

Examples:

My parents gave me a puppy for my birthday.

The puppy is very playful.

I read a book over the weekend. *The book was about fantastic creatures.*



- We use *the* if the noun being spoken about is one of a kind or unique.

Examples:

The earth revolves around *the sun*.

The moon is shining in the sky.

We went to Agra to see *the Taj Mahal*.



- Names of the four directions

Examples:

the north, the south, the east, the west

The sun rises in the east.



2. Colour the words before which *the* is added.

alligator	west	kite	Charminar	bag
sun	book	bird	moon	sky

3. The word *the* is missing in the sentences given below. Rewrite the sentences using *the*. One is done for you.

(a) I lost ball I bought yesterday.

I lost the ball I bought yesterday.