**Activity #1**

**Write 1 SENTENCE FOR EACH OF THE USES of the definite article “THE”. Highlight or mark with a different color the article “the”. DO NOT repeat the names of things and provide the same example for sentences.**

**For example:**

**The Himalayas are beautiful mountains in Asia.**

**There is a car parked outside my house. The car looks like my dad’s car.**

1. Something which has already been mentioned

**Last winter a dying woman was donating her money to the church. The woman has been found death today.**

1. In sentences or clauses where you define or identify a particular person or object.

**My family lives in the small house with white paint at the outside.**

1. To people or objects that are unique.

**The teacher has a very unique way o teaching.**

1. Before superlatives and ordinal numbers.

**This town is the second largest of all of the state.**

1. With decades

**The best music that has existed until today was in the 60s in my opinion.**

1. With names of geographical areas, rivers, mountain ranges, groups of islands, canals, and oceans.

**The Colorado river has length of 2,334 kilometers.**

1. With countries that have plural names

**The Philippines is one of the most beautiful places you can visit.**

1. Use the with countries that include the words "republic", "kingdom", or "states" in their names.

**The reputation of The republic of china has been very bad in the last decade.**

1. With the names of famous buildings, works of art, museums, or monuments.

**The Benito Juarez park here in San Luis is very ugly.**

1. With the names of hotels & restaurants, unless these are named after a person.

**My family went to The Maxis restaurant on the Obregon avenue.**

1. Names of families

**The Johnson’s are the new family of the neighborhood.**

**Write 2 SENTENCES FOR EACH ONE of the following situations where you DO NOT use the article “the”. Highlight or mark with a different color each one. DO NOT repeat the names of things and provide the same example for both sentences.**

**For example:**

**I want to visit Africa someday with my family.**

**English is very easy.**

1. Holidays

**Dia de los muertos is my favorite holiday.**

**5 de Mayo is a celebration that only Americans have.**

1. Names of languages

**Chinese is a very difficult language to learn.**

**Teacher Cynthia knows a little bit of French.**

1. Names of meals

**Sometimes for breakfast I eat tacos, because my mothers work at a restaurant.**

**My dinner of yesterday was cereal with milk.**

1. Noun+ number

**My house only has a first floor.**

**The English class is at classroom 4.**

1. Titles when combined with names

**President AMLO has ideologies from the left.**

**Queen Elizabeth is 95 years old.**

1. Subjects

**Math is a very easy class when you have a good teacher.**

**English class is a very boring class once you know the language.**

1. Names of shops

**I just went to Welton to buy a gallon of milk.**

**Last Christmas Coppel was full of people looking for presents.**

1. Years

**2022 is going to be an excellent year to humanity.**

**I was born in 2000.**

1. Uncountable Nouns

**My mother sent me to buy beans at the supermarket.**

**My sister bought bread of the brand that tastes bad.**

1. The names of individual mountains, lakes and islands

**Volcano Chichon is located in Chiapas.**

**Texcoco lake was a very beautiful scenery.**

1. Most names of towns, streets, stations and airports

**UT university is located at Jalisco avenue.**

**My house is located at Flores avenue.**

1. Sports

**Soccer is the favorite sport of Mexico.**

**Football is the most watched sport of USA.**

1. Things in general   
   **We haven’t go to school in more than two years.**  
   **When you go to prison very bad things sure will happen to you.**