

### Read the short story carefully

Peter was ten years old, and he was having painting lessons every week at a small private class. During the Christmas holidays, he had a party at his home, and he wanted to invite one of the other students, but he only knew her name-Celia Poe. He didn't know her address or her telephone number. Peter's mother looked in the telephone book and said, Well there are only four Poes here, so I will telephone each of them and ask whether they have a daughter who has painting lessons. She telephoned the first one, and the telephone rang for rather a long time before a woman answered. Peter's mother said, Excuse me. Is that Mrs Poe who has a daughter who takes painting lessons? No, it isn't, she answered. This is Mrs Poe who had to get out of her bath to answer the telephone.

Q/Which of these sentences are true and which are false?

- 1-Peter studied painting with a lot of other children.
- 2- One of the other students was called Celia.
- 3-There were a lot of Poes in the telephone book.
- 4-The first one that Peter's mother telephoned was Celia's mother.
- 5-Peter's mother spoke to Mrs Poe politely.
- 6-The woman was in her bath when the telephone rang.

Q/Answer these questions:

- 1-How old was Peter?
- 2-Where did he study painting?
- 3-Why did he want to telephone Celia?
- 4-Why was it not easy to do this?
- 5-How did his mother plan to help him?
- 6-What did she say to the first woman she telephoned?
- 7-And what was the woman's answer?
- 8-How did the woman feel, do you think?

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### Expressions of Quantity

#### Count and Uncount nouns

It is important to understand the difference between count and uncount nouns.

Count nouns	Uncount nouns

a cups, students , pupils a girls an apples an eggs a pounds	water sugar milk music money
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We can say three cups, two girls, ten pounds. We can count them. We can not say two waters, three musics, one money. We can not uncount them.

Count nouns can be singular or plural.

Ex. This cup is full.

Ex. These cups are empty

Uncount nouns can only be singular.

Ex. The water is cold.

Ex. The weather was terrible.

Much

Negative:

Much+ uncount noun +CS

Much is used with negative.

Much is used in front of uncount nouns.

Ex. She doesn't have much money.

Ex. There isn't much milk left.

Ex. We didn't spend much money.

Ex. I don't go out much .

Question:

Much

much+ uncount noun+ CS?

Much is used with question sentences.

Ex. How much money have you got?

Ex. How much sugar do you put in your tea?