EXERCISE 1
Complete with “a”, “an”, “the” or “-” if no article is needed.

1. Paris is ............capital of France. I'd like to visit it one day.

2. Bruce is the only boy at school who can speak ........ Chinese.

3. My grandmother has been playing ..............tennis since she was 12.

4. Alice loves walking in ............rain. She likes rainy days rather than sunny ones.
5. Ted is listening to news on radio. He looks worried.
6. Peter is blind and has got guide dog that goes with him everywhere. dog is a collie. He couldn't live without it.
7. When we were in Madrid we stayed at Ritz, which is very expensive hotel.
8. Stella drove children to town centre last Monday.
9. It's very hot today and Ben has turned on fan to get some fresh air.
10. Granny always makes dinner on Thanksgiving Day. She is excellent cook.
11. Anna’s cat is sitting on window ledge looking at moon.
12. Yesterday John and Larry went to zoo.
13. Kent goes to bed late when he has exam.
14. David always has breakfast in kitchen.
15. little boy fell off bicycle.
16. children like sweets.
17. I have lost book I took out of library.
18. cats love fish.
19. Smoking cigarettes is unhealthy.
20. Mr and Mrs Jones go to church on Sunday.
21. They go to church round corner.
22. students read books.
23. student was reading book you gave him.
24. world is coming to an end on Friday.
25. He goes to work while Mrs Jones stays at home.
26. children go to school.
27. Mr Jones goes to office while Mrs Jones stays at home.
28. They live in house on corner of street.
29. children go to school over there.
30. dogs are not allowed in park.
31. Amazon flows from Andes to Atlantic.
32. Queen will speak on Christmas Day.
33. Mary wants to learn French before she goes to Continent.
34. In Paris, we stayed at George V hotel, ate at Maxim's, and visited Louvre.
35. Smiths were supposed to come to lunch we gave at Ritz, but Mrs Smith phoned to say they had to take young one to hospital.
2.-FILL THE GAPS WITH THE CORRECT ANSWER IN BRACKETS.

1.- I'm tired. I'm going to ______________. ( the bed / bed )
2.- I forgot to go to ______________. ( the bank / bank )
3.- I'm nervous because I've got to go to ______________. ( the dentist / dentist )
4.- I loved being at ______________. ( the university / university )
5.- We need to be at ______________ in an hour. ( the airport / airport )
6.- We need to be at ______________ Heathrow airport in an hour. ( the / x )
7.- I normally watch ______________ after dinner. ( the TV / TV )
8.- I listen to ______________ in the morning. ( the radio / radio )
9.- Her husband got home early from ______________. ( the work / work )
10.- I love ______________. ( the cheese / cheese )
11.- Why didn't someone tell me he was in ______________? ( the hospital / hospital )
12.- I love ______________ food. ( the Chinese / Chinese )

13.- HMV is in ______________ Street. ( the Oxford / Oxford )

3.-CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER

1. Denver is located at the foot of __________ Rocky Mountains.
   a) a b) the c) no article
2. Toronto is located on __________ Lake Ontario.
   a) a b) the c) no article
3. San Diego is located near __________ Mexican border.
   a) a b) the c) no article
4. Let's go to __________ Mexico.
   a) a b) the c) no article
5. __________ Nile is the longest river in the world.
   a) A b) The c) no article
6. __________ Sahara is the world's biggest desert.
   a) A b) The c) no article
7. I spoke with __________ Chinese film director that I told you about.
   a) a b) the c) no article
8. Do you speak __________ Chinese?
   a) a b) the c) no article
9. I need __________ bottle of water.
   a) a b) the c) no article
10. Spain is one of __________ largest European countries.
    a) a b) the c) no article

4.-CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER

1. I moved to __________ USA when I was 15 years old.
   a) a b) the c) no article
2. I can spell as well as __________ most students.
   a) a b) the c) no article
3. He is __________ most famous actor I know.
   a) a b) the c) no article
4. Hurry up. We don't have __________ lot of time.
   a) a b) the c) no article
5. I live around here = I live in __________ neighbourhood.
   a) a b) the c) no article
6. I don't know at all = I don't have __________ clue.
   a) a b) the c) no article
7. I have __________ idea!
   a) an b) the c) no article
8. __________ tea in my cup is too hot to drink.
   a) A b) The c) no article
   a) a b) the c) no article
10. My parents live in __________ white house. a) a b) the c) no article