Countable nouns refer to objects that we can count. Examples are: *books, flowers, pen, children, apple* etc. Countable nouns have singular and plural forms. Singular countable nouns are always used with an article or another determiner.

Uncountable nouns refer to objects that we cannot count. Examples are: wheat, rice, sand, oil, ghee etc.

Usually it is easy to see whether a noun is countable or uncountable. But sometimes things are not so clear. Many nouns that are countable in other languages are uncountable in English. In the same way, some nouns that are uncountable in other languages are countable in English.

Test your knowledge of countable and uncountable nouns with this grammar exercise.

1. The college provides for students.
accommodation
accommodations
2. I need some about the new management program.
information
informations

3. Have you got?
many luggage
many luggages
a lot of luggage
4. Switzerland is known for its enchanting
scenery
sceneries
5. She has got enoughfor the job.
experience
experiences

6. I have bought two
breads
loaves of bread
7. He is looking for
work
a work
8. The journal has published a on this subject.
research
piece of research

9. A ...... is absolutely essential for success in the show business.

luck	
bit of luck	
10. We are having weather.	
terrible	
a terrible	

# Answers

- 1. The collage provides accommodation for students.
- 2. I need some information about the new management program.
- 3. Have you got a lot of luggage?
- 4. Switzerland is known for its enchanting scenery.
- 5. She has got enough experience for the job.
- 6. I have bought two loaves of bread.
- 7. He is looking for work.
- 8. The journal has published a piece of research on this subject.

9.	Α	bit	of	luck	is	absolutel	/ essential	for	success	in	the	show	business.

10. We are having terrible weather.