



4 Let's go shopping!

much/many • some/any • a few, a little, a lot of • Articles • Shopping • Prices

STARTER

Play the alphabet game with things you can buy. Continue around the class.

- A Yesterday I went shopping and I bought an apple.
- B Yesterday I went shopping and I bought an apple and some bread.
- C Yesterday I went shopping and I bought an apple, some bread, and a car.
- D Yesterday...

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milk	cheese
eggs	Coke
potatoes	sausages
butter	wine
bread	crisps
tomatoes	

3 T42 Read and listen to the rest of the conversation.

V Do we need anything else?

S Let's have a look. We've got some apples, but there aren't any grapes. And there isn't any coffee, but we've got some tea.

V Is there any orange juice left, or did somebody finish it?

S There's a little, but there isn't much, so we need some more.

V And vegetables? Have we got many vegetables?

S Well, I can see a few carrots, but there aren't many onions.

V Oh, and don't forget we need a lot of crisps. My nephews are coming tomorrow!

S Right, then. I think that's everything. Let's go! By the way, how much money have you got?

GRAMMAR SPOT

1 Find seven count nouns (CNs) and four uncount nouns (UNs) in the conversation.

2 Tick (✓) the correct columns.

We use ...	with CNs	with UNs	in positive sentences	in questions	in negative sentences
some	✓	✓	✓	✓ (sometimes)	X
any					
much					
many					
a lot/lots of	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
a few					
a little					

3 Look at the forms of *something/someone*, etc. The rules are the same as for *some* and *any*. Find two examples in the conversation in exercise 3.

some	+	thing
any		one/body
		where

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PRACTICE

Discussing grammar

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- 1 Have you got ____ brothers or sisters?
- 2 We don't need ____ olive oil.
- 3 Here are ____ letters for you.
- 4 I need ____ money.
- 5 Is there ____ petrol in the car?

2 Complete the sentences with *much* or *many*.

- 1 Have you got ____ homework?
- 2 We don't need ____ eggs. Just half a dozen.
- 3 Is there ____ traffic in your town?
- 4 I don't know ____ students in this class.
- 5 How ____ people live in your house?

3 Complete the sentences with *a little*, *a few*, or *a lot of*.

- 1 I have ____ close friends. Two or three.
- 2 He has ____ money. He's a millionaire.
- 3 'Do you take sugar in coffee?' 'Just ____ . Half a spoonful.'
- 4 'Have you got ____ CDs?' 'Hundreds.'
- 5 I'll be ready in ____ minutes.
- 6 She speaks good Spanish, but only ____ Russian.

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Questions and answers

4 Look at Sarah and Vicky's bathroom. Ask and answer questions with a partner about these things:

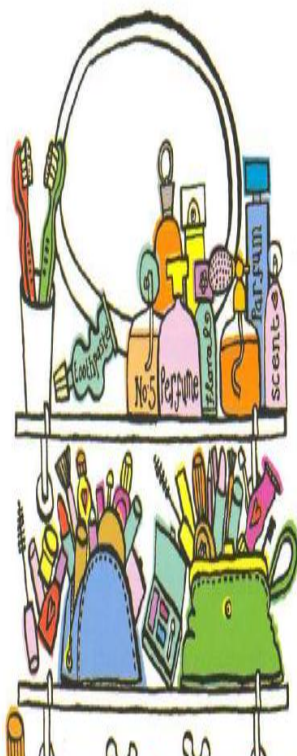
- make-up
- toothbrushes
- hairbrushes
- shampoo
- toothpaste
- soap
- towels
- toilet paper
- bottles of perfume

Have they got much make-up?

Lots.

Is there any soap?

I can't see any.



something/someone/somewhere

5 Complete the sentences with the correct word.

some	thing
any	one/body
every	where
no	

- 'Did you meet _____ nice at the party?'
'Yes. I met _____ who knows you!'
- 'Ouch! There's _____ in my eye!'
'Let me look. No, I can't see _____.'
- 'Let's go _____ hot for our holidays.'
'But we can't go _____ that's too expensive.'
- 'I'm so unhappy. _____ loves me.'
'I know _____ who loves you. Me.'
- I lost my glasses. I looked _____, but I couldn't find them.
- 'Did you buy _____ at the shops?'
'No, _____. I didn't have any money.'
- I'm bored. I want _____ interesting to read, or _____ interesting to talk to, or _____ interesting to go.
- It was a great party. _____ loved it.

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MY UNCLE'S A SHOPKEEPER

Articles

T 4.4 Read and listen to the text.

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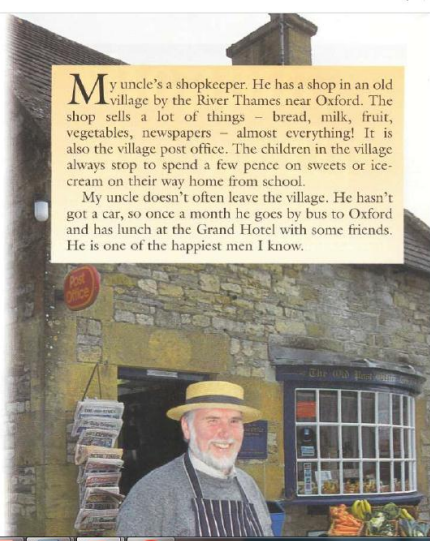
- Find examples of the definite article (*the*) and the indefinite article (*a/an*).
- Find examples of when there is no article.

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PRACTICE

Discussing grammar

- In pairs, find one mistake in each sentence.
 - He's postman, so he has breakfast at 4 a.m.
 - The love is more important than money.
 - I come to the school by bus.
 - I'm reading one good book at the moment.
 - "Where's Jack?" "In a kitchen."
 - I live in centre of town, near the hospital.
 - My parents bought the lovely house in the country.
 - I don't eat the bread because I don't like it.
- Complete the sentences with *a/an, the*, or nothing.



My uncle's a shopkeeper. He has a shop in an old village by the River Thames near Oxford. The shop sells a lot of things – bread, milk, fruit, vegetables, newspapers – almost everything! It is also the village post office. The children in the village always stop to spend a few pence on sweets or ice-cream on their way home from school.

My uncle doesn't often leave the village. He hasn't got a car, so once a month he goes by bus to Oxford and has lunch at the Grand Hotel with some friends. He is one of the happiest men I know.

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The best shopping street in the world

1 Match a famous shopping street with a town, a store, and a product.

Street	Town	Store	Product
Oxford Street	Milan	Guerlain	underwear and jumpers
Champs-Élysées	New York	Marks and Spencer	leather goods
Fifth Avenue	London	Gucci	jewellery
Via Montenapoleone	Paris	Tiffany's	perfume

2 Read the headline and the introduction of the newspaper article. Does anything surprise you? What do you want to find out when you read the article? Write some questions.

3 Read the article quickly and answer the questions you have written.


What is the best summary of the article?

Nowy Świat is the best shopping street in the world because...

- ... so many Polish people go walking there.
- ... it is a pleasant place to shop and the shops are small.
- ... everything is very expensive and very exclusive.
- ... the shops sell quality goods that you can't buy anywhere else.

4 Read the article again and answer the questions.

- How do we know that Nowy Świat is the most popular shopping street?
- Why is it such a nice place to go shopping?
- What can you see in the photos that is described in the article?
- Why don't many foreign people go to Nowy Świat?
- Why are the things produced by Polish manufacturers so good?
- What can you buy here? What can't you buy?
- What is expensive? What isn't expensive?
- What do you think about Nowy Świat?



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S A dozen.

V And what about potatoes? How many potatoes?

S A kilo's enough.

V And butter? How much?

S Just one packet.

GRAMMAR SPOT

Can we count milk (one milk, two milks)?

Can we count eggs (one egg, two eggs)?

When do we say *How much* ...?

When do we say *How many* ...?

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2 Match these quantities with the shopping list.

a bottle of red	six cans
just one white loaf	six pork ones
200g of Cheddar	four big ones
four packets	

