

# Articles: a, an, the Appare

1. With jobs

I am a teacher.

2. With a singular noun to mean one

It is an umbrella

3. A lot/ a long time

I have a lot of friends

A/An singular Countable I have a dog and a cat. nouns An - a, o, e, u, I I have an umbrella.

# Definite article - the

- 1. With times of day
- In the morning, afternoon, evening but at night
- 2. With this phrases
- In the city, on the right/left

## Zero

- With town and cities
   I live in Almaty
- 2. With most countries
  She is from Spain but The United States, The UK,
  The Czech Republic
- 3. By + type of transport By car, by bus
- 4. With times and days At 3 o'clock, on Monday
- 5. With these phrases At home, go to work and etc

#### Do not use the:

- Breakfast, lunch, dinner
- Go to work, get to work, be at work, start work, finish work...
- Got to school, be at school, start school, leave school...
- Go to university, be at university...
- Go to church, be in chuch (or mass)

- Go to bed, be in bed
  Go to hospital, be in hospital
  Go to prison, be in prison
  Go home, get home, arrive home, come home walk home, leave home, be at home, stay at home

### **Omission of Articles**

- Some common types of nouns that don't take an article are:
- Names of languages and nationalities: Chinese, English, Spanish, Russian
- Names of sports: volleyball, hockey, baseball
- Names of academic subjects: mathematics, biology, history, computer science