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# Using A and An

Grade 1 | Choosing a or an by the first sound of the next word

*Use an before a word that starts with a vowel sound (a, e, i, o, u). Use a before a word that starts with any other sound.*

**Part A: Write a or an in front of each word.**

1. apple _____
2. ball _____
3. egg _____
4. cat _____
5. igloo _____
6. dog _____
7. umbrella _____
8. kite _____
9. owl _____
10. ant _____

**Part B: Write a or an to finish each sentence.**

11. We ate (a / an) orange. _____
12. She has (a / an) red hat. _____
13. He rode (a / an) bus to school. _____
14. We saw (a / an) elephant at the zoo. _____
15. I need (a / an) pencil. _____
16. Dad found (a / an) old map. _____