

QUANTIFIERS

What are Quantifiers?

Quantifiers tell us how many people or things there are.
They are used with **plural nouns**.

Structure: **Quantifier** + **plural noun**

Examples:

- **Many** families live in this neighborhood.
- **Some** children go to school by bus.
- **Few** people understand this rule.
- **Some** parents work from home.
- **Few** teenagers read newspapers.
- **All** students are ready.

When do we use 'OF'?

We use **OF** when we talk about:

- A specific group
- Possessive adjectives (my, your, their...)
- Pronouns (them, us...)

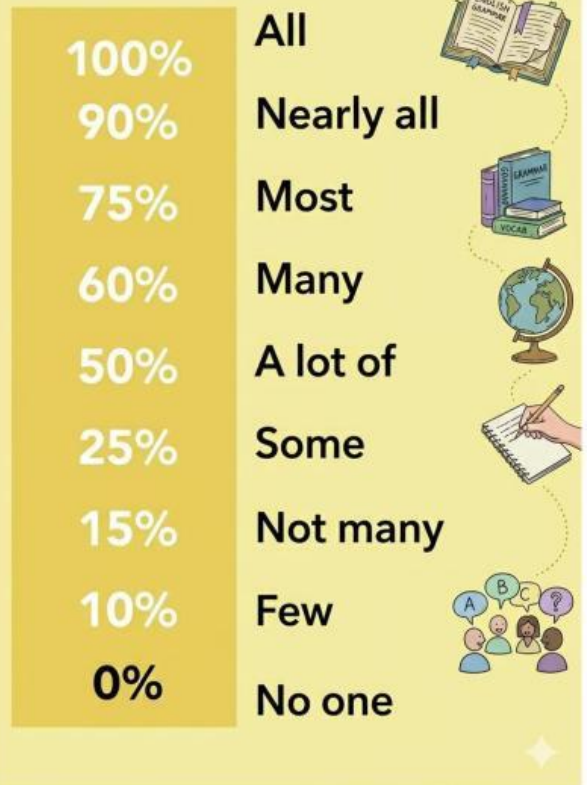
Structure: **Quantifier** + **of** + **determiner/pronoun**

Examples:

- **Many** **of my** cousins live in Bogotá.
- **Some** **of the** parents are teachers.
- **Most** **of them** are married.
- **A lot of the** children play soccer.
- **Few** **of us** understand the problem.

NOT correct: ~~Many my cousins/Some them~~

Quantifiers



Exercise 1 – Choose the correct quantifier

1. _____ families in this city have two children.
a) Many
b) Much
2. _____ people in my family live abroad.
a) Some
b) Any
3. _____ children in this school wear uniforms. (100%)
a) All
b) Few
4. _____ teenagers get married before 18. (almost 0%)
a) Few
b) Most

Exercise 2 – Complete with the correct quantifier. Use: many – some – few – all – no – most

1. _____ families celebrate Christmas together.
2. _____ people in my neighborhood are elderly.
3. _____ children in my class are absent today.
4. _____ parents love their children.
5. _____ students understand the homework.

Exercise 3 – Write OF or X (no OF)

1. Many _____ my cousins live in Cali.
2. Some _____ the students are tired.
3. Most _____ families are small today.
4. Few _____ them are married.
5. A lot _____ the children are playing.

Exercise 4 – Correct the sentence

1. Many my cousins are teachers. _____
2. Some them are doctors. _____
3. Few of families are large. _____
4. Most of people are friendly. _____
5. A lot the children are here. _____