RULE SHEET

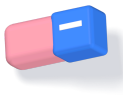
School things and the classroom

Learn the words with **a** or **an**. Say the words and point to the things in your classroom.

Picture dictionary


a pencil


a pen


a rubber


a ruler


scissors


a pencil case

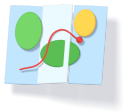

an exercise book


a schoolbag


a desk


a computer


a clock


a map

More school things

	for …		for …
a sharpener	a sharp pencil	**a glue stick**	sticking paper
a crayon	colouring	**a calculator**	maths
a folder	worksheets	**a dictionary**	new words
a notebook	notes	**a lunch box**	your lunch

In the classroom

	for …		for …
a board	the teacher's writing	**a chair**	sitting
a poster	a big picture	**a shelf**	books
a cupboard	things, behind doors	**a bin**	rubbish
a window	light and air	**a door**	in and out

Classroom English

- open · close · sit down · stand up · listen · look at … · write · read
- be quiet · put up (your hand) · work with (a partner) · check (your answers) · tidy (your desk)
- Can I have a tissue, please? · Sorry, I am late.

Watch out British English: **rubber** (American English: eraser). **Scissors** is plural: The scissors **are** on the desk. One pair = **a pair of scissors**. Use **an** before a vowel sound (a, e, i, o, u): **an** exercise book. Plural: + **s** · **-es** after s, sh, ch, x (bus → bus**es**) · y → **ies** (story → stor**ies**) · f → **ves** (leaf → lea**ves**).

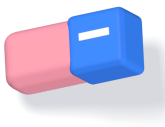
PRACTICE 1

Name: _____ Class: _____ Date: _____

School things and classroom words

1 Look at the picture. Tick the correct word.

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- ○ ruler
- ○ rubber
- ○ sharpener

2



- ○ clock
- ○ calculator
- ○ bin

3



- ○ calculator
- ○ poster
- ○ computer

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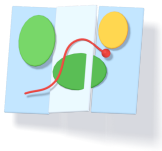
- ○ rubber
- ○ ruler
- ○ folder

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- ○ cupboard
- ○ shelf
- ○ bin

6



- ○ dictionary
- ○ map
- ○ crayon

7



- ○ pencil
- ○ crayon
- ○ pen

8



- ○ glue stick
- ○ sharpener
- ○ scissors

2 Look at the pictures. Write the word from the box.

bin board chair desk door exercise book pen pencil case schoolbag window

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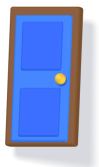
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