

Articles – Practice 3

Exercise

Add articles (**a** or **the**) as needed. In certain cases, no article is needed.

*For screen reader users, blanks will be indicated by a * sign.*

1. * ____ Hague is located in * ____ Netherlands.
2. * ____ Gobi Desert is in * ____ China.
3. * ____ People's Republic of China is in * ____ Asia.
4. * ____ cup of tea would be nice right now.
5. * ____ British are well-known for their love of * ____ tea.
6. * ____ Seychelles are famous for their beautiful beaches.
7. * ____ Caspian Sea is famous for its caviar.
8. * ____ caviar produced in Iran is exported to neighbouring countries.
9. * ____ Baltic state peoples are known herring lovers.
10. * ____ time does not stand still.
11. * ____ time I spent in Ankara seems so long ago.
12. * ____ capital of Turkey is * ____ Ankara.
13. On my way to work, I saw * ____ raccoon chasing * ____ chipmunk!
14. * ____ chipmunk was able to escape.
15. * ____ chipmunk is similar in appearance to * ____ squirrel.
16. * ____ capital of Ontario is * ____ Toronto.
17. * ____ Toronto is * ____ largest city in * ____ Ontario.
18. * ____ last province to join Canada was * ____ Newfoundland.
19. * ____ people there voted to join in * ____ referendum.
20. * ____ climate in * ____ North is harsh and unforgiving.

Answers

These are the answers. When no article is required, the answer is indicated with **(x)**.

1. **The** Hague is located in **the** Netherlands.
2. **The** Gobi Desert is in **(x)** China.
3. **The** People's Republic of China is in **(x)** Asia.
4. **A** cup of tea would be nice right now.
5. **The** British are well-known for their love of **(x)** tea.
6. **The** Seychelles are famous for their beautiful beaches.
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9. **The** Baltic state peoples are known herring lovers.
10. **(x)** Time does not stand still.
11. **The** time I spent in Ankara seems so long ago.
12. **The** capital of Turkey is **(x)** Ankara.
13. On my way to work, I saw **a** raccoon chasing **a** chipmunk!
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15. **The** chipmunk is similar in appearance to **the** squirrel.
16. **The** capital of Ontario is **(x)** Toronto.
17. **(x)** Toronto is **the** largest city in **(x)** Ontario.
18. **The** last province to join Canada was **(x)** Newfoundland.
19. **The** people there voted to join in **a** referendum.
20. **The** climate in **the** North is harsh and unforgiving.