

Articles – A, An, and The

- Use “a” before a general singular noun that begins with a consonant.
- Use “an” before a general singular noun that begins with a vowel.
- Use “the” before specific singular or plural nouns.

Examples:

I ate **a** banana and **an** apple. We went on **a** boat and then **an** airplane.

Maria picked **an** apple. She put **the** apple in her basket.

All of **the** apples were delicious!

Directions: Fill in each box with a, an, or the.

1. My dad saw _____ neighbor’s car in their driveway.
2. I need to pick up _____ roll of paper towels at the store.
3. _____ orange contains vitamin C.
4. Would you pass me _____ napkin please?
5. Give _____ dog a treat.
6. We put all of _____ books back on _____ shelves.
7. Pick _____ number between 1 and 25 for your uniform.
8. My friends wanted to go for _____ walk in _____ woods.
9. I have _____ extra coat that you can use.
10. Let’s put _____ hat on _____ snowman.