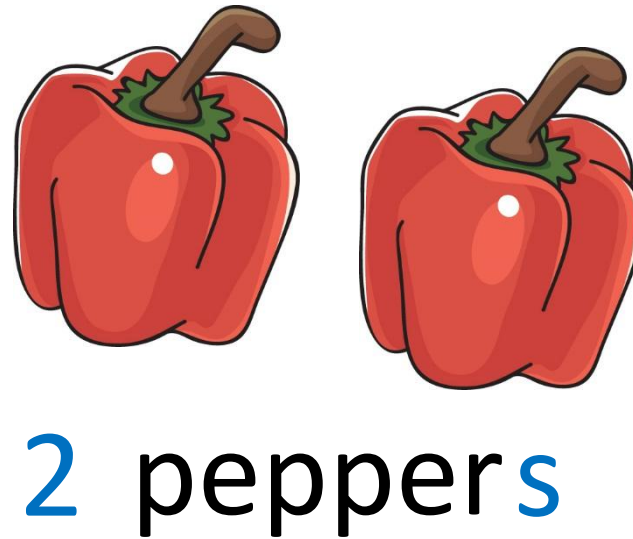
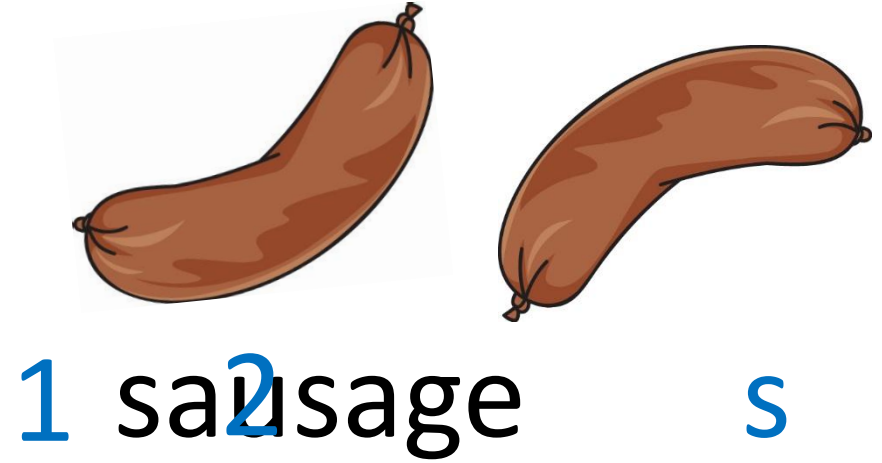
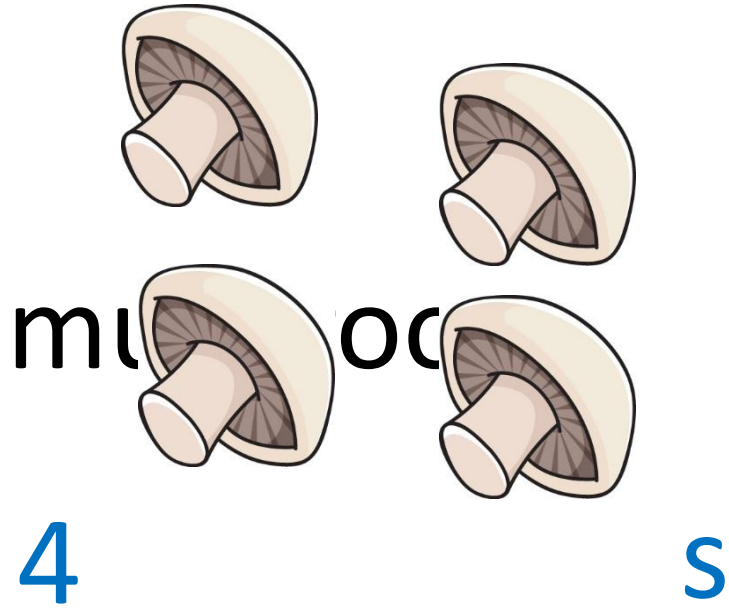


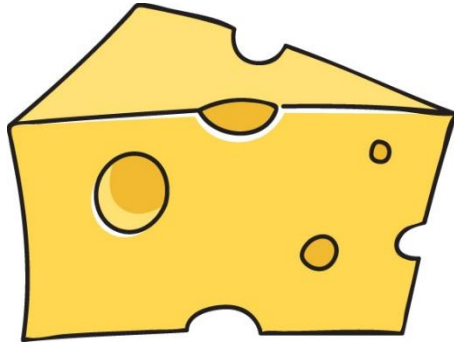
Countable and uncountable nouns

Countable nouns



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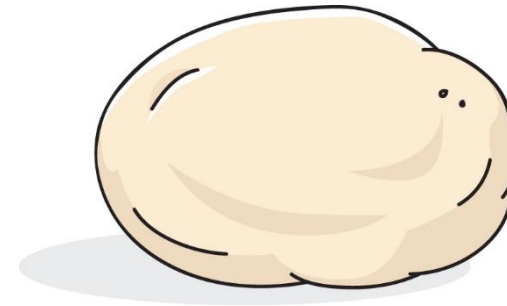
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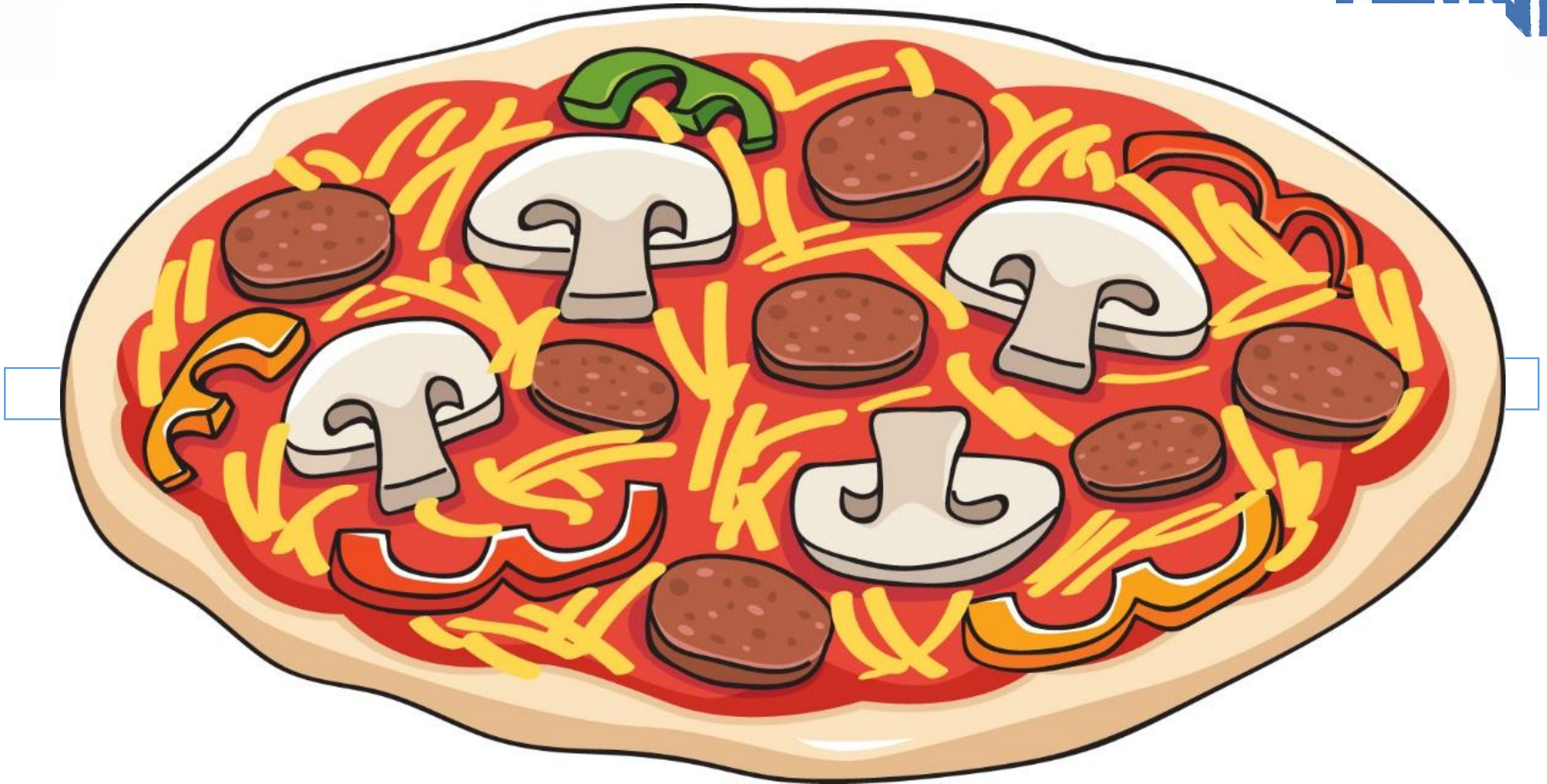
~~some~~ cheese



some tomato sauce



some bread



Pizza!

Questions (countable nouns)

Are there **any** mushrooms?

Yes, there **are**.

No, there **aren't** .

Questions (uncountable nouns)

 Is there **any** cheese?

Yes, there **is**.

No, there **isn't**  **is**.

Can you remember the rules?

Countable nouns:

Use **a/an** with singular nouns:

an apple

Use **some** with plural nouns:

some apples

Questions:

Use **any** in **questions** and in **negative** sentences:

Have you got **any** apples?

I haven't got **any** oranges.

Use **some** in questions when offering or requesting something:

Can I have **some** apples?

Uncountable nouns:

Use **some** with uncountable nouns:

some bread

Countable nouns have no plural form.

Speaking

One person is the **shop assistant**.

The other is the **customer**.

The customer can only buy the things which are **countable**.

How much do you spend

I'd like **a yoghurt**, _____,
_____ and _____, please.

Here you are. That's
£_____, please.

Shopping list

yoghurt	£1
strawberry jam	£2.50
pizza	£3.50
butter	£1.75
sugar	£2.25
soft drink	£1
rice	£2.50
cheese sandwich	£2.20

Check your answer.

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 & \text{a yoghurt} & + \text{a pizza} \\
 & £1 & \\
 + & \text{a soft drink} & + \text{a cheese sandwich} \\
 & £3.50 & \\
 & £1 & \\
 & + & \\
 & £2.20 & \\
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 \end{array}$$

Speaking

Swap roles.

Now the customer can only buy the things which are **uncountable**.

I'd like **some pasta**,
_____, _____ and
_____, please?

Here you are. That's
£_____, please.

How much do you spend

Shopping list

<i>pasta</i>	<i>£2.50</i>
<i>chicken soup</i>	<i>£1.25</i>
<i>lemon</i>	<i>£1</i>
<i>biscuits</i>	<i>£2</i>
<i>large melon</i>	<i>£3.25</i>
<i>bottle of water</i>	<i>£1.50</i>
<i>bread</i>	<i>£1</i>
<i>salt</i>	<i>£2.20</i>

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