

Exercise 1. Write the countable nouns in one column, and the innumerable nouns in another.

Before the countable nouns put the article **a** or **an**:

Wool, air, ship, word, assistant, airship, paper, hour, bread, darkness, water, sea, cheese, happiness, event, glass, hero, music, piano, friend, friendship, quickness, tobacco, cigarette, armchair, coffee, ship, coin, university, money, ink, banknote, meat, silver, watch, tree, idea, ice, furniture, heat, cow, milk, butter, horse, machine, instrument, speed, umbrella.

Exercise 2. Insert the article where necessary:

1. We have ... large ... family.
2. My ... son is ... pupil.
3. I like your ... beautiful ... flower. Give me ... flower, please.
4. Our ... cat is sitting on the sofa.
5. Nick went into ... bathroom, turned on ... water and washed his ... hands.
6. My cousin's ... cat has two ... kittens. ... cat likes ... milk. ... kittens like ... milk, too.

Exercise 3. Replace the possessive form with a noun with the preposition of:

1. My father's factory.
2. The doctor's prescription.
3. The teacher's order.
4. The buyer's confirmation.
5. The ship-owners' instruction.
6. Mr. Black's proposal.
7. The sellers' claim.
8. The representative's report.

Exercise 4. Translate into English:

1. Petrovun telefon nömrəsini bilirsiniz?
2. Sizdə Avropanın xəritəsi varmı?
3. Qardaşımın iş günü səhər saat 7-də başlayır.
4. Həkimin rəyini almısınız?
5. Qardaşımın böyük oğlu mənimlə işləyir.

6. Bacım Yelenanın əri Vaşinqtona getdi.
7. Biz hələ alıcılardan cavab almamışıq.
8. Mən hələ direktorun qərarını bilmirəm.

Exercise 5. Put the following nouns in the feminine gender:

a lion, a tiger, an actor, a poet, a man, an uncle, a husband, a brother, a grandfather, a son, a master, a baron, a count, a shepherd, a host.

Exercise 6. Put the following nouns in the masculine gender:

a lady, a girl, a niece, Mrs. Smith, a widow, a stewardess, a French woman, a cow, a queen, a princess, a duchess, a hen, a mother.

Exercise 7. Translate the sentences into plural:

1. This man is an engineer.
2. That woman is my sister.
3. This child is my son.
4. That goose is big.
5. This mouse is white.
6. This man is a doctor.
7. That woman is my cousin. She is a teacher
8. That girl is my niece. She is a pupil.
9. This girl has a blue sweater.
10. This boy has a good coat.
11. My uncle has a large flat.
12. There is a table in the room.
13. I have a good pen. My pen is in my pocket.
14. There is a flower in the vase.
15. This child's foot is sore.