ANSWER KEY WITH EXPLANATIONS

Uncountable Nouns, Some, Any, No Test A1 A2 Level Exercises

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Explanations

1. A: Is there _____ tea in the pot?

B: Yes, there is _____ left.
✔ **C) any / some**
Use **any** in questions with nouns like **tea**, and **some** in positive sentences: **Yes, there is some left.**

2. A: Have you got _____ brothers or sisters?

B: I have got two brothers and _____ sister.
✔ **B) any / a**
Use **any** in questions with plural nouns (**any brothers or sisters**). Use **a** with one thing: **a sister**.

3. There aren't _____ good songs on his new CD.
✔ **A) any**
Use **any** in negative sentences with plural nouns: **There aren't any good songs.** Not **no**, because **aren't** is already negative.

4. A: I am very hungry!

B: Don't worry! There is _____ big breakfast plate in the kitchen for us.
✔ **A) a**
Plate is one thing, so we use **a**: **a big breakfast plate**. **Some** and **any** are not used with one countable thing.

5. There aren't any _____ at the fancy dress party.
✔ **A) children**
Aren't any needs a plural noun. **Children** is the plural of **child**; **woman**, **man** and **policeman** are singular.

6. Are there _____ for dinner this evening, Mum?
✔ **C) any visitors**
In questions, use **any** with a plural noun: **Are there any visitors? Are there** also tells us the noun is plural.

7. _____ a cold drink, please?
✔ **A) Can I have**
We ask for things politely with **Can I have …?**: **Can I have a cold drink, please?**

8. A: Is there _____ meat in the sandwich?

B: No, there isn't _____.
✔ **A) any / any**
Meat cannot be counted. Use **any** in questions and in negative sentences: **Is there any meat? No, there isn't any.**

9. I'm very happy. There isn't _____ for the weekend.
✔ **C) any homework**
Homework cannot be counted, so no **a**. After **isn't** we use **any**: **There isn't any homework.** Not **no**, because **isn't** is already negative.

10. Bill is very busy these days. He hasn't got _____ time to see us.
✔ **C) any**
Time here cannot be counted. After **hasn't got** we use **any**: **He hasn't got any time.**

11. A: Would you like _____?

B: No, thanks.
✔ **D) some coffee**
In offers with **Would you like …?** we use **some**, even though it is a question: **Would you like some coffee?** Not **any coffees**, because **coffee** here has no plural.

12. My daughter isn't well. She has got _____ terrible toothache.
✔ **C) a**
With an illness word and an adjective we often use **a**: **a terrible toothache**. Not **an**, because **terrible** starts with a consonant sound.

13. A: Can I have _____ with cheese?

B: Yes, of course. Here you are.
✔ **C) a sandwich**
Sandwich can be counted. For one, use **a**: **Can I have a sandwich? Two sandwich** is wrong; it must be **two sandwiches**.

14. The dress is not expensive for me. I have got _____ money in my account.
✔ **B) some**
Money cannot be counted. In positive sentences we use **some**: **I have got some money.**

15. I'm sorry but there is _____ food in the fridge.
✔ **D) no**
There is no food means there isn't any food. Use **no** after a positive verb (**is**). Not **any**, because **any** needs **isn't**.

16. There are two _____ of bread on the table.
✔ **D) loaves**
The plural of **loaf** is **loaves**: **two loaves of bread**. **Loafs** is wrong.