3B GRAMMAR articles: *a / an, the,* no article

a Complete the sentences with *a, an, the,* or – (= no article). Write the answers in the column on the right.

1 Did you remember to lock ▇▇ kitchen door before we left?   _the_

2 I shouldn't drink ▇▇ coffee. It keeps me awake at night.   _–_

3 Can you turn on ▇▇ air conditioning? It's boiling in here!   _____

4 Jane is allergic to ▇▇ cats. She starts sneezing when one comes near her.   _____

5 Terry and Charlotte are going away ▇▇ next weekend.   _____

6 Are these ▇▇ keys you were looking for?   _____

7 I wasn't feeling very well yesterday so I didn't go to ▇▇ work.   _____

8 ▇▇ river which runs through Paris is called the Seine.   _____

9 I'm seeing Katie tomorrow. We haven't seen each other since ▇▇ last year.   _____

10 It looks as if it's going to rain. Take ▇▇ umbrella!   _____

11 Hurry up! You're going to be late for ▇▇ school.   _____

12 I have a friend who is ▇▇ electrician. Do you want his phone number?   _____

13 It's cheaper to buy ▇▇ books online than in a shop.   _____

14 I don't like ▇▇ people who talk about ▇▇ football all the time.   _____/_____

15 Luckily ▇▇ people who work in my office don't talk about ▇▇ sport at all.   _____/_____

16 My sister works in ▇▇ restaurant. She gets home from ▇▇ work late every evening.   _____/_____

17 What's your favourite meal of the day? ▇▇ breakfast or ▇▇ dinner?   _____/_____

18 That's ▇▇ easy question. I think I know ▇▇ answer.   _____/_____

19 Audrey has two children, ▇▇ boy and ▇▇ girl.   _____/_____
    ▇▇ boy's ten and ▇▇ girl's two years younger.   _____/_____

20 ▇▇ good health is more important than ▇▇ money.   _____/_____

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b Cover the column on the right and look at the sentences. Read the sentences aloud with the correct article.

SOLUTIONS OF GRAMMAR 3B

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