

Articles Exercise

This grammar exercise tests your understanding of articles.

Fill in the blanks.

1. are useful devices.

Computers

The computers

Either could be used here

2. I love

mushrooms

the mushrooms

Either could be used here

3. birds can fly.

Most

The most

Either could be used here

4. Mother is in She has kidney trouble.

hospital

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the hospital

Either could be used here

5. Both are good at painting.

children

the children

Either could be used here

6. All robbers have been arrested.

five

the five

Either could be used here

7. The number of has increased rapidly.

unemployed

the unemployed

Either could be used here

8. Who is that on?

piano

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the piano

Either could be used here

9. It is not easy to produce programs for

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radio

the radio

Either could be used here

10. What idea!

brilliant

a brilliant

Either could be used here

11. Can you get that cat off?

TV

the TV

Either could be used here

12. I am getting

toothache

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a toothache

Either could be used here

Answers

1. Computers are useful devices.
2. I love mushrooms.
3. Most birds can fly.
4. Mother is in hospital. She has kidney trouble.
5. Both children / the children are good at painting.
6. All five / the five robbers have been arrested.
7. The number of unemployed has increased rapidly.
8. Who is that on the piano?
9. It is not easy to produce programs for the radio.
10. What a brilliant idea!
11. Can you get that cat off the TV?
12. I am getting toothache / a toothache.