



SHOPPING AT THE FARMER'S MARKET

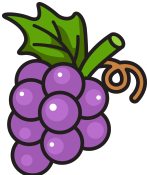
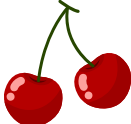
Discuss

- Where do you want to go for your next holiday?
- How will you get there and what will you need to bring?
- What are the items below, and how do you use them?



Vocabulary

Match the word to the picture.

Carrots Butter Rice Apple Meat Eggs			
Sugar Peanuts Grapes Cherries Peas Cheese			
 _____	 _____	 _____	 _____
 _____	 _____	 _____	 _____
 _____	 _____	 _____	 _____

A Trip to the Farmer's Market

A farmers' market is a place where farmers can sell fresh fruit, vegetables, and meat directly to shoppers. Farmers Market can be maybe indoors or outdoors and are a great learning experience for parents and children alike. Here are five reasons why you should visit a farmer's market:

Going to a farmer's market will teach you about the flavours of fresh fruits and vegetables. When you taste the difference between fresh food from a farmer's market vs. preserved food from a grocery store, you will begin to understand the difference between the two! Food from a farmer's market is fresher and better tasting.

Going to a farmer's market will teach you about nutrition. Not only are farmer's markets fun to walk around and see all the different beautiful colours of the produce, the farmers and shopkeepers often talk about why the food is healthy for you.

Farmers Markets teach you what fruit and vegetables are grown in your area and what season they are available. You will learn why it is important to shop locally and the pollution caused by purchasing food flown in from far away.

Shopping at the farmer's market can be fun and educational. Farmer's markets allow shoppers to be more involved in choosing the freshest and healthiest fruits, vegetables, and meat! Knowing where your food comes from helps you make healthy choices.

Farmer's markets are a great place to experience your community. They allow communities to come together for a few hours and create great memories! There is often colouring, painting, singing, dancing, playing games, making crafts, as well as trying out new foods.

Questions



Directions: Read the text. Summarise below. Why should you to the farmers market? Why is it important? Do you agree or disagree?

Reason #1 to go the farmers market:

Why it is important?

Reason #2 to go the farmers market:

Why it is important?

Reason #3 to go the farmers market:

Why it is important?

Reason #4 to go the farmers market:

Why it is important?

Reason #5 to go the farmers market:

Why it is important?

Countable and Uncountable Nouns: Introduction

Countable nouns are things we can count using numbers. They have a singular and a plural form. The singular form can use the determiner "a" or "an". If you want to ask about the quantity of a countable noun, you ask "How many?"

Determiner	Singular	Plural
A	Grape	Two grapes
An	Egg	Two eggs
A	Tomato	Two tomatoes
An	Apple	Two apples
A	Peanut	Two peanuts

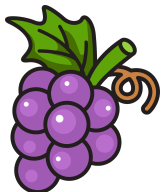
Uncountable nouns are for the things that we cannot count with numbers. They may be liquids, powders and grains, or gases. Uncountable nouns do not have a plural form. To measure them you must attach them to a measure word.

Determiner		Singular	Plural
A		Loaf of	Bread
A		Cup of	Tea
A		Bowl of	Rice
A		Slice of	Cheese
A		Kilo of	Meat

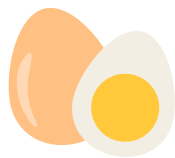
Measure words are words or phrases that are used before a noun to indicate the amount like: "cup," "bags," or "kilo." You must use a measure word with a quantity: "2 cups of soup," "A bag of rice," "4 kilos of meat." If you want to ask about the quantity of an uncountable noun, you ask "How much?"

Countable and Uncountable Nouns

Countable



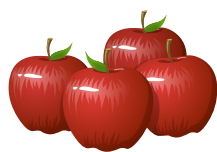
Grapes



Egg



Tomatoes



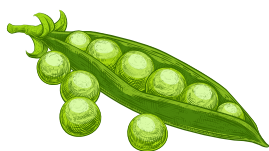
Apples



Olives



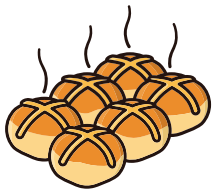
Peanuts



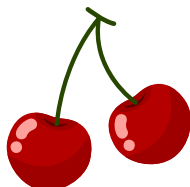
Peas



Watermelon



Buns



Cherries



Carrots



Sweet Potatoes

Uncountable



Butter



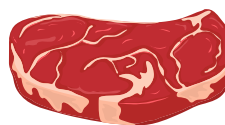
Jam



Cheese



Bread



Meat



Seafood



Rice



Tea



Congee



Spinach



Honey



Sugar

How Much or How Many

How Many?

How Many? (Quantity)

How many is used when we want to know the QUANTITY of something.

It is only used with plural countable nouns. HOW MANY + PLURAL NOUN



How Much?

How Much? (Quantity)

How much is used with uncountable nouns.

HOW MUCH + UNCOUNTABLE NOUN

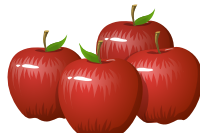
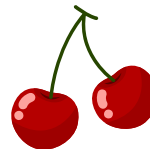
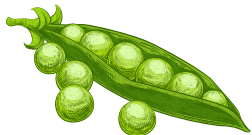
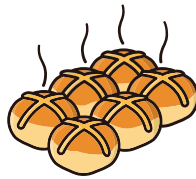
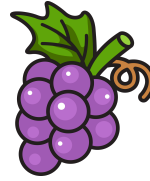
Direction: Fill the gap with "How many ..." or, "How much."

1. _____ butter do you have?
2. _____ slices of cheese do I need for my burger?
3. _____ cups of tea shall I bring to the party?
4. _____ bowls of rice can you eat?
5. _____ olives would like on your sandwich?
6. _____ bowls of congee would you like to order?
7. _____ seafood can you carry? We need to buy a lot for dinner.
8. _____ apples would you like?
9. _____ roasted pork would you like today?
10. _____ sugar does the recipe call for?
11. _____ bags of peanuts do you want me to bring over?
12. _____ eggs do we need to bake a cake?
13. _____ honey would you like in your tea?
14. _____ bottles of jam do we have in the pantry?
15. _____ meat do we need for the bbq?
16. _____ loaves of bread to I need to buy at the market?
17. _____ tomatoes do we need to make tomato sauce?



Questions

Directions: What can you see in the pictures. Write "C" for Countable, "U" for Uncountable.



Practice II



Directions: Place the countable nouns in Mrs. Tam's bag. Place the uncountable nouns in Mr. Li's bag.



Practice II

Directions: Use "How much" or "How many" to complete the sentences.

- How _____  have you got?
- How _____  would you like to eat?
- How _____  is there in the cup?
- How _____  would you like to buy?
- How _____  is there in the fridge?
- How _____ bottles of  do you have in the fridge?
- How _____  are there in the cupboard?
- How _____  are there in the salad?
- How _____ loaves of  bread are there?

Homework



Directions: Draw countable nouns on shelves 1&2. Draw uncountable nouns on shelves 3&4.

