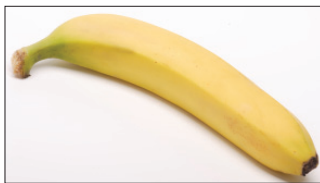


# 1 Countable and uncountable nouns

## LOOK AND LEARN

Many nouns are **countable nouns**. They are words for people, animals, places and things that you can count.



a **banana**

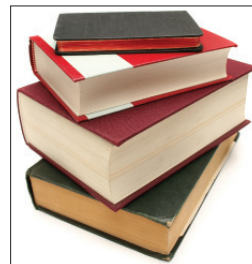


some **bananas**

countable nouns



one **book**



four **books**

countable nouns

Some nouns are **uncountable nouns**. They are words for things that you cannot count.



**grass**



**rain**

uncountable nouns

## WARM-UP

Write **C** in the box by the **countable nouns** and **U** in the box by the **uncountable nouns** in the pictures.



knife



plates



butter



teapot



spoons



cheese



bread



apples

## WORK ON IT

Are the words in bold print *countable* or *uncountable nouns*?  
Put a tick in the correct box.

	Countable	Uncountable
1. There are many <b>mosquitoes</b> here.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. I do not have much <b>money</b> .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. The dog drank some <b>water</b> .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Thomas has a lot of <b>friends</b> .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Kate bought a new <b>dress</b> .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. I can see four <b>birds</b> .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Is there any <b>food</b> left?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. How many <b>brothers</b> do you have?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Don't eat too much <b>sugar</b> .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. The <b>rice</b> was soft and sticky.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## CHALLENGE YOURSELF

*In each sentence, circle the **uncountable noun** and underline the **countable noun**.*

1. There is mud all over the carpet.
2. He poured the milk into a glass.
3. The rain helps the plants to grow.
4. My father is cutting the grass.
5. The cat licked its fur.
6. Is there any money in the purse?
7. The mouse nibbled the cheese.
8. The cars drove slowly in the rain.
9. We cut the paper into different shapes.
10. She wiped the dust off the shelf.