

# CSCE TUTORIAL

## Articles

English Grammar

### I. Choosing the Correct Article

*Instructions:* Choose the correct article (**a**, **an** or **the**) to complete each sentence.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ apple a day keeps the doctor away.
2. My mom bought me \_\_\_\_\_ new backpack for school.
3. I saw \_\_\_\_\_ bird fly past my window this morning.
4. Have you ever eaten \_\_\_\_\_ avocado?
5. \_\_\_\_\_ sun is shining brightly today.
6. Can you please hand me \_\_\_\_\_ pencil?
7. We went to \_\_\_\_\_ beach for our summer vacation.
8. I would like to visit \_\_\_\_\_ Grand Canyon someday.
9. He is \_\_\_\_\_ only child in his family.
10. I need to buy \_\_\_\_\_ loaf of bread at the grocery store.

### II. Indefinite Articles or Definite Article?

*Instructions:* Write either "indefinite" or "definite" for each sentence.

1. \_\_\_ My sister bought an apple at the store.
2. \_\_\_ The students are working on a group project.
3. \_\_\_ I would like a slice of pizza, please.
4. \_\_\_ The dog chased a squirrel up a tree.
5. \_\_\_ He saw a shooting star in the sky.

### III. Adding Articles

*Instructions:* Rewrite each sentence with the correct article.

1. Pizza smells delicious.      -- \_\_\_\_\_
2. Boy is playing outside.      -- \_\_\_\_\_
3. I bought book at the store.      -- \_\_\_\_\_
4. Dog barked at the mailman.      -- \_\_\_\_\_
5. Lion is king of the jungle.      -- \_\_\_\_\_

#### IV. Identifying Articles

*Instructions:* Read the sentences below and underline the articles.

1. The cat chased a mouse across the room.
2. A bird flew into the tree outside my window.
3. I need to buy some new shoes for school.
4. An apple a day keeps the doctor away.
5. The sun is setting over the ocean.

