



**ARTICLE**

**A/AN**

# A - An

## a + consonant

lamp

door

**a** + house

bag

tomato

## an + vowel

apple

elephant

**an** + ice-cream

orange

umbrella

TABLE 3.

## INDEFINITE ARTICLE



**a** bag; **a** cat; **a** dog



**an** apple; **an** orange

# "A" or "An"

"A" goes before words that begin with consonants.

Examples:

- a bat
- a cap
- a doll

an apple  
an elephant  
an olive

"An" goes before words that begin with vowel sounds

Examples:

- an apple
- an elephant
- an olive

