

The exercises in these Teachers' Notes provide learning activities for a wide range of learners. They focus on helping learners develop reading strategies; increase their vocabulary; and improve their grammar, spelling, and pronunciation. Resources are included for extension activities and a discussion is included to help improve speaking and listening.

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Answers	Resources & Discussion
<p><b>Much and many (TN3)</b> Part 1. 1. much 2. many 3. many 4. many 5. much 6. many 7. much 8. many 9. many 10. much</p> <p>Part 2. 1. much 2. many 3. much 4. much 5. much 6. many 7. many 8. much 9. much</p> <p><b>True or false (TN4)</b> 1. F 2. T 3. F 4. F 5. T 6. F 7. T 8. F</p> <p><b>What happened first? (TN5)</b> 1. float, water 2. museum, thousands 3. Look 4. world 5. Tsawwassen, December 6. bright 7. glow 8. Point Roberts, Washington</p>	<p><b>Family Literacy Week (WCR2)</b></p> <p>Visit Decoda's website for more information on Family Literacy Week: <a href="https://decoda.ca/get-involved/family-literacy-week/">https://decoda.ca/get-involved/family-literacy-week/</a></p> <p>Enter our contest for a chance to win a prize. The contest ends February 1, 2026.</p> <p>"Make mealtime a family learning time" activities: <a href="https://decoda.ca/resource/make-mealtime-family-learning-time-backgrounder/">https://decoda.ca/resource/make-mealtime-family-learning-time-backgrounder/</a></p> <p><a href="https://abclifeliteracy.ca/programs/family-literacy-day/">https://abclifeliteracy.ca/programs/family-literacy-day/</a></p> <p><b>How to avoid scams (WCR4)</b></p> <p>Class discussion questions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Why do you think scammers pretend to be someone you know?</li><li>2. Why is it dangerous to share personal information?</li><li>3. What can people do to stay safe online?</li></ol> <p>Activity: Break the class into small groups. Each group will come up with their own answers. Then, ask groups to share their discussion with the class.</p>



## Much and many

We use 'many' when we can count the items, such as animals, books, cookies, etc. We use 'much' when we cannot count the items, such as help, ice cream, money, etc.

Part 1. Fill in the blanks using 'much' or 'many.'

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| 1. _____ | fun        | 6. _____  | ducks      |
| 2. _____ | wolves     | 7. _____  | snow       |
| 3. _____ | messages   | 8. _____  | pants      |
| 4. _____ | activities | 9. _____  | sandwiches |
| 5. _____ | rain       | 10. _____ | time       |

Part 2. Fill in the blanks using 'much' or 'many' in the following sentences.

1. He is having so \_\_\_\_\_ fun.
2. There aren't \_\_\_\_\_ movies that I like.
3. We don't have \_\_\_\_\_ time.
4. The kids don't get \_\_\_\_\_ homework from school.
5. How \_\_\_\_\_ help do they need?
6. She doesn't have \_\_\_\_\_ books at home.
7. How \_\_\_\_\_ hours of sleep did you get?
8. How \_\_\_\_\_ did you spend for her birthday present?
9. How \_\_\_\_\_ rest did you get?

## True or false

Read 'Young people falling for scams' in *The Westcoast Reader*. Write 'T' if the statement is true. Write 'F' if the statement is false.

1. _____	A scammer tries to give you money.
2. _____	A scam is a trick.
3. _____	Generation Z includes people born between 1997 to 2020.
4. _____	Experts say only older people fall for scams.
5. _____	A TD Bank survey says almost half of Gen Z has been tricked by a scammer.
6. _____	Artificial intelligence (AI) is an animal.
7. _____	Scammers send fake messages that look real.
8. _____	It is safe to share your passwords with everyone.

## Winter activities

What does winter mean to you? What do you like about the season? Share a special memory you have below.

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## Fill in the blanks

Read 'Rubber Duck Museum opens' in *The Westcoast Reader*. Fill in the blanks with the correct words from the box.

float	thousands	look	Washington
museum	world	Tsawwassen	December
Point Roberts	bright	water	glow

1. Rubber ducks are small toys that \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ has \_\_\_\_\_ of ducks.
3. People can walk around and \_\_\_\_\_ at the ducks.
4. Krystal and Neil King made the first Rubber Duck Museum in the \_\_\_\_\_.
5. It opened at \_\_\_\_\_ Mills Mall on \_\_\_\_\_ 1.
6. Some are \_\_\_\_\_ yellow.
7. Some \_\_\_\_\_ in the dark.
8. The museum used to be in \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ State.