

## Worksheet 1 - Answers

*Ex. 1 - countable (C), uncountable (U), concrete (Con), abstract (A)*

1. sailor – C, Con
2. grass – U, Con
3. chair – C, Con
4. brick – Con, C or U
5. chicken – Con, C or U
6. cake – Con, C or U
7. stone – Con, C or U
8. gossip – A and U, C and Con (a person)
9. warmth – A, U
10. homework – A, U

*Ex. 2*

1. wrong – Camping ....
2. right – cake in general, not a particular one
3. right – a beauty as a noun referring to a woman
4. wrong – here ‘paper’ is uncountable, = some paper, a piece of paper, a bit of paper
5. wrong – music is uncountable, here meant in general
6. wrong – art is U
7. right
8. right
9. wrong – much luggage – U in English
10. wrong – for advice / for some advice – advice is U in English
11. right – we are describing something that happened to us
12. wrong – information is U in English

*Ex. 3 (sample answers)*

1. C – It was a fascinating experience to hear him play the piano.  
U – He doesn't have much experience in taking care of children.
  
2. C – The log has left some hairs on the carpet.  
U – She brushed her hair.
  
3. C – She gave me a box of chocolates.  
U – She likes drinking hot chocolate.
  
4. C – Have a good time.  
U – There's plenty of time.

Ex. 4

1. dirt, dust
2. tea, coffee
3. lightning, wit, inspiration
4. laughter, applause, thunder
5. anger, coughing, laughter
6. marmalade, jam
7. salt
8. smoke, steam or hair
9. coffee, cocoa
10. water, rain
11. books, plates, rubbish
12. soda, pepper
13. medicine, sugar
14. soap, chocolate, gold

Ex. 5

1. herd
2. lump
3. grain
4. flock
5. pair
6. atom
7. blade
8. peal
9. stroke
10. wink
11. hive / swarm
12. bunch
13. species
14. period