



Complete the sentences with *a, an, the*, or – (no article).

- 1 ¹ *The* population of ² _____ South Africa is approximately 47 million.
- 2 My father is in ³ _____ hospital because he had ⁴ _____ heart attack.
- 3 ⁵ _____ first state in ⁶ _____ USA where ⁷ _____ women could vote was Wyoming.
- 4 ⁸ _____ Louvre is probably ⁹ _____ most famous museum in ¹⁰ _____ Paris.
- 5 Although there is ¹¹ _____ good university in Bristol where we live, my daughter decided to go to ¹² _____ Edinburgh University.
- 6 ¹³ _____ River Ebro in Spain flows into ¹⁴ _____ Mediterranean Sea.
- 7 When we went to ¹⁵ _____ wedding we couldn't park near ¹⁶ _____ church, so we had to get ¹⁷ _____ taxi.
- 8 ¹⁸ _____ quickest way to get from London to Oxford by ¹⁹ _____ car is to take ²⁰ _____ M40.
- 9 ²¹ _____ Lake Superior, in ²² _____ Canada, is ²³ _____ biggest lake in ²⁴ _____ world.
- 10 I don't usually enjoy ²⁵ _____ films with subtitles but I absolutely loved ²⁶ _____ German film which won the Oscar for 'Best Foreign Language Film' this year.
- 11 The man was sent to ²⁷ _____ prison for robbing ²⁸ _____ bank in London.
- 12 ²⁹ _____ Mont Blanc is the highest mountain in ³⁰ _____ Alps.
- 13 Whenever I go to London, I always go shopping at ³¹ _____ Harrods.
- 14 When we went to Morocco on our honeymoon, we camped in ³² _____ Sahara desert.
It was so romantic!
- 15 She decided not to go to the top of ³³ _____ Eiffel Tower because she's so scared of heights.
- 16 My brother loves eating at ³⁴ _____ Mario's. He thinks it's the best Italian restaurant in the city centre.

14–16 **Excellent.** You can use articles very well.

9–13 **Quite good,** but check the rules in the Grammar Bank (Student's Book p.142) for any questions that you got wrong.

0–8 **This is difficult for you.** Read the rules in the Grammar Bank (Student's Book p.142). Then ask your teacher for another photocopy and do the exercise again at home.