

(un)Countable Nouns and Quantifiers – Worksheet 1 – ANSWERS

Answer Key – Countable & Uncountable Nouns + Quantifiers

Exercise 1: Fill in the Gaps

- There isn't much time left before the train leaves.
 → We use "much" with uncountable nouns in negative sentences.
- 2. She has a few close friends in the city.
 → "A few" is used with countable nouns to indicate a small number (but still some).
- 3. I'd love some coffee, please.
 → "Some" is used in positive sentences with both countable and uncountable nouns.
- 4. We don't have any sugar in the cupboard.
 → "Any" is used in negative sentences with both countable and uncountable nouns.
- 5. I bought a few apples at the market this morning.
 → "A few" is for countable nouns to mean "a small number."
- 6. There were few people at the meeting—only three showed up!
 → "Few" (without "a") suggests a small number, possibly less than expected.
- 7. I have a little experience in marketing, so I applied for the job.
 → "A little" is for uncountable nouns to indicate a small amount (but still some).
- 8. We don't have enough chairs for everyone to sit.
 → "Enough" is used with both countable and uncountable nouns to indicate sufficiency.
- 9. They gave us a lot of information about the course.
 → "A lot of" is used with both countable and uncountable nouns in affirmative sentences.
- 10. There is **no** milk left, so we need to buy more.
 - \rightarrow "No" is used in positive sentences to indicate zero quantity.

Exercise 2: Multiple Choice - ANSWERS

- 1. I didn't have **much** time to finish the project.
 - \rightarrow "Much" is used with uncountable nouns in negative sentences.
- 2. We bought **a few** oranges at the market.
 - → "A few" is for countable nouns to mean "a small number."
- 3. She had a little trouble finding the address.
 - \rightarrow "A little" is for uncountable nouns to indicate a small amount.
- 4. There aren't **many** books in the library today.
 - \rightarrow "Many" is for countable nouns in negative sentences and questions.
- 5. Would you like **some** tea?
 - \rightarrow "Some" is used in positive sentences and polite offers with uncountable nouns.
- 6. I have a few ideas about the new project.
 - \rightarrow "A few" is for countable nouns and has a positive meaning.
- 7. There is **much** information available on this topic.
 - \rightarrow "Much" is used with uncountable nouns, usually in questions or negatives, but can also be formal in positive statements.
- 8. We have **no** money left after the holiday.
 - \rightarrow "No" is used in positive sentences to indicate zero quantity.
- 9. I need **some** help with my homework.
 - \rightarrow "Some" is used with uncountable nouns in positive sentences.
- 10. There is **no** milk in the fridge—you'll have to buy some.
 - \rightarrow "No" is used to indicate zero quantity in positive sentences.