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PLAN DE TRABAJO SUSPENSIÓN DE CLASES

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CURSO: 8° A-B

ASIGNATURA: Inglés

OBJETIVES:

1. Learn the uses and differences of Quantifiers
2. Understand and apply the use of " a few, a little, a lot of"

INSTRUCCIONES:

- Read carefully the information of this document. (page 1)
- Develop the exercises on the last page of this document. (include the last topic , countable and uncountable nouns)
- Takes some notes and write it in your notebook

TAREA/ACTIVIDAD A REALIZAR:

1. Complete the sentences using a few or a little.

FECHA/TIPO DE ENTREGA, REVISIÓN O EVALUACIÓN:

- Esta **actividad** debe ser escrita en tu cuaderno
- Debes tomar notas en tu cuaderno sobre la información que consideres más importante y que te ayude a comprender fácilmente.
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English Guide n° 3

Quantifiers: a few, a little, a lot

A FEW – A LITTLE

- We use **a few** with plural, countable nouns. For example, “A few people came to the party.”
- We use **a little** with uncountable nouns. you would like some.”

When we say 'a little' or 'a few', we mean a small amount, but it's enough:

1. **Little** is used with the singular form to indicate that something exists only in a small amount or to a slight degree. *a little milk, a little water, a little rice, a little wine, a little cheese, a little work, a little effort, a little rain, a little snow*
2. **Few** is used with the plural form to indicate not many persons or things. For example: *a few cars, a few people, a few days, a few weeks, a few years, a few books, a few dogs, a few dollars, a few cents, a few houses, a few chair*

3. **A lot of** is used to express that there is a large quantity of something.

We use **a lot of** in positive sentences, negative sentences and questions. This expression can be used with countable or uncountable nouns.

- There are **a lot of** dogs in the street. (*Countable noun*)
- I have **a lot of** time to answer your questions. (*Uncountable noun*)
- I saw **a lot of** people waiting in the queue. (*Countable*)
- We did have **a lot of** fun, didn't we? (*Uncountable*)

We use **lots of** in positive and negative sentences, however it is more informal. It can be used with countable or uncountable nouns, and occasionally in questions.

- We have **lots of** time to catch the plane, let's relax. (*Uncountable noun*)
- There are **lots of** people in the queue today. (*Countable*)
- Oh my, you have spent **lots of** money on clothes! (*Uncountable*)
- I have **lots of** questions. (*Countable*)



Few / little exercises

I. Decide whether you have to use few or little.

1. I always enjoy _____ cream and sugar in my coffee.
2. Jesse has _____ speeding tickets, so his insurance rate is higher than mine.
3. We have _____ extra time this afternoon; do you want to watch a movie?
4. There were _____ horses grazing in front of the barn.
5. Have _____ salsa on your eggs. It's delicious!
6. _____ coconuts fell from the tree. One of them hit Aaron, causing him to yelp.
7. I really would like _____ peace and quiet.
8. My neighbor let me pick _____ peaches from his tree
9. Can you please buy _____ apples?
10. We need _____ water.
11. I have _____ money left.
12. I take _____ sugar with my coffee.
13. We had _____ pints of beer there.
14. You have _____ time left.
15. There are _____ chairs in the room.
16. He only spent _____ dollars there.