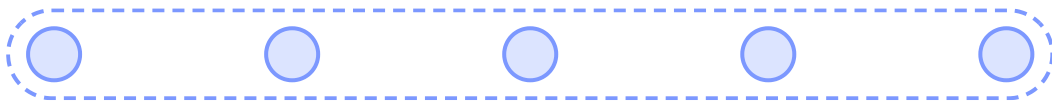


No Article

Use **no article** with plural and uncountable nouns when you talk about things in general: *Cats are independent. Water is essential. I love music.* Also with most names of people, cities and countries, and in many fixed phrases: *go to bed, by car, at work.*

Cats are independent.



cats

all cats, in general

1. Choose the right answer Circle a or b.

1. _____ are cheaper online.
a) Books b) The books
2. I usually go to work by _____.
a) the bus b) bus
3. She's interested in _____.
a) the art b) art
4. We usually have _____ at 7.
a) dinner b) the dinner
5. _____ in this bottle is cold.
a) Water b) The water

2. Correct the mistake

Each sentence has one mistake. Write the correct sentence.

1. The life is beautiful.

2. I like the dogs.

3. I go to the bed at 11.

3. Your turn

Write three sentences of your own that use this rule. You can use these phrases.

go to bed

at home

at work

go to school

by bus

on foot

have lunch

at night

next week

last year

See the rule move

The full lesson, with more pictures, examples and a quiz that checks your answers, is free at clarigram.app/articles/no-article

No Article

1. Choose the right answer

1. **a) Books** Books in general take no article.
2. **b) bus** By + transport has no article: by bus, by car, by train.
3. **b) art** Art as a subject in general takes no article.
4. **a) dinner** Meals take no article in phrases like have dinner.
5. **b) The water** Particular water (in this bottle) takes the.

2. Correct the mistake

1. **Life is beautiful.** Life in general is uncountable, so it takes no article.
2. **I like dogs.** Dogs in general: plural with no article.
3. **I go to bed at 11.** Go to bed is a fixed phrase without an article.

3. Your turn

Answers will vary. Check that each sentence follows the rule on page 1, or paste them into Clarigram to have them checked.