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 **Instruction:** Use the chart below to review the three main articles used in writing.

A	AN	THE
(A) is used before singular words that start with a consonant sound and refers to non-specific things.	(An) is used before singular words that start with a vowel sound and refers to non-specific things.	(The) is used either before singular or plural words and is used to refer to specific things or something that has already been mentioned.
• A is also called an indefinite article • A consonant is letter in the alphabet that is not considered a vowel • A can only be used with countable nouns	• An is also called an indefinite article • A vowel is letter in the alphabet that is either (a, e, i, o, u) • An can only be used with countable nouns	• The is also called the definite article • The can be used in front of a word that starts with a consonant or vowel • The can be used with both countable and uncountable nouns

EXAMPLES:

Note the corrections for each sentence.

Incorrect: She adopted cat from orphan shelter.

Correct: She adopted a cat from an orphan shelter.

Incorrect: We stayed in hotel that was close to beach.

Correct: We stayed in a hotel that was close to the beach.

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 **Instruction:** Read each sentence carefully and mark the correct article.

- My brother wants to buy ____ new watch.
(1) A (2) An (3) The
- We saw ____ owl in the forest last night.
(1) A (2) An (3) The
- ____ Earth moves around the sun.
(1) A (2) An (3) The
- She made ____ beautiful painting.
(1) A (2) An (3) The
- I saw ____ orange on the table.
(1) A (2) An (3) The
- ____ Himalayas are covered with snow.
(1) A (2) An (3) The
- Rohan met ____ honest man yesterday.
(1) A (2) An (3) The
- He opened ____ umbrella when it started to rain.
(1) A (2) An (3) The
- My sister found ____ key on the floor.
(1) A (2) An (3) The
- ____ Pacific Ocean is the largest in the world.
(1) A (2) An (3) The

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 Instruction: Read the sentences and choose the correct article.

a

an

- After tiring day, I love to play videogames.
- Do you want orange?
- We went to cinema yesterday.
- I need new pair of shoes now!
- Can you put strawberry in the cake, please?
- Are you going to party next weekend?
- I bought new TV set yesterday.
- I watched video you sent me.
- I was wearing ugly dress when you saw me.
- Do you want to go to restaurant for dinner?
- He is engineer.

 Instruction: Fill in the blanks with a/an where corresponds.

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| 1 <input type="text"/> car. | 4 <input type="text"/> phone. | 7 <input type="text"/> elephant. |
| 2 <input type="text"/> orange. | 5 <input type="text"/> house. | 8 <input type="text"/> egg. |
| 3 <input type="text"/> coffee cup. | 6 <input type="text"/> coffee cup. | 9 <input type="text"/> alligator. |

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 Instruction: Draw a line from each word to the correct article box

A

● elephant

● apple

● car

● umbrella

● octopus

● kite

● sun

● igloo

● river

● moon

● astronaut

● Taj Mahal

An

The