1. Few, little, less, fewer

|  |
| --- |
| Few = not many | Little = not much |
| Few + [countable nouns](https://portal.speexx.com/articles/7772498/standard-packet/7335/exercise/1#609191) | Little + [uncou[ntable](https://portal.speexx.com/articles/7772498/standard-packet/7335/exercise/1#370982) |
| **Few** actors came. | **Little** interest was shown. |

|  |
| --- |
| A few = some | A little = some |
| A few + [countable nouns](https://portal.speexx.com/articles/7772498/standard-packet/7335/exercise/1#609191) | A little + [unc](https://portal.speexx.com/articles/7772498/standard-packet/7335/exercise/1#370982)[ountable](#609191)](https://portal.speexx.com/articles/7772498/standard-packet/7335/exercise/1#609191) |
| **A few** actors came. | **A little** interest was shown |

'Less' is the comparative form of 'little.'

|  |
| --- |
| Little assistance was given this year. | **Less** was given last year. |

'Fewer' is the comparative form of 'few.'

|  |
| --- |
| Few people received assistance this year. | **Fewer** people received assistance last year. |