

Book: Passages 2	Level: 11 th	Unit: 3
Objective: Using the correct indefinite and definite articles.		

Indefinite and Definite Articles



Rules:

- 1- Singular countable noun mentioned for the first time = a / an
- 2- When you refer to the same item again = the
- 3- With specific nouns = the
- 4- Singular countable nouns in general statements = a / an or the
- 5- Plural countable nouns (in general statements) = no article
- 6- Uncountable nouns (in general statements) = no article
- 7- With superlatives and sequence markers = the
- 8- Countries (with exceptions), streets, cities (with exceptions) = no article
- 9- Individual lakes, bays, islands, continents, mountain peaks = no article
- 10- Rivers, oceans, seas, gulfs, mountain ranges, peninsulas, deserts, forests = the