

SCENE 11 • GRAMMAR

공일공 / 하나, 둘 / 몇 개

Two number systems and phone numbers

6 Exercises • Duration: 20 min.

The café

Korean

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online

Two number systems and phone numbers

For phone digits, dates, money and minutes, use Sino-Korean numbers: 일, 이, 삼, 사, 오, 육, 칠, 팔, 구, 십. Zero is often 공 in a phone number, and 영 in other contexts. Read phone numbers digit by digit.

For ordinary counting, learn native 하나, 둘, 셋, 넷, 다섯, 여섯, 일곱, 여덟, 아홉, 열. Before a counter, the first four become 한, 두, 세, 네. 개 counts general objects: 열쇠 한 개.

몇 asks how many: 몇 개예요? Numbers do not need a plural ending. Practise number plus counter as a phrase, rather than replacing every number with the same system.

Form	Example	Meaning
한	한 개	one item
두	두 개	two items
세	세 개	three items
네	네 개	four items

공일공은 010이에요.

Gong-il-gong is 010.

열쇠 한 개예요.

It is one key.

열쇠 두 개예요.

There are two keys.

열쇠 세 개예요.

There are three keys.

열쇠 네 개예요.

There are four keys.

열쇠가 몇 개예요?

How many keys are there?

GRAMMAR**G1) NOTICE THE USEFUL FORMS**

Underline the highlighted form described in this unit.

1 공일공은 010이에요.

Meaning: Gong-il-gong is 010.

2 열쇠 한 개예요.

Meaning: It is one key.

3 열쇠 두 개예요.

Meaning: There are two keys.

4 열쇠 세 개예요.

Meaning: There are three keys.

G2) CHOOSE THE FRIENDLY POLITE FORM

Choose the form that fits the English meaning and the polite sentence.

1 공일공은 _____이에요.

- ☐ A 015
- ☐ B 110
- ☐ C 010

Meaning: Gong-il-gong is 010.

2 열쇠 _____개예요.

- ☐ A 한
- ☐ B 하나
- ☐ C 일

Meaning: It is one key.

3 열쇠 _____ 개예요.

- ☐ A 두
- ☐ B 둘
- ☐ C 이

Meaning: There are two keys.

4 열쇠 _____ 개예요.

- ☐ A 셋
- ☐ B 세
- ☐ C 삼

Meaning: There are three keys.

5 열쇠 _____ 개예요.

- ☐ A 네
- ☐ B 넷
- ☐ C 사

Meaning: There are four keys.

6 열쇠가 _____ 개예요?

- Ⓐ 어디
- Ⓑ 누구
- Ⓒ 몇

Meaning: How many keys are there?

G3) COMPLETE A SHORT MESSAGE

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

두 둘

열쇠 _____ 개예요.

Meaning: There are two keys.

세 셋

열쇠 _____ 개예요.

Meaning: There are three keys.

네 넷

열쇠 _____ 개예요.

Meaning: There are four keys.

몇 누구

열쇠가 _____ 개예요?

Meaning: How many keys are there?

G4) BUILD USEFUL SENTENCES

Put the words in order.

- 1 두 열쇠 개예요.

Meaning: There are two keys.

- 2 개예요. 열쇠 세

Meaning: There are three keys.

- 3 네 열쇠 개예요.

Meaning: There are four keys.

- 4 열쇠가 개예요? 몇

Meaning: How many keys are there?

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?

Choose the right words for the situation.

1 Gong-il-gong is 010. You say:

- Ⓐ 공일공은 010이에요.
- Ⓑ 공일공은 015이에요.

2 It is one key. You say:

- Ⓐ 열쇠 하나 개예요.
- Ⓑ 열쇠 한 개예요.

3 There are two keys. You say:

- Ⓐ 열쇠 둘 개예요.
- Ⓑ 열쇠 두 개예요.

4 There are three keys. You say:

- Ⓐ 열쇠 셋 개예요.
- Ⓑ 열쇠 세 개예요.

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS

Match the pairs.

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| ① 열쇠가 몇 개예요? | Ⓐ There are four keys. |
| ② 열쇠 세 개예요. | Ⓑ How many keys are there? |
| ③ 열쇠 두 개예요. | Ⓒ It is one key. |
| ④ 공일공은 010이에요. | Ⓓ There are two keys. |
| ⑤ 열쇠 네 개예요. | Ⓔ There are three keys. |
| ⑥ 열쇠 한 개예요. | Ⓕ Gong-il-gong is 010. |