LESSON 1. THEME OF SPECIALITY:NATURE **GRAMMAR: DEFINITE AND** INDEFINITE ARTICLES **TOPIC:ON THE MENU**



THE FLOW OF TOURISTS DOES NOT DECREASE AT ANY TIME OF THE YEAR. TRUELY, UZBEKISTAN I





2. THE KHODJA GUR-GUR OTA MASSIF IS THE FATHER OF ALL CAVES









- □Indefinite article
- Definite article

ARTICLES

INDEFINITE ARTICLES A & AN

- A is used before nouns which begin with Consonants
 - A book, a girl, a sweet
- Also A is used before U and EU
 - A university, a European city
- AN is used before nouns which begin with vowels
 - An apple, an interesting film
- AN is used before H when the sound is silent
 - An hour



A & THE

Mary: I bought <u>a</u> CD player and <u>a</u> TV yesterday.

Fred: Was the CD player expensive?

- A & AN are used when we mention smth for the first time
- THE is used when we mention a person or a thing again



SPECIAL USES OF A & AN

- We use A, AN with <u>prices</u>, <u>frequency</u> and <u>speeds</u>
 - It costs \$2 a litre
 - You should drink about 2 litres of water a day
 - You're driving at 90 miles an hour
- We use A, AN with professions
 - l'm <u>a</u> hairdresser; she's <u>a</u> doctor



SPECIAL USES OF THE

- When there is only one of something
 - The sun, the Earth, the world, the Internet etc
 - Is she in the kitchen? Can you turn off the TV?
- When a singular noun (name) refers to a group
 - The police, the government, the Browns
- With superlatives
 - The best, the most interesting



SPECIAL USES OF THE

- With the first, the second etc
 - A second means "another, one more"
- With adjectives that refer to groups
 - The rich, the poor
- With nationalities
 - The Chinese
- With musical instruments
 - I play the violin



ZERO ARTICLE

- When we talk in general with uncount.nouns or with plural nouns
 - Life was more difficult for our grandparents
 - People are often afraid of taking risks.
- Common expressions:
 - At home, in/to hospital, in/to prison, at/school, at/to university, at/to work
- With seasons
 - I like summer a lot.



ZERO ARTICLE

- With names of meals
 - When did you have lunch?
- With names of languages without the word "language"
 - She knows English, BUT she knows the English language
- With names of months and days
 - My Birthday is in April.
 - I work on Monday.



- Geographical names are used without articles
 - England, France, Tomsk, Moskow
- Words republic, union, kingdom & states are used with the definite article
 - the United Kingdom, the Czech Republic
- Names of <u>oceans, seas & rivers</u> are used with the definite article
 - the Pacific Ocean, the Black Sea



- Names of lakes without the word "lake" go with no article
 - Lake Ontario OR the Ontario
- Names of mountain chains go with the definite article
 - The Urals, the Alps
- Names of mountain peaks go with no article
 - Elbrus, Everest

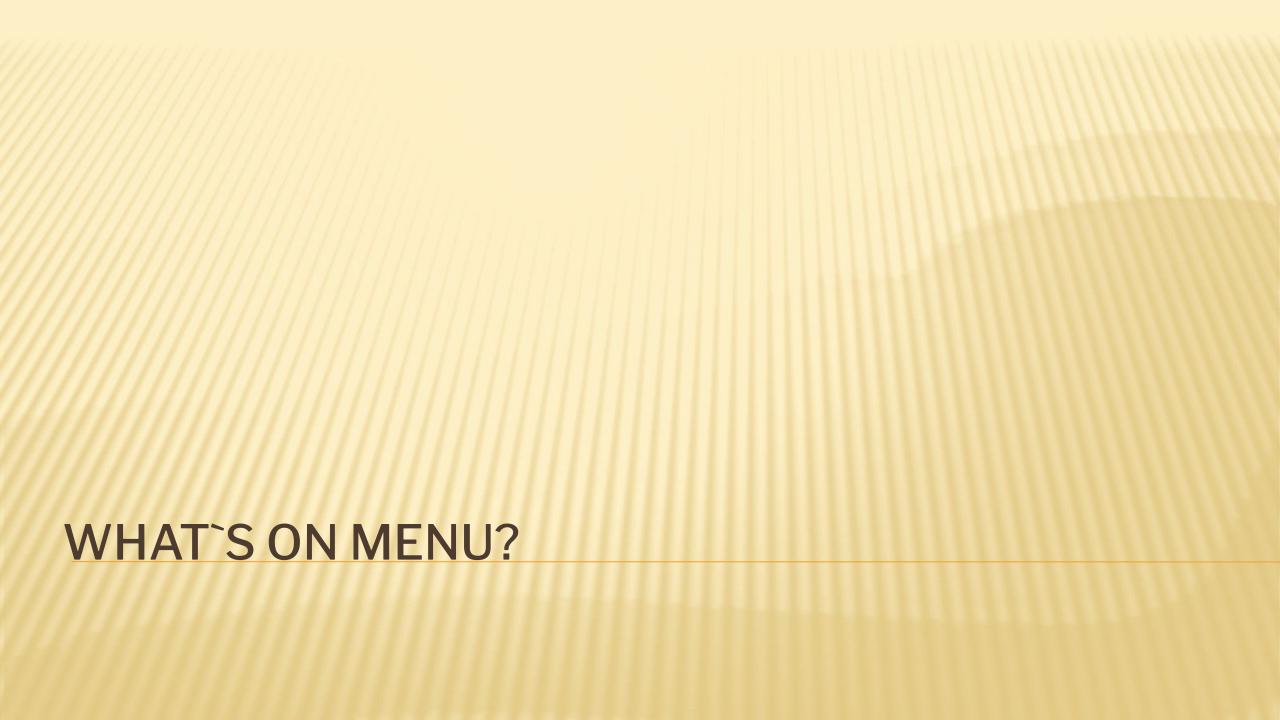


- Names of groups of islands are used with the definite article
 - The Bermudas
- Names of singular islands are used with no article
 - Madagascar
- Names of streets and squares are used without articles
 - Oxford Street, Trafalgar Square



- The names of the following towns, countries & cities are used with the definite article:
 - The Hague, the Netherlands, the West Indies, the Ruhr, the Riviera, the Crimea, the Ukraine, the Caucasus, the Congo, the Lebanon
- Cardinal points are used with definite article
 - the North, the South, the West, the East
 - BUT form East to West & from North to South





FOOD



- What can you see?
- You can buy 4 things. What will you buy?

ISSING?

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HOW MANY OF YOU LIKE CHIPS?





Chips Fries



Happy

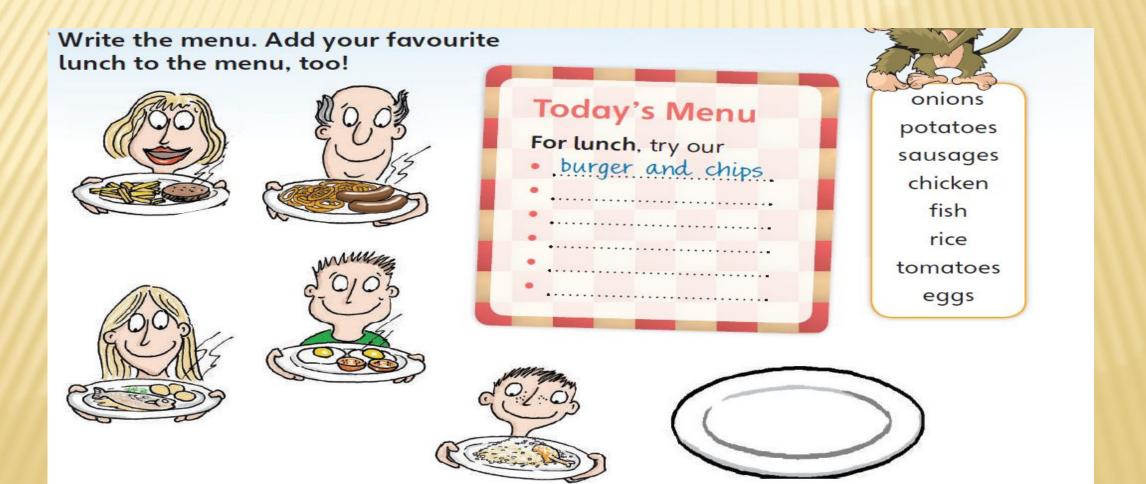
MEALS

- Breakfast завтрак
- Lunch обед
- Dinner ужин
- Supper –поздний ужин



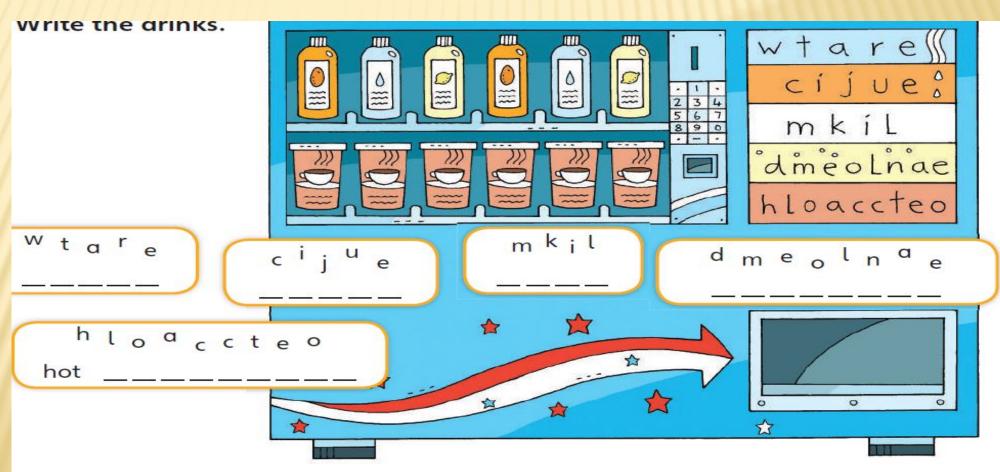
WHAT'S FOR LUNCH?

What's man got for lunch?



DRINKS

- Drink пить
- I drink milk every day.



D Write Tony's lunch.

So, what would you like for lunch, Tony?



today. And can I have some too?



What would you like for lunch? Write your words.

Now, what would you like for lunch?

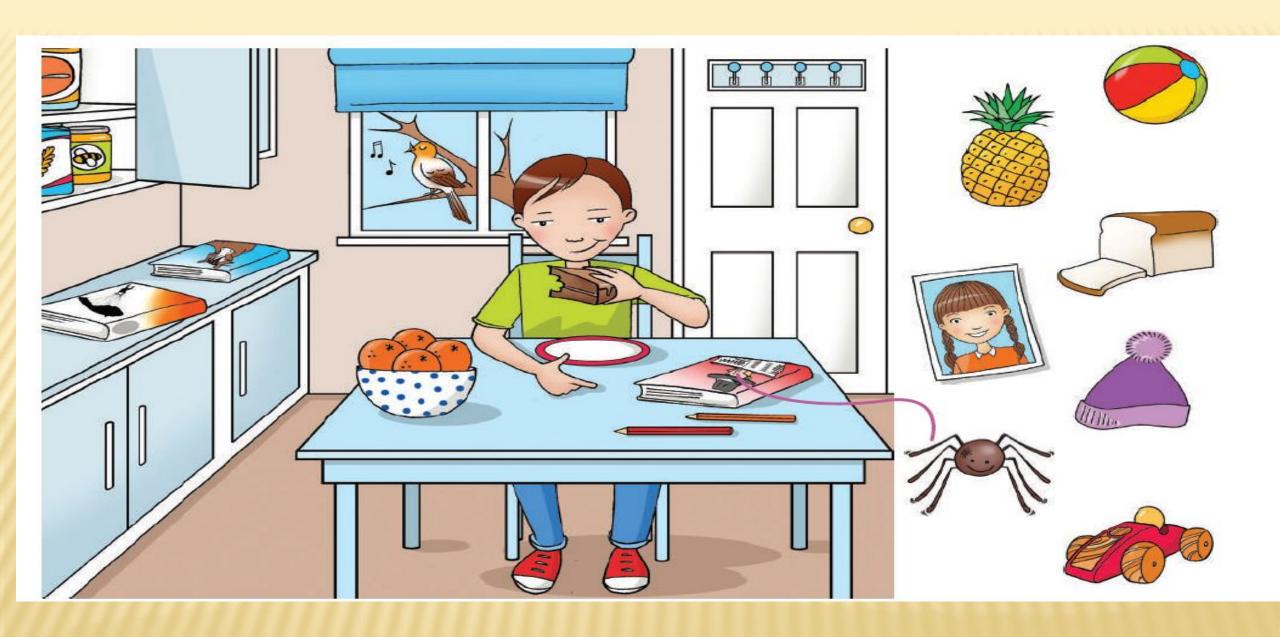
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LET'S PLAY!





I can see It`s (размер) and (цвет)



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