

Headway Plus

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Headway student's book

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1-Question words:

- How much and How many :

- How much is used to ask about uncountable nouns (ex. Rice ,milk, water ,sugar) which has no plural form .

Ex. How much sugar do you add to your coffee?
How much milk do you want?
How much water did Adam drink?

- How many is used to ask about countable nouns which have plural form and we add (s) or (es) to it (ex. Egg, bottles , books, bus,drinks).

Ex.

How many eggs do you want to buy?
How many drinks do you like to have?
How many bottles of milk is there?

2- When to use too much , too many , a lot of (lots of):

Note:

- Uncountable things are the nouns we don't put an (s) at the end of it (no plural form) it includes all the really teeny tiny small things like rice,sugar, salt .things that are liquids (water). Gasses are uncountable also etc..

- Countable nouns which we can stick (s) to the end of it so most things are countable. Ex. Dogs , balls, boats.

- Too much and Too many are used with what we call bad nouns or bad things .

Ex.

These cookies have too many calories .
I have too much homework to do.

They are used with things we don't prefer or like , let's say we went to a cinema and it was too crowded , what will we say?

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(Ans.) Oh god, there are too many people.

- **a lot of (lots of)** is used with good nouns or the things we like and it can be used with both countable and uncountable nouns, so it is used mostly in the language.

Ex. I have a lot of friends.
I have lots of money.
I have a lot of pens.

3- This / That (these, those):

It is used to indicate where something is located in relation to the speaker and whether it is singular or plural.

-This, These are used to refer to things near to us.

Ex. This is my son. (Singular)
These are my books. (Plural)

-That, Those are used to refer to things that are not r to us.

Ex. I don't like that car. (Singular)
Those are my dogs. (Plural)

4- Adjectives and opposites :

Expensive cheap

New.... old

Horrible lovely

Small.... big

Hot cold

5- Can I vs. May I :

- may I : is used to ask for permission .

Ex. May I go to the bathroom ?
Dad may we watch Tv all the day long?
Mom may we go outside soon?

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- can I : is used to ask about our capability or being able to do something

Ex. Can you fix the bathroom light?
Can you spell Mississippi?
Can we go to a movies tonight ?