

Countable and uncountable nouns exercises

Exercise 1. Complete the sentences with a/an if necessary. _____

Don't forget to buy _____ milk. And we also need _____ loaf of bread.

A: Excuse me. Can you give me _____ information about flights departing from Heathrow tonight?

B: Here you are. This is _____ complete list of departures.

We are moving next week. We'll need _____ new furniture. We've already ordered _____ sofa and _____ small table. And _____ new cooking equipment, too.

I think _____ grey hair on _____ elderly woman looks better than _____ artificial hairstyle.

Children need _____ more sleep than adults. If we don't sleep enough in _____ childhood, it can cause several problems including _____ decreased brain development and frequent negative emotions.

Exercise 2

Complete the sentences with little/a little, or few /a few or much/many. _____

few/a few

All I wanted when I was young was _____ reliable friends.

Maria is so busy all the time. She has _____ moments on her own.

_____ people know about this beach. That's why it's so clean.

We spent _____ days in Barcelona and we really enjoyed it.

little/a little

Ben made a lot of mistakes. He had _____ time to answer the questions.

I preferred a cup of coffee because I'd already had _____ tea before that.

You have to take up the job. You have _____ choice.

I have _____ money. I can afford a short holiday in France.

much/many

How _____ students are taking part in the competition?

How _____ rice should I cook for one person?

Susan isn't having _____ luck today, is she?

They didn't have _____ real problems, as far as I know.

Answer key

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Exercise 2

few/a few

All I wanted when I was young was a few reliable friends.

Maria is so busy all the time. She has few moments on her own.

Few people know about this beach. That's why it's so clean.

We spent a few days in Barcelona and we really enjoyed it.

little/a little

Ben made a lot of mistakes. He had little time to answer the questions.

I preferred a cup of coffee because I'd already had a little tea before that.

You have to take up the job. You have little choice.

I have a little money. I can afford a short holiday in France.

much/many

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Susan isn't having much luck today, is she?

They didn't have many real problems, as far as I know.

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