

SCENE 19 • GRAMMAR

큰 것 / 작은 것 / 반씩

Choosing an item and sharing a cost

6 Exercises • Duration: 20 min.

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Korean

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To put a description before a noun, many describing stems take **은** after a consonant or **ㄴ** after a vowel: **작은 스케치북**, **큰 스케치북**.
With an understood item, use **것**: **큰 것**, **작은 것**. In conversation **거** is common.

초록색 can come directly before a noun as a colour label: **초록색 스케치북**. For now choose with a short phrase rather than building several clauses. Remember that **큰** is not **크는**.

반씩 means half each. **만 사천 원씩** means fourteen thousand won each. **씩** attaches to the quantity; it does not change the currency noun into a plural.

Form	Example	Meaning
크다	큰 것	the big one
작다	작은 것	the small one
길다	긴 머리	long hair
짧다	짧은 머리	short hair

큰 스케치북 주세요.

The big sketchbook, please.

작은 것 주세요.

The small one, please.

초록색 스케치북이에요.

It is a green sketchbook.

반씩 내요.

We pay half each.

만 사천 원씩 내요.

We each pay fourteen thousand won.

작은 것 주세요.

The small one, please.

GRAMMAR**G1) NOTICE THE USEFUL FORMS**

Underline the highlighted form described in this unit.

- 1 큰 스케치북 주세요.

Meaning: The big sketchbook, please.

- 2 작은 것 주세요.

Meaning: The small one, please.

- 3 초록색 스케치북이에요.

Meaning: It is a green sketchbook.

4 반 싹 내요.

Meaning: We pay half each.

G2) CHOOSE THE FRIENDLY POLITE FORM

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

1 _____ 스케치북 주세요.

- Ⓐ 크어요
- Ⓑ 크는
- Ⓒ 큰

Meaning: The big sketchbook, please.

2 _____ 것 주세요.

- Ⓐ 작는
- Ⓑ 작은
- Ⓒ 작아요

Meaning: The small one, please.

3 _____ 스케치북이에요.

- Ⓐ 초록색
- Ⓑ 초록색이
- Ⓒ 초록색을

Meaning: It is a green sketchbook.

4 반_____ 내요.

- Ⓐ 에서
- Ⓑ 씩
- Ⓒ 까지

Meaning: We pay half each.

5 만 사천 원_____ 내요.

- Ⓐ 에
- Ⓑ 씩
- Ⓒ 하고

Meaning: We each pay fourteen thousand won.

6 작은 _____ 주세요.

- Ⓐ 언제
- Ⓑ 것
- Ⓒ 누구

Meaning: The small one, please.

G3) COMPLETE A SHORT MESSAGE

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

초록색이 초록색

_____ 스케치북이에요.

Meaning: It is a green sketchbook.

에서 씹

반_____내요.

Meaning: We pay half each.

하고 씹

만 사천 원_____내요.

Meaning: We each pay fourteen thousand won.

누구 것

작은 _____주세요.

Meaning: The small one, please.

G4) BUILD USEFUL SENTENCES

Put the words in order.

- 1 스케치북이에요. 초록색 네.

Meaning: Yes. It is a green sketchbook.

- 2 반씩 네. 내요.

Meaning: Yes. We pay half each.

- 3 내요. 만 사천 원씩

Meaning: We each pay fourteen thousand won.

- 4

Meaning: The small one, please.

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?

Choose the right words for the situation.

1 The big sketchbook, please. You say:

- ☐ A 큰 스케치북 주세요.
- ☐ B 크는 스케치북 주세요.

2 The small one, please. You say:

- ☐ A 작는 것 주세요.
- ☐ B 작은 것 주세요.

3 It is a green sketchbook. You say:

- ☐ A 초록색이 스케치북이에요.
- ☐ B 초록색 스케치북이에요.

4 We pay half each. You say:

Ⓐ 반에서 내요.

Ⓑ 반씩 내요.

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS

Match the pairs.

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| ① 반씩 내요. | Ⓐ We pay half each. |
| ② 초록색 스케치북이에요. | Ⓑ The small one, please. |
| ③ 만 사천 원씩 내요. | Ⓒ We each pay fourteen thousand won. |
| ④ 작은 것 주세요. | Ⓓ The small one, please. |
| ⑤ 큰 스케치북 주세요. | Ⓔ The big sketchbook, please. |
| ⑥ 작은 것 주세요. | Ⓕ It is a green sketchbook. |