



## Definite and Indefinite Articles with Occupations

### Practice 1

**Instructions.** Based on [this lesson about definite and indefinite articles](#), fill in the blanks with the indefinite article (a, an) or definite article (the). If no article is needed, write “x” in the blank.

When you are done, see “Answer Key” to check your answers.

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1. \_\_\_\_\_ architect Frank Lloyd Wright is \_\_\_\_\_ architect who designed this building.
2. Is \_\_\_\_\_ Dr. Smith \_\_\_\_\_ doctor who is taking care of your grandfather?
3. What does your father do? – He’s \_\_\_\_\_ corporate lawyer.
4. I want to be \_\_\_\_\_ astronaut and explore space.
5. Is Jim \_\_\_\_\_ musician? – Yes. He’s \_\_\_\_\_ guitar player and \_\_\_\_\_ singer.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ police officer is here to see you. I think it’s \_\_\_\_\_ Officer Johnson.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ actor Maurice Croix is \_\_\_\_\_ French television celebrity.
8. There’s a leak in the bathroom. We need to call \_\_\_\_\_ plumber.
9. I met \_\_\_\_\_ scientist who created that new medical drug.
10. My grandfather is \_\_\_\_\_ farmer in a small town. Everyone calls him “\_\_\_\_\_ Farmer Joe” there.
11. My friend takes beautiful photographs. He’s \_\_\_\_\_ photographer taking pictures at my wedding.
12. Adam Savage is \_\_\_\_\_ journalist who investigated \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor Tom Smith last year.
13. My sister wants to be \_\_\_\_\_ actor and work in movies and television.
14. I need to pay my business taxes. Can you recommend \_\_\_\_\_ accountant with a lot of experience?
15. Welcome aboard, ladies and gentlemen. I’m \_\_\_\_\_ Captain Silva. I’m \_\_\_\_\_ pilot flying your plane today.

## Answer Key

1. (x) Architect Frank Lloyd Wright is **the** architect who designed this building.
2. Is (x) Dr. Smith **the** doctor who is taking care of your grandfather?
3. What does your father do? – He’s **a** corporate lawyer.
4. I want to be **an** astronaut and explore space.
5. Is Jim **a** musician? – Yes. He’s **a** guitar player and **a** singer.
6. **A** police officer is here to see you. I think it’s (x) Officer Jonhson.
7. (x) Actor Maurice Croix is **a** French television celebrity.
8. There’s a leak in the bathroom. We need to call **a** plumber.
9. I met **the** scientist who created that new medical drug.
10. My grandfather is **a** farmer in a small town. Everyone calls him “(x) Farmer Joe” there.
11. My friend takes beautiful photographs. He’s **the** photographer taking pictures at my wedding.
12. Adam Savage is **the** journalist who investigated (x) Mayor Tom Smith last year.
13. My sister wants to be **an** actor and work in movies and television.
14. I need to pay my business taxes. Can you recommend **an** accountant with lots of experience?
15. Welcome aboard, ladies and gentlemen. I’m (x) Captain Silva. I’m **the** pilot flying your plane today.

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