

Lesson

01 (Article) a/an/the

- 'a/an' used before a noun to refer to a single thing or person.
- 'an' is used when the following word begins with a vowel sound.
- 'the' is used before nouns to refer to particular things that are already known.

a/an		the
a	an	
a bag	an apple	It is a bag. The bag is blue.
a cat	an elephant	He is a teacher. The teacher is tall.
a desk	an igloo	This is a desk. The desk is round.
a lion	an orange	That is an orange. The orange is sweet.
a ship	an umbrella	She is a student. The student is very smart.

Example

I eat **an** apple every morning.
The apple is so sweet. I have **a** pen.
 I write my day on **a** diary using **the** pen every night. It was **a** great day.

Q Which is correct?

1. It is (an / a) bag.
2. (An/ The) bag is green.
3. It is (a / an) elephant.
4. (The / A) elephant is big.
5. This is (an / a) umbrella.
6. (A / The) umbrella is small.
7. She is (an / a) doctor.
8. (An / The) doctor is kind.

Q Make sentences with these words.

1. (a / It / is / lion)
2. (The / sleepy / lion / is)
3. (This / an / is / igloo)
4. (cold / igloo / The / is)
5. (She / a / student / is)
6. (student / The / is / polite)
7. (an / It / is / orange)

Exercise

Choose three sentences from the answer and say it in 3 seconds to your teacher without your book.