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ИМЯ СУЩЕСТВИТЕЛЬНОЕ И АРТИКЛЬ

МНОЖЕСТВЕННОЕ ЧИСЛО ИМЕНИ СУЩЕСТВИТЕЛЬНОГО

с окончанием на гласные и согласные, кроме **-ch**,
-s, **-ss**, **-sh**, **-x**:

a book — **books** (книга — книги),

с окончанием на **-ch**, **-s**, **-ss**, **-sh**, **-x**:

a bench — **benches** (скамейка — скамейки),

с окончанием на **-y** после согласной:

an army — **armies** (армия — армии),

с окончанием на **-y** после гласной:

day — **days** (день — дни),

с окончанием на **-o**:

a potato — **potatoes** (картофелина — картофе-
лины),

но:

photo — **photos** (фотография — фотографии),

с окончанием на **-f** (**-fe**):

a knife — **knives** (нож — ножи),

но:

roof — **roofs** (крыша — крыши).

Исключения из правил:

1) **a man** — **men** (мужчина — мужчины),
a woman — **women** (женщина — женщины),

a foot — **feet** (нога — ноги)

и др.

2) **a child** — **children** (ребенок — дети)

и др.

3) **Слова из латинского и греческого языков:**

a formula — **formulae** (formulas) (формула — формулы),

a crisis — **crises** (кризис — кризисы),

an index — **indices** (индекс — индексы)

и др.

Существительные с одной формой для единственного и множественного числа:

a deer (олень) — **deer** (олени)

a fish (рыба) — **fish** (рыбы)

и др.

Только единственное число:

advice — совет,

information — информация

и др.

Только множественное число:

news — новости,

clothes — одежда

и др.

Упражнение 1

Поставьте существительные в форму множественного числа:

brother — ____; businessman — ____; car — ____; dog — ____; factory — ____; foreigner — ____; friend — ____; office — ____; partner — ____; passport — ____; name — ____; wife — ____; woman — ____; army — ____; fly — ____; lady — ____; knife — ____; foot — ____; tooth — ____.

Упражнение 2

Образуйте множественное число существительных:

month, eye, ear, brother, spoonful, deer, army, Frenchman, chimney, machine, top, hill, bush, man, son, factory, memorandum, basis, boy, roof, chief, box, tooth, phenomenon, handful, airman, river, lake, name, place, watch, bridge, armchair, formula, ship, mistake, farm, hat, bank, rifle, gun, mine.

Упражнение 3

Измените число существительных на множественное и внесите соответствующие изменения в остальные члены предложений:

1. We have built a gigantic factory. 2. The ox has hurt its hoof, and cannot draw the cart. 3. The sheep is grazing in the meadow. 4. The valley is green, and a deer is grazing in it. 5. There was a potato in the basket. 6. There was a fish in the net. 7. The hoof of an ox is cloven, that of a horse is not. 8. The key to the box is lost. 9. The roof of that house leaks; it needs

repairing. 10. He brought a pailful of water from the river. 11. As soon as the train has arrived, the postman will deliver the letter. 12. A passer-by saw the accident. 13. This shelf contains several books on different subjects. 14. The hero was received with joy. 15. The leaf turned first yellow and then brown, and dropped off and was blown into the corner of the garden. 16. A fox often prowled about the farm yard, seeking a fat goose to carry off.

Упражнение 4

Заполните пробелы соответствующей формой существительного или глагола, данных в скобках:

1. (child) _____ are small and smelly. 2. My old friend Jack Kane thinks that men and (woman) _____ don't really like each other very much. 3. The police are looking for a (man) _____ with black hair. 4. Toby counted at least 2000 (sheep) _____ before he finally fell asleep. 5. How many roast (potato) _____ do you want? 6. I saw three (monkey) _____ sitting on the temple walls. 7. Valencia FC (be) _____ playing against Deportivo this Saturday. It will be a difficult match. 8. The Spanish (government) _____ have plans to provide more computers for schools. 9. People (be) _____ strange, when you're a stranger. 10. Big (company) _____ need to consider what effects their products have on the environment. 11. (thief) _____ have broken into a museum and stolen a Picasso. 12. The trees shed (leaf) _____ all over the driveway. 13. Three million Euros (be) _____ stolen from a bank yesterday. 14. A new species of owl (have) _____ been discovered in the Amazon. 15. The latest (new) _____ is that the Prince of Asturias is getting married.

16. Blast! My favourite jeans (be) _____ still wet.
17. Did you remember to bring the box of (match) _____ ?
18. That road is always full of (lorry) _____ .

АРТИКЛЬ

Неопределенный артикль используется:

1) когда исчисляемое существительное в единственном числе обозначает «один из», «некий» предмет из ряда, класса:

We bought a car yesterday,

2) когда о предмете или лице говорится в первый раз:

There is a man with a pipe standing there,

3) в предложениях с **there is** и с исчисляемым существительным в единственном числе:

There is a car outside,

4) когда о предмете в единственном числе говорится в значении «один»:

I'll be back in a minute,

5) когда о предмете в единственном числе говорится в значении «класс предметов», противопоставленный прочим классам:

A donkey is a stubborn animal,

6) с неисчисляемыми существительными, если речь идет «об одной порции»:

I could do with an ice-cream.

Нулевой артикль используется:

1) с неисчисляемыми и абстрактными существительными:

I was watching all this with disbelief,

2) с именами собственными (кроме фамилий и некоторых географических названий):

Jake is the cleverest boy in the class,

3) с существительными, перед которыми стоят неопределенные или притяжательные местоимения:

I warned you, my boy,

4) с названиями членов семьи, которые пишутся с заглавной буквы:

I asked Father to fix the radio,

5) с существительными, после которых употребляется количественное числительное:

Take bus seven,

6) во фразеологических выражениях **to have breakfast (dinner, lunch...), to go to bed (school), to be in prison, at night** — ночью, **by day** — днем, **at home** — дома и др.

Упражнение 5

Вставьте, где необходимо, неопределенный артикль:

1. This is yellow pencil.
2. The text is easy.
3. This is easy text.
4. That is good idea.
5. These are low tables.
6. This table is low.
7. This is low table.
8. Roses are beautiful flowers.
9. This rose is beautiful flower.
10. London and Rome are big cities.
11. Naples is big city, too.
12. I like sugar in my tea.
13. The tea is hot.
14. Tea is hot drink.

Упражнение 6

Заполните пробелы неопределенным артиклем **a (an)**, где необходимо:

1. I usually eat _____ sandwiches or _____ hamburger.
2. My _____ uncle smokes _____ cigars.

3. Are there any ____ books in the box? 4. Is there ____ supermarket in the street? 5. I need to buy some ____ biscuits. 6. We repair ____ cars and ____ trucks. 7. I think I could do with ____ salad. 8. There is ____ table and some ____ chairs in the room. 9. Mike is ____ engineer. 10. He is ____ president of the company. 11. Would you prefer ____ apple or ____ orange? 12. Give me ____ sheet of ____ paper, please, and this ____ notepad. 13. Is this my ____ brother? 14. What ____ strange man he is! 15. I went to ____ school when I was ____ kid. 16. I'll be with you in ____ hour. 17. ____ cat is ____ domestic animal. 18. We all know that ____ oil is kept in ____ tanks. 19. Tell ____ John about it, will you! 20. Have you had ____ dinner yet?

Определенный артикль используется:

1) с известным (из контекста, из окружающей обстановки и т.д.) предметом, известными предметами, явлениями:

He went to the market to buy oranges,

2) когда речь идет об уникальном, единственном в своем роде предмете или явлении:

Jake is the cleverest boy in the class,

3) когда существительное имеет определение в значении ограничения:

I have just bought the car that we saw yesterday,

4) с «обобщенными» существительными, обозначающими тип, жанр, вид, сорт того или иного предмета:

The birch tree grows everywhere,

5) субстантивированными прилагательными:

The young never understand the old,

6) как правило — перед названиями музыкальных инструментов:

I'm fond of his playing the piano,

7) перед названиями национальностей или представителей национальности:

The English like their tea with milk,

8) с фамилией семьи:

The Browns are arriving in May.

Упражнение 7

Вставьте, где необходимо, неопределенный или определенный артикль:

1. I am going to ___ library to get some ___ books.
2. ___ Secretary of State participated in ___ World Bank Conference ___ last week.
3. I met ___ man you were talking about over ___ telephone yesterday.
4. I bought ___ book where ___ author relates his ___ experience in Africa.
5. ___ novel was written by Dickens in ___ late fifties.
6. ___ first to come was ___ Jake; then ___ Browns arrived.
7. On ___ following day we continued our ___ experiments in ___ lab.
8. ___ wounded were examined by ___ doctor and sent to ___ prison.
9. At ___ concert Jane was playing ___ violin.
10. ___ meat was underdone by ___ cook.
11. We studied ___ history of ___ music and ___ architecture.

Артикль с географическими названиями

1) с названиями океанов, морей, рек, горных хребтов, групп островов, каналов, заливов — определенный артикль:

the Black Sea — Черное море,

the Thames — Темза,

2) с некоторыми городами и странами — определенный артикль:

the Hague — Гаага,

the Netherlands — Нидерланды,

the Crimea — Крым

и др.,

3) определенный артикль — с образованиями типа:

the United States of America — Соединенные Штаты Америки,

the United Kingdom — Соединенное Королевство,

the Russian Federation — Российская Федерация,

4) с именами островов, с названиями горных хребтов, континентов и их частей, городов, озер (если перед названием используется слово **Lake**) — нулевой артикль:

Everest — Эверест,

Asia — Азия,

Lake Victoria — озеро Виктория.

Упражнение 8

Заполните пробелы артиклем:

1. I bought ____ new car yesterday. 2. ____ hairstylist said I needed a trim. 3. He showed me

_____ beautiful roses. 4. I don't like _____ hat that you have put on. 5. I saw _____ nice pair of _____ shoes in the supermarket. 6. I would have _____ cup of _____ coffee. 7. I saw _____ his car near my house. 8. Jake lives in _____ house sixty seven. 9. Open _____ door, please! 10. Read _____ fourth page.

Упражнение 9

Заполните пробелы неопределенным, определенным или нулевым артиклем:

1. Show me _____ passport. 2. There is _____ new house in the street. 3. Do you remember _____ number of her apartment? 4. I like _____ meat. 5. There are _____ policemen in the office. 6. Take _____ bus seven. 7. I like _____ city where I live. 8. Open _____ bag, please. 9. I do not eat _____ cheese. 10. _____ man in the room is my friend.

Упражнение 10

Вставьте артикль там, где это необходимо:

1. This is _____ table. _____ table is brown. 2. I can see three _____ boys. _____ boys are my friends. 3. I have _____ new car. _____ car is black. 4. Our _____ room is large. 5. She has two _____ girlfriends and _____ boyfriend. 6. Her friend is _____ teacher. 7. My brother's _____ friend has got _____ dog. _____ dog's name is Rex. 8. I like _____ tea with _____ lemon. 9. Her brother is _____ businessman. 10. Take bus _____ six.

Упражнение 11

Заполните пробелы соответствующим артиклем (*a, an, the* или нулевым):

1. I want ____ apple from that basket. 2. ____ church on the corner is progressive. 3. Miss Lin speaks ____ Chinese. 4. I borrowed ____ pencil from your pile of pencils and pens. 5. One of the students said, “ ____ professor is late today.” 6. Eli likes to play ____ volleyball. 7. I bought ____ umbrella to go out in the rain. 8. My daughter is learning to play ____ violin at her school. 9. Please give me ____ cake that is on the counter. 10. I lived on ____ Main Street when I first came to town. 11. Albany is the capital of ____ New York State. 12. My husband’s family speaks ____ Polish. 13. ____ apple a day keeps the doctor away. 14. ____ ink in my pen is red. 15. Our neighbours have ____ cat and ____ dog.

Упражнение 12

Заполните пробелы, где необходимо, артиклями:

1. ____ Smiths sent us ____ invitation to ____ house-warming party they were giving on Saturday. 2. ____ expedition crossed ____ Attora Mountains in ____ Morocco, and then floated down ____ Nile. 3. ____ Jake visited ____ Netherlands on his way to ____ France. 4. ____ Crimea used to belong to ____ Ukraine, and now it belongs to ____ Russia. 5. Being ____ citizen of ____ Russian Federation, you are protected by its ____ legislation. 6. After crossing ____ Geneva Lake we climbed ____ Mont Blanc in ____ Alps. 7. ____ Vasco da Gama was ____ first to find ____ way from ____ Atlantic to ____ Indian Ocean. 8. ____ International Chamber of ____ Commerce moved from ____ Amsterdam to ____ Hague. 9. ____ northern part of ____ North America belongs to ____ Canada. 10. First they wanted to go

to ____ Black Sea, but then they changed their plan and went to ____ Riviera instead.

Определенный артикль употребляется в выражениях: **in the morning** — утром, **in the evening** — вечером, **on the right** — справа, **in the country** — в сельской местности, **on the one (other) hand** — с одной (другой) стороны, **to tell the truth** — по правде говоря, и др.

Упражнение 13

Вставьте артикль:

1. Come to ____ blackboard and write ____ Exercise 5. 2. You have ____ mistake in ____ word “correspondence”. 3. I heard ____ knock at ____ door and went to open it. 4. John saw ____ small girl enter ____ house where he lived. 5. He is still ____ young man, and we hope he’ll become ____ good pianist. 6. I don’t like ____ milk with my tea. 7. We bought ____ oranges and ____ butter. 8. Are ____ rooms in your flat tidy? 9. They are going to build ____ new house; ____ house they’ve been living in is too small for ____ family of six. 10. There is ____ love in her eyes. 11. I like ____ jam on ____ piece of bread. 12. I prefer ____ book of ____ good poetry to ____ detective novel. 13. Can you give me ____ piece of ____ advice? 14. I worked as ____ shop-assistant in ____ local supermarket. 15. ____ young woman dressed in ____ red entered ____ room where ____ whole company gathered. 16. ____ London is on ____ Thames. 17. ____ Mexico is south of ____ United States of America. 18. ____ Urals separate ____

Europe from ____ Asia. 19. ____ Mississippi is ____ longest river in ____ world. 20. What is ____ capital of ____ Spain?

Упражнение 14

Вставьте артикли, где необходимо:

1. ____ ox is ____ strong beast of ____ burden.
2. He asked for ____ glass of ____ fresh water.
3. He will give ____ course of ____ lectures on ____ history. 4. ____ snow covered ____ ground.
5. I thought I had shut ____ door, but it is still open.
6. ____ London of our ____ days differs greatly from ____ London of ____ days of ____ Shakespeare.
7. Pass me ____ salt, please. 8. ____ teacher took much ____ interest in ____ little Charles. 9. ____ unfortunate Tilly cried bitterly. 10. ____ girl was carrying ____ spray of lilacs. 11. ____ Volga is ____ very important waterway. 12. I like ____ coffee for ____ breakfast. 13. She married ____ Smith we met ____ last year. 14. ____ heat is destructive to these ____ plants. 15. ____ oaks are ____ very strong trees. 16. He was ____ editor of “ ____ Monthly”. 17. We shall talk it over at ____ dinner. 18. This is ____ different tea from ____ one we usually buy. 19. All ____ passengers gathered on ____ deck. 20. ____ boy will be sent to ____ school ____ next year. 21. Open ____ drawer on ____ left. 22. ____ moon was shining brightly. 23. ____ Elbrus is ____ highest mountain in ____ Caucasus. 24. ____ Johnsons settled here two years ago. 25. ____ Zoo was just opposite ____ house where he lived and he often went there as he liked ____ animals very much. 26. Not only we, ____ people of ____ Russia, but ____ whole world was