

COUNTABLE AND UNCOUNTABLE NOUNS

Task #12

EACH PERSON IN YOUR GROUP SHOULD DO THIS TASK INDIVIDUALLY.

1. Write ten separate sentences giving a short definition of your own of each of the ten words below. The word you are defining should be the first or second word in each sentence. For example A man is... or Man is...

<i>man</i>	<i>exam</i>	<i>glass</i>	<i>nature</i>	<i>participant</i>
<i>art</i>	<i>life</i>	<i>crime</i>	<i>advice</i>	<i>merchandise</i>

2. When you have written all ten of your sentences, go back and write COUNTABLE or UNCOUNTABLE in the margin next to each one depending on whether the word you have defined is a countable or uncountable noun.
2. When you finish, give your paper to someone else in your group. That person must try to find one or more of your words that he can define *in the opposite way* -- that is, if you have defined a word as a countable noun, he should write a sentence defining it *uncountably* or vice versa.