Basic English Grammar

1. a/an + Noun

- A noun is a word that names a person, animal, place or thing.

- The words ***a*** and ***an*** usually come before singular nouns.

a is placed before consonant sounds, and **an** before vowel sounds.

a	a cat	a girl	a hat	a pen	a school
an	an apple	an egg	an igloo	an octopus	an umbrella

- There are 21 consonants and 5 vowels in the English alphabet.

Consonants	b	c	d	f	g	h	j	k	l	m	n	p	q	r	s	t	v	w	x	y	z
Vowels	a	e	i	o	u																

2. Look and write a / an



_____ **egg**



_____ **box**



_____ **book**



_____ **umbrella**



_____ **watch**



_____ **dinosaur**



_____ **apple**



_____ **school**



_____ **park**



_____ **octopus**

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3. Noun + s / es

- Singular means one of something. Plural means more than one.

- Plural nouns usually end in **s**.

- Add **es** to nouns that end in **s, sh, ch, sh,** or **x.**

- s	dog dogs	cat cats	book books	egg eggs
- es	bus buses	watch watches	dish dishes	box boxes

4. Look, read and write



1. two _____



2. five _____



3. three _____



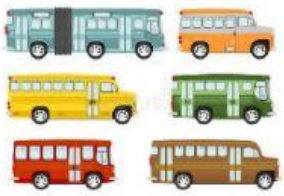
4. four _____



5. two _____



6. three _____



7. six _____



8. nine _____

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