

# St. Francis ESOL lesson handout

Quantifier - pt.2

too much/many and a lot of

## -Too much (كثير جدا)

We use 'too much' for the uncountable and **BAD** nouns  
(things that you do not like)



Ex) I have (**too much**) homework to do today (So I do not like it.)  
(Uncountable)  
(.لدي الكثير من الواجبات المنزلية للقيام به اليوم)

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Ex) I have (**too many**) pens. (So I do not like it.)  
(Countable)  
(لدي الكثير من الأقلام)

## -a lot (الكثير من)

We use 'a lot of' for the uncountable and countable nouns (things that you do like!)

Ex) I have (a lot of) friends. (countable) (So I like it.)  
عندي اصدقاء كثيرين.

Ex) I have (a lot of) money. (uncountable) (So I like it.)  
لدي الكثير من المال.



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## Mini activity 1

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3. We use 'a lot' with:

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C: Both countable and uncountable nouns

D: no nouns

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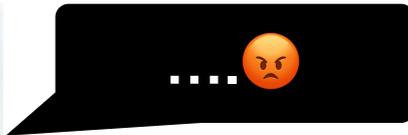
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## Mini activity 2

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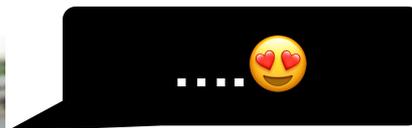
B: there is too much people in the station.

2. Grace opened her laptop and found out she had 5 pieces of homework. Grace hates homework, she can say:



- A: I have a lot of homework.
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### Mini activity 3



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A: a lot of    B: too much    C: too many



3. Dylan loves a chocolate bar, and he has 50 chocolate bars in his room. Dylan said ' I have \_\_\_\_\_ chocolate bars in my room'.

A: a little    B: too many    C: a lot of

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## Mini activity 4

Read the story and fill in the blanks with the correct quantifier.



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**List of quantifiers:** too much/too many/a lot of

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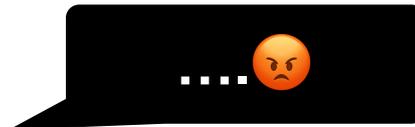
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