

Grammar Trivia	Food	Find the Mistake	Places	Idioms	People
\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25
\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50
\$75	\$75	\$75	\$75	\$75	\$75
\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100

What articles are used with ideas, thoughts and feelings?

Category 1 for \$75

What article(s) do you use to introduce a new, general topic for the first time to someone who doesn't know about it?


Category 1 for \$25

What articles are used with nouns that you can't count (i.e. mass nouns)?

Category 1 for \$100

When do you use "some" before a noun?

Category 1 for \$50

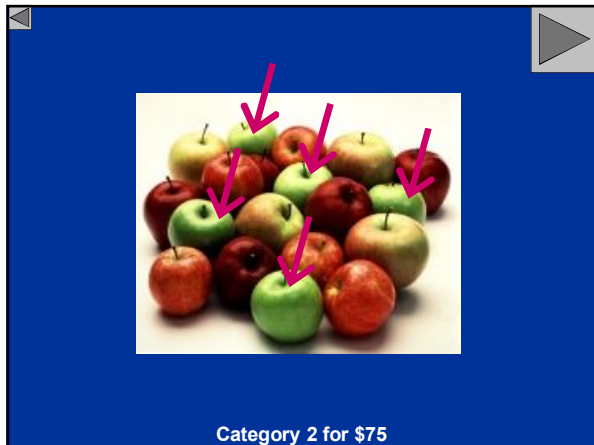


Category 2 for \$25



That was funniest
movie I ever saw!

Category 3 for \$25



Learning the new
language is difficult.

Category 3 for \$50



Would you like
a yogurt?

Category 3 for \$75

Do you like some Italian food?

Category 3 for \$100

Say a sentence using:




Category 4 for \$75

What article is used before names of cities, states and continents?

Category 4 for \$25

Say a sentence using:



*(Use article?
If so, which one?)*
Amazon River

Category 4 for \$100

Say a sentence using:



Category 4 for \$50


**__ apple __ day
keeps __ doctor
away.**

Category 5 for \$25

___ beauty is only skin deep.

Category 5 for \$50

Say a sentence using:



Category 6 for \$25

___ Truth is stranger than ___ fiction.

Category 5 for \$75

Say a sentence using:




Category 6 for \$50

___ Patience is ___ virtue.


Category 5 for \$100

Say a sentence using:



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If countable (e.g. religion), use “a/an” for 1 and “some” with nonspecific amounts above 1. If not countable, use Ø for general terms (e.g. math) and “the” when used definitively or a 2nd time, e.g. *Variety is the spice of life.*

Answer – Category 1 for \$75

“A” and “AN”
or the
Indefinite Article

Answer – Category 1 for \$25

Noncount nouns are things like gases, liquids, small particles & other physical properties (i.e. *airs, *milk, *flour). The Ø article identifies generic nouns and “the” is used before specific, identifiable nouns, i.e. “I cooked the rice for 20 minutes.

Answer – Category 1 for \$100

After questions with the word “any” and to give nonspecific quantities (count) or amounts (noncount).

Answer – Category 1 for \$50

Examples

I like Ø spices. (all spices)
The spices... (specific)
Some spices... (nonspecific)

Answer – Category 2 for \$25

Examples

The banana is on the counter.
(shared context)

Can I have the banana that's
peeled? (contextual clues identifying
which one)

Answer – Category 2 for \$50

That was the
funniest movie
I ever saw!

Answer – Category 3 for \$25

Examples

∅ Green apples are sour.
(making a generalization)

The green apples look
delicious. (specific ref)

Do we have some green
apples? (unknown qty)

Answer – Category 2 for \$75

Learning a new
language is difficult.

Answer – Category 3 for \$50

Examples

Can I have a bowl of rice? (polite
request; unknown availability; QTY = 1)

Can I have the spoon next to the bowl
of rice? (shared context)

∅ Rice is inexpensive.
(generalization about all rice)

Answer – Category 2 for
\$400

Would you
like some
yogurt?

Answer – Category 3 for \$75

Do you like Ø
Italian food?

Answer – Category 3 for \$100

Example

The White House is in
our nation's capital.
(one and only place)

Answer – Category 4 for \$75

the
Zero/Null
Article Ø

Answer – Category 4 for \$25

Example

The Amazon River is
the world's longest
river. (body of water)

Answer – Category 4 for \$100

Example

Seattle is near the
Pacific Ocean. (body
of water)

Answer – Category 4 for \$50

**An apple a day
keeps the doctor
away.**

Answer – Category 5 for \$25

Ø Beauty is only skin deep.

Answer – Category 5 for \$50

Example

The President lives in the White House.

Proper Noun (Professional Title and Place Name with Familiar References)

Answer – Category 6 for \$25

Ø Truth is stranger than Ø fiction.

Answer – Category 5 for \$75

Example

The girl is laughing. *(visual image provides shared context. If not seen and introduced to listener, the speaker would say "A girl is laughing" to refer to the picture s/he sees that the listener does not.)*

Common Noun (Specific)

Answer – Category 6 for \$50

Ø Patience is a virtue.

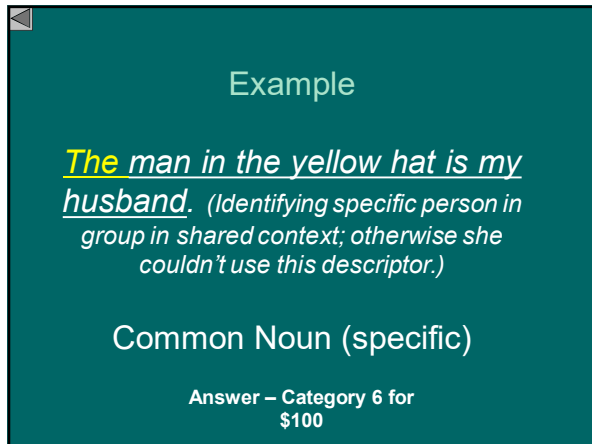
Answer – Category 5 for \$100

Example

Ø Nelson Mandela was a great man. *(Person's name)*

Proper Noun (Person)

Answer – Category 6 for \$75



Example

The man in the yellow hat is my husband. (Identifying specific person in group in shared context; otherwise she couldn't use this descriptor.)

Common Noun (specific)

Answer – Category 6 for
\$100