

## Lesson 11-Recap-Grammar (part2)



### Exercise 1

<p>We use <b>much</b> + <i>uncountable noun</i>: <b>much food / much money etc.:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Did you buy <b>much food</b>?</li><li>• We haven't got <b>much luggage</b>.</li><li>• How <b>much money</b> do you want?</li><li>• A: Have you got any <b>money</b>? B: I've got some but <b>not much</b>.</li></ul>	<p>We use <b>many</b> + <i>plural noun</i>: <b>many books / many people etc.:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Did you buy <b>many books</b>?</li><li>• We don't know <b>many people</b>.</li><li>• How <b>many photographs</b> did you take?</li><li>• A: Did you take any <b>photographs</b>? B: I took some but <b>not many</b>.</li></ul>
<p>We use <b>a lot of</b> + <i>all types of noun</i>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• We bought <b>a lot of food</b>.</li><li>• Paula hasn't got <b>a lot of free time</b>.</li></ul> <p>Note that we say:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• There <b>is</b> a lot of <b>food/money/water ...</b> (singular verb)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• We bought <b>a lot of books</b>.</li><li>• Did they ask you <b>a lot of questions</b>?</li></ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• There <b>are</b> a lot of <b>trees/shops/people ...</b> (plural verb)</li><li>• A lot of <b>people speak</b> English. (not 'speaks')</li></ul>

#### How much ... ?

Use with uncountables.

**How much** homework have you got?

*Lots!*

**How much** time have we got?

*We've got fifteen minutes.*

**How much** milk do you want?

*Not much.*

#### How many ... ?

Use with countables.

**How many** pages do you have to read?

*Ten.*

**How many** brothers and sisters have you got?

*Two brothers.*

**How many** people are there here?

*A hundred.*

**How many** players are there?

*Not very many.*

### Exercise 2

#### Translate into English

Много тетрадей, много молока, много воды, много дней, много газет, много мела, много снега, много лет, много картин, много музыки, много мальчиков, много девочек, много чая, много лимонов, много мяса, много комнат, много учителей, много работы, много воздуха, много птиц, много машин.

### Exercise 3

### Put **much** or **many** (hot potatoes)

1. A don't eat ... mangoes.
2. He eats ... fish.
3. She ate so ... dessert that she is in bed today with a stomachache.
4. That man drank so ... wine, and he smoked so ... cigarettes that he has a terrible headache today.
5. Mary must not eat too ... salt because she has problems with her blood pressure.
6. My mother says I eat too ... French fries and drink too ... beer. She wants me to be healthy.
7. There is not too ... space in my flat.
8. There are ... new pictures in this room.
9. There are ... teachers at our school, and ... of them are women.
10. ... of these plays are quite new.
11. Thanks awfully for the books you sent me yesterday. — Don't mention it, it wasn't ... bother.
12. He had ... pairs of socks.
13. Please don't put ... pepper on the meat.
14. There were ... plates on the table.
15. I never eat ... bread with soup.
16. Why did you eat so ... ice cream?
17. She wrote us ... letters from the country.
18. ... of these students don't like to look up words in the dictionary.
19. ... in this work was too difficult for me.
20. ... of their answers were excellent.
21. ... of their conversation was about the university.



### Exercise 4 (HOT POTATOES-ВЫПАД СПИСОК)

#### Put in **How much** or **How many**

1. ... people are coming to the party?
2. ... milk do you want in your coffee?
3. ... bread did you buy?
4. ... players are there in a football team?

### Exercise 5



 <p><b>a little water</b></p> <p>(a) <b>little</b> + <i>uncountable noun</i>:</p> <p>(a) <b>little water</b>      (a) <b>little money</b>  (a) <b>little time</b>      (a) <b>little soup</b></p>	 <p><b>a few books</b></p> <p>(a) <b>few</b> + <i>plural noun</i>:</p> <p>(a) <b>few books</b>      (a) <b>few questions</b>  (a) <b>few people</b>      (a) <b>few days</b></p>
<p><b>a little</b> = some but not much:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• She didn't eat anything but she drank <b>a little water</b>.</li> <li>• I speak <b>a little Spanish</b>. (= some Spanish but not much)</li> <li>• A: Can you speak Spanish? B: <b>A little</b>.</li> </ul>	<p><b>a few</b> = some but not many:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Last night I wrote <b>a few letters</b>.</li> <li>• We're going away for <b>a few days</b>.</li> <li>• I speak <b>a few words</b> of Spanish.</li> <li>• A: Are there any shops in the village? B: Yes, <b>a few</b>.</li> </ul>
<p><del>a</del> <b>little</b> (<i>without a</i>) = nearly no ... or nearly nothing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• There was <b>little food</b> in the fridge. It was nearly empty.</li> </ul> <p>You can say <b>very little</b>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dan is very thin because he eats <b>very little</b>. (= nearly nothing)</li> </ul>	<p><del>a</del> <b>few</b> (<i>without a</i>) = nearly no ... :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• There were <b>few people</b> in the park. It was nearly empty.</li> </ul> <p>You can say <b>very few</b>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Your English is very correct. You make <b>very few mistakes</b>.</li> </ul>

## Exercise 6 (hot potatoes)

Put in **a little** or **a few**

1. Have you got any money? Yes, ...
2. Have you got any envelopes? Yes, ...
3. Do you want sugar in your coffee? Yes, ..., please
4. Did you take any photographs when you were on holiday? Yes, ...
5. Does your friend speak English? Yes, ...
6. Are there any factories in this town? Yes, ...

## Exercise 8

Put in **some, any, much, many, a little, a few**

1. There aren't ... car parks in the centre of Oxford
2. Eating out is expensive here. There aren't ... cheap restaurants
3. Hurry up! We only have ... time before the coach leaves
4. We saw ... beautiful scenery when we went to Austria
5. There are ... shops near the university
6. It's very quiet. There aren't ... people here today
7. There are ... expensive new flats next to the river