

Countable and Uncountable Nouns- Kitchen Shopping Roleplay Discussion

You have just moved into a new house and have nothing in the kitchen. Suggest things below that you need to buy. If your partner agrees on that try to also agree on how much or how many you need (adding “-s” to any words that need it).

- Alcohol (cider/ hard cider, cocktail, lager, liqueur, rice wine, spirit, stout, vodka)
- Asian food and drink (bamboo shoot, bean curd, beansprouts, bonito flake, chewy rice cake, Chinese dumpling/ dim sum, pot noodle, fishcake, fish sauce, fried rice, lotus root, miso soup, pickled plum, pork bun, powdered green tea, prawn cracker, red bean jam, rice cracker, rice porridge, sesame oil, soy sauce, spring roll, rice wine vinegar, water chestnut)
- Condiment/ Seasoning (barbecue sauce, bay leaf, black pepper, brown sauce, chili pepper, chili sauce, curry powder, English mustard, French mustard, ginger, gravy powder, herb, MSG/ monosodium glutamate, oil, pickle, salad dressing, salt, sesame seed, stock cube, vinegar)
- Cooking equipment (carving knife, deep fat fryer, grater, kitchen knife, non-stick saucepan, salad bowl, skewer, toothpick, wok)
- Crockery (bowl, dish, mug)
- Cutlery (chopstick/ disposable chopstick)
- Dairy food (blue cheese, butter, duck egg, egg, full-fat/ skimmed milk, parmesan cheese, quail egg, yoghurt, whipped cream)
- Dessert/ Sweet (biscuit/ cookie, cake/ cakes, chocolate/ chocolates, crème caramel, croissant, custard powder, Danish pastry, honey, ice cream, ice lolly, pancake mix)
- Fruit (apple, apricot, cherry, mandarin/ Satsuma/ tangerine, pear, plum, watermelon)
- Hot drink (black/ green tea, herb tea, hot chocolate)
- Ingredient for baking (brown sugar, flour, margarine)
- Meat (bacon, beef, chicken breast, chicken leg, chicken wing, chop, cutlet, duck, fillet, hamburger patty, heart, horse, kidney, lamb, liver, meat ball, mince, mutton, pâté, pork, sausage, tongue, tripe, turkey, veal, wild boar)
- Mexican food (kidney bean, nacho, taco, tortilla, salsa)

- Seafood (cod, crab, eel, fish, fish egg, jellyfish, mackerel, octopus, prawn/ shrimp, scallop, salmon, sea urchin, seaweed, sardine, shellfish, squid, tuna)
- Snack (chestnut, crisp/ chip, peanut, walnut)
- Soft drink (drinking yoghurt, energy drink, fruit juice, fizzy drink/ soda, fizzy water, iced tea/ iced barley tea, soy milk)
- Staple/ Starchy food (bread, bread roll, cereal, chip/ French potato, brown/ white rice, croquette, flour, instant mashed potato, noodle, pasta)
- Vegetable (aubergine/ egg plant, cabbage, carrot, cauliflower, courgette/ zucchini, cucumber, garlic, grape, green bean, green pepper, lettuce, mushroom/ champignon, onion, pea, pickled..., potato, pumpkin, soy bean, spinach, spring onion, sweet potato)
- White good (fridge/ refrigerator/ cool box, cooker/ stove, dishwasher, microwave/ microwave oven, kettle, oven, oven toaster, rice cooker)

If you need to or your teacher tells you to, use the quantities on the next page to help with your discussion.

