

Language Focus Unit 3

Definite and zero article

1 Write replies to the questions using the definite or zero article correctly.

- 1 A Do you know where my credit card is?
B it / be / on / table / in / kitchen

- 2 A Where are you going to travel on your new boat?
B I / travel / across / Atlantic Ocean / and up / River Thames

- 3 A What are the most expensive sports to play?
B golf / ice hockey / I think

- 4 A Where and when are you going shopping this week?
B I / go / shopping / on Regent Street / on / Friday

- 5 A What does your brother do?
B he / be / doctor / at / hospital / in / city centre

2 Circle all the mistakes with the use of the definite and zero article in the biography. Rewrite the biography below.

Doménikos Theotokópoulos was an artist. He was famous artist called El Greco. He was born in 1541 and he was from Crete, at the time, a part of Republic of Venice. He was interested in the painting, sculpting and architecture. He moved to the Toledo in Spain in 1577. He spoke both the Greek and Spanish. Now, people pay a lot for the paintings by El Greco.

Future forms

3 Complete the sentences using the correct future form of the verbs in the box. There are two verbs you don't need.

design	not open	not save	see	promote	take
			use	rent	

- 1 In the future, consumers _____ an app on their phone to pay for things. Well, that's my prediction anyway!
- 2 So, you haven't got any money? That's OK. I _____ you out for dinner.
- 3 It's all arranged. They _____ a bank manager this afternoon about a loan for a car.
- 4 What are your parents' plans for the summer? _____ (they) a cottage by the lake again?
- 5 My Aunt Marnie has left her job with a fashion company and, this time next year, she _____ clothes in her own studio.
- 6 The shops in the West Edmonton Mall in Canada _____ until ten o'clock most days.

4 Match 1–6 with a–f. Then write sentences using the correct future form.

- 1 The shop's website says that ____
- 2 I'm trying to save money so ____
- 3 Mike has got big plans and says that ____
- 4 Kim has to leave school early today; ____
- 5 Many well-known scientists predict that ____
- 6 Pam says that by this time next week ____

- a he / study / be a doctor.
- b the weather / continue to get worse.
- c she / see a dentist this afternoon.
- d she / sit her last exam.
- e the sale / start at 11 a.m. on Sunday.
- f I / not buy any new clothes for a month!

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____
- 6 _____