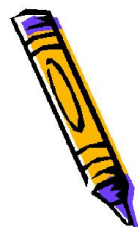


Fill in the articles (a, an, the) where necessary (1)

- Tom is ___ very good friend of my brother's.
- He is ___ handsome young man.
- I think he is ___ very nice.
- He is ___ student.
- He studies ___ music.
- He plays ___ piano and ___ cello.
- He lives in ___ small town on ___ bank of ___ Thames.
- Now he lives with ___ family in ___ London, ___ Smiths.
- They have ___ house close to ___ centre of ___ town.



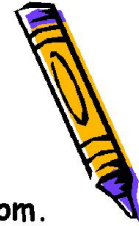
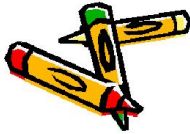
Fill in the articles (a, an, the) where necessary (2)

- ___ house in which they live is very ___ comfortable.
- They have ___ garden in ___ front of ___ house.
- ___ garden is well tended, especially beautiful in ___ spring.
- ___ Smiths usually have ___ lunch at ___ home.
- Tom seldom joins them for ___ lunch.
- He is usually at ___ school at ___ lunch-time.
- ___ Smiths have ___ three bedrooms, ___ sitting-room, two ___ bathrooms, ___ dining-room, and ___ kitchen.
- ___ kitchen is ___ large, but they never eat there.



Fill in the articles (a, an, the) where necessary (3)

- They always have ___ meals in ___ dining-room.
- They are in ___ sitting-room now.
- They are watching ___ film on TV.
- ___ film is ___ thriller.
- It is ___ interesting and ___ exciting.
- It is ___ American film directed by ___ British director.
- ___ director's name is Alfred Hitchcock.
- Hitchcock is ___ real master of ___ suspense.



Fill in the articles (a, an, the) where necessary (4)

- Most ___ critics and audiences agree that he was one of ___ greatest film directors of all ___ time.
- Tom travels ___ lot. He has visited ___ large number of ___ countries.
- So far he has been to ___ United States, ___ Italy, ___ France, ___ Germany, and ___ Netherlands.
- He played at ___ concert in ___ Hague ___ last year.
- When he is in ___ States, he particularly likes to be in ___ New York. He usually stays at ___ Plaza and reads ___ *New York Times*.

