

Class 5-Articles

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Focus on Grammar | Zero Article

In general, the zero article / no article is used with proper nouns, mass (non-countable) nouns where the reference is indefinite, and plural countable nouns where the reference is indefinite. Also, the zero article is generally used with means of transport (**by plane**) and common expressions of time and place (**at midnight, in jail**).

The zero article is also used with school, college, class, prison and camp when these are used in their **institutional** sense.

Examples: *Commercials influence buyers. (indefinite number of commercials)*

Wine is drunk all around the world. ('wine' is a non-countable noun)

They are in class right now. ('class' as an institution)

Complete with the correct definite or indefinite article: "the", "a", "an" or "x" (zero article) .

1. I bought _____ pair of shoes.
2. I saw _____ movie last night.
3. They are staying at _____ hotel.
4. Look at _____ woman over there! She is a famous actress.
5. I do not like _____ basketball.
6. That is _____ girl I told you about.
7. _____ night is quiet. Let's take a walk!
8. _____ price of gas keeps rising.
9. John traveled to _____ Mexico.
10. Juan is _____ Spanish.
11. I read _____ amazing story yesterday.
12. My brother doesn't eat _____ chicken.
13. _____ love is such _____ beautiful thing.
14. I live in _____ apartment _____ apartment is new.
15. I would like _____ piece of cake.

Read and complete with the correct definite or indefinite article: "the", "a", "an" or "x" (zero article).

The next time you're walking down your local supermarket's aisles, think about items that you're just place into your cart. Did you make _____ list and only buy the things on your list? Or did you toss a few extra products into _____ shopping cart? If you answered 'yes', then your shopping choices may have been influenced by an advertisement. _____ Television commercials are not only crucial to the success of products and services, they are also incredibly entertaining. Understanding how _____ television commercials work isn't terribly complicated, but the subtleties involved are quite fascinating. There are all sorts of tricks that advertising executives use to capture the attention of _____ consumers. If you pay close attention, you can figure out how advertisers get _____ people to buy all kinds of things.