns you **can´t count**
- Normally, you can´t use a / an in front of uncountable nouns
- Nouns that normally don´t have a plural form

- We can make uncountable nouns countable to express quantity. We add a unit or a quantity with **"OF"**

E.g. a **bar of** chocolate

HOW MUCH…? / HOW MANY…?

- **How much** + uncountable noun
  E.g. How much ham?
- **How many** + countable noun
  E.g.: How many rashers and sausages

QUANTIFIERS

A **quantifier**, as its name implies, expresses quantity. Quantifiers can be a single word or a phrase and are used with nouns. They can be used with either a countable or an uncountable noun to express amount or quantity.

- **some** + plural nouns or uncountable singular forms. (has an affirmative meaning)
- **any** + plural nouns or uncountable singular forms. (is used with negative sentences and questions.
- **much** + plural nouns
- **a lot of** + uncountable or plural nouns(is more usual in affirmative sentences)
- **a little** + singular uncountable nouns (has a positive meaning)

CONTAINERS AND QUANTITIES



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- **a few** + plurals (has a positive meaning.)

- **no** + zero quantity (no = not any)

a) Use a / an or some and write C for countable or U for uncountable.

b) Use a / an or some and write C for countable or U for uncountable.

water – bread – lemons – chocolate – sugar – tea – milk – oranges- cheese – coffee – eggs

- ____ money ___
- ____ ponds ____
- ____ cup of tea ____
- ____sugar____
- ____ bar of chocolate____
- ____ ice-cream _____
- ____rice _____
- ____ glass of water_____
- ____ coffee _____
- ____ cake _____
- ____ eggs_____
- ____ orange_____

Countable
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c) Ask questions using how much or how many

(eggs)
_____?
(meat)
_____?
(jam)
_____?
(water)
_____?
(flour)
_____?
(tea)
_____?
(oranges)
_____?
(oil)
_____?

d) Choose the correct word / expression and complete the sentences.

some – how much – how many – any

- _____ sandwiches have you got?
- Is there _____ milk in the fridge?
- _____ sugar do you need?
- can you see _____ fruit on the table?
- _____ friends have you got?
- My mother has _____ chocolate for us.
- Mary makes _____ nice scones for tea.

e) Use the words in the box and complete as the example

- bar
- six-pack
- tube
- roll
- head
- bottle
- bunch
- dozen
- slice
- cup
- carton
- jar
- box
- bag
- can



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- There is _____ high school in Florence.
- He hasn´t got _ money.
- Would you like some tea?
- Mark likes to read. He has got _____ of books.
- It cost _____ money to travel round the world.
- I haven´t got V time to spend with you. I´m sorry.
- Mrs. Milles went to the supermarket to buy some butter but they didn´t have _____
- I´d like some cake too. Please, give me _____
- Mr. Smith wants to buy a new car, but he can´t because he doesn´t earn that _____.
- Their party cost _ more than they expected.
- Don´t buy _____ carrots!
- Get _____ bread from the bakery , please.
- There aren´t _____ vegetables in the fridge. I´m going to buy _____.
- The shop has got _____ clothes on the shelves.

- flour / fridge / pantry

  Is there any flour in the fridge?- No there isn´t, but there is some in the pantry.

- Orange juice / pantry / fridge
- _____? _____,

  _____.

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