



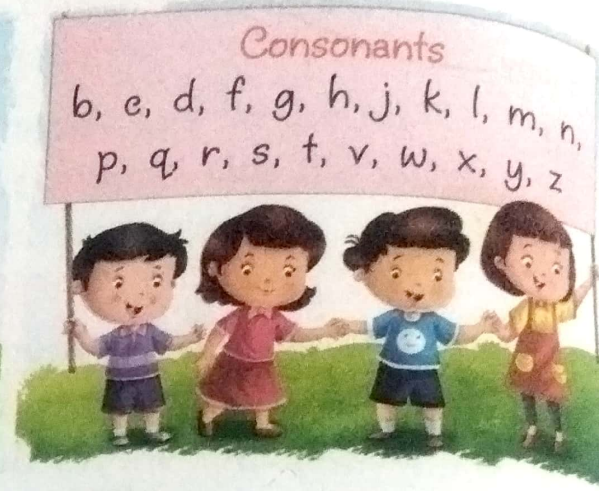
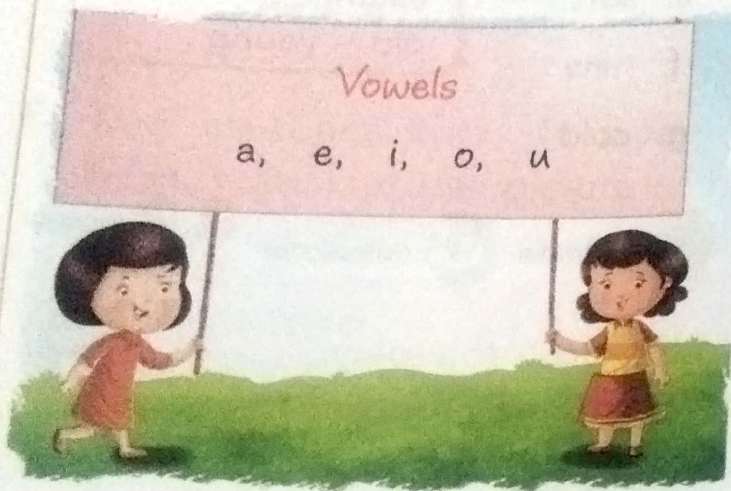
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A, An, The

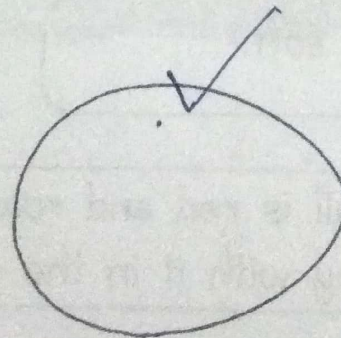
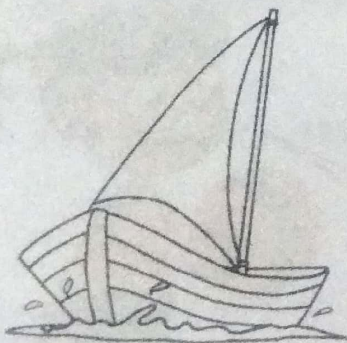
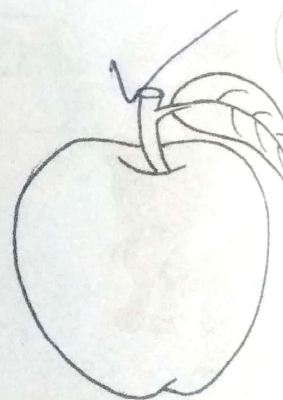
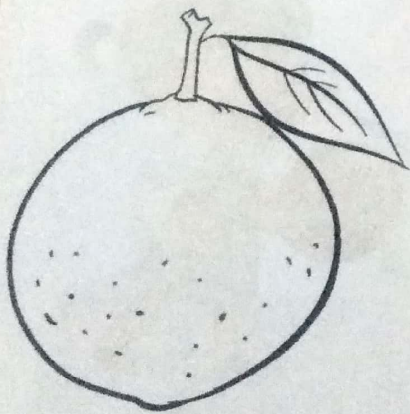
THINK



Do you remember the vowels and the consonants?



Colour the pictures that begin with vowel sounds.



LEARN

Read these sentences.

- Give me **a** pen.
- I eat **an** apple every day.

The words **a** and **an** are **articles**. They are used with singular nouns. We use **a** before consonant sounds and **an** before vowel sounds.



PRACTISE

A. Circle the pictures that begin with vowel sounds.

Fill in the blanks with a or an.



1. an aeroplane



2. a parrot



3. a jug



4. an apple



5. a fan



6. a nest



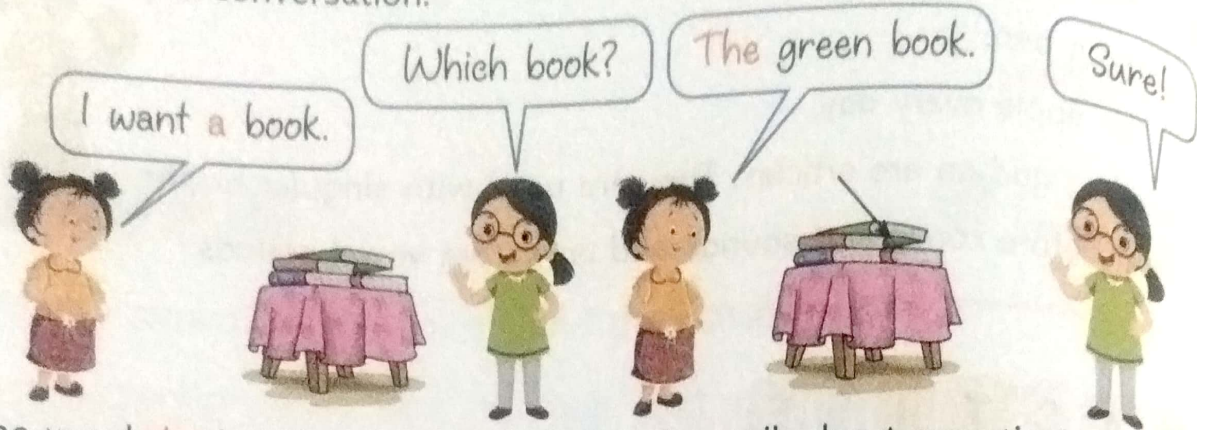
7. an orange



8. an ice cream

LEARN

Listen to this conversation.



The word **the** is also an article. It is used to talk about a particular thing.

PRACTISE

B. Complete the story using a, an or the.

I found a puppy in the playground. The puppy was lost. I brought it home. I gave it a bath. My mother gave it some curd and a bone to chew. She gave me an apple and an egg to eat. We then went to a park. It is the park where I play with my friends.



PLAY

Work in groups. Each group will be given a topic such as fruits, vegetables, etc. They need to find at least five common names related to the topic and say them using a or an.



Can you name five animals?

Let me try: **an** elephant, **a** tiger, **an** eagle, **a** monkey and **a** zebra

