



SMART JUNIORS 2

The Natural World

Lesson 47

Grammar Station (1)



GRAMMAR LEAD-IN

- Choose the correct word to complete each sentence.

so

such

too

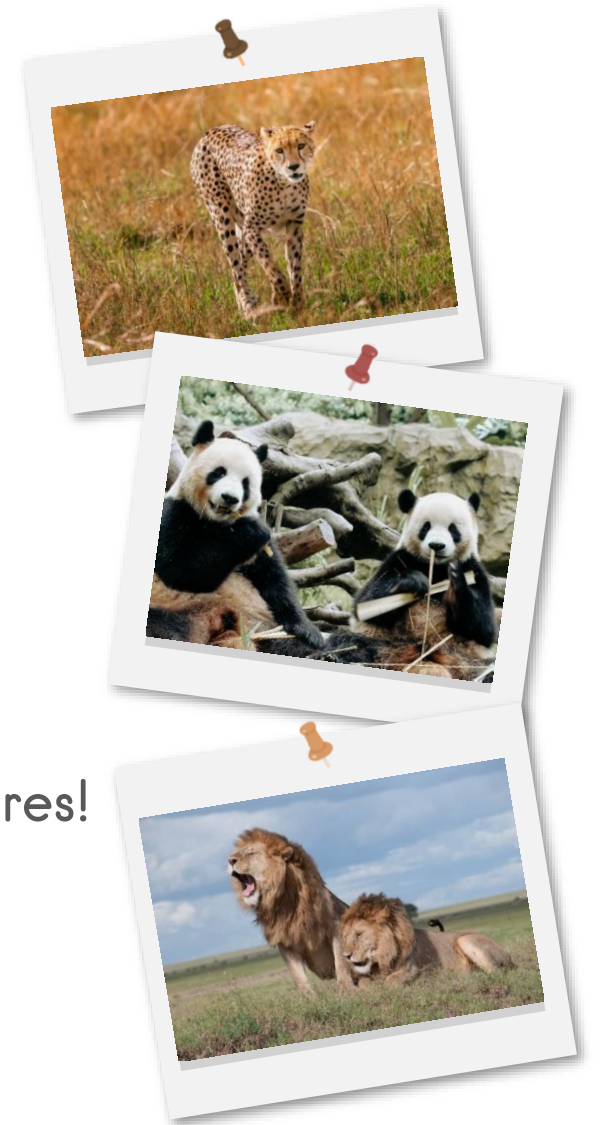
enough

The forest provides _____ food and shelter for a variety of wildlife.

The cheetah runs _____ fast that it can catch its prey in seconds.

Pandas are known for their cuteness; they are _____ adorable creatures!

The lion's roar was _____ loud for us to hear from a safe distance.



GRAMMAR FOCUS

+ Adjective or Adverb

+ Countable Nouns

+ Uncountable Nouns

So

You're **so** lazy.

You speak **so** quickly.

You make **so** many excuses.

I've got **so** few nice clothes.

They cost **so** much money.

I have **so** little time.

Such

You talk **such** nonsense.

You're **such** a lazy person.

You make **such** a lot of excuses.

I've got **such** a lot of nice clothes.

They cost **such** a lot of money.

I have **such** a lot of time.

⚠ Such is not followed by an adverb, only an **adjective**.



Have a try! Complete the dialogue.



Lily, you are _____ late today. Is everything alright?

I'm fine. I'm _____ sorry to make you wait on _____ a cold day.



GRAMMAR FOCUS

- We use **so** and **such + (that)** to say why something happens.

So

He walked **so** slowly (**that**) we arrived late.

= We arrived late **because** he walked extremely slowly.

Such

The news was **such** a shock (**that**) they didn't know what to say.

= They didn't know what to say **because** the news was a big shock.

 **Have a try!** Write 'so' or 'such' on the blank then match the pairs to form sentences.

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|---|---|---------------------------------|
| 1. He is _____ fast | ○ | ○ that everyone loves her food. |
| 2. She is _____ a good cook | ○ | ○ that he always wins the race. |
| 3. It's _____ hot today | ○ | ○ that I can't put it down. |
| 4. This book is _____ an interesting read | ○ | ○ that I need to stay indoors. |

enough + noun

Enough

We've got **enough** sandwiches.
We haven't got **enough** sandwiches.

adjective/adverb + enough

This room is warm **enough**.
This room isn't warm **enough**.
Am I speaking loudly **enough**?

too + many/much + noun

Too

We've got **too** many sandwiches.
We've got **too** much food.

too + adjective/ adverb

This room is **too** warm.
This room is **too** cold.
Am I speaking **too** loudly?

 **Have a try!** Supply the missing words.



Cathy has _____ much homework but she is diligent _____ to do it.

They aren't big _____ for me, they are _____ tight.



PRACTICE TIME

- You have a 2-day vacation. On the first day, you plan to visit a garden. Give comments about the place using the words.

such

so

enough

too



PRACTICE TIME

- **On the second day, you visit a zoo. Tell whether the sentence is correct or incorrect. Then, correct the incorrect ones.**

1

The animal zoo is a fascinating place where you can see a wide variety of animals.

2

It's amazing to see such many different animals in one place, and there are many chances to learn.

3

It's important to make sure that zoos give animals enough space and things to do to keep them happy and healthy.

4

Without the right care and attention, there can never be too much focus on saving these incredible creatures.



So vs. Too Both are adverbs but convey different meanings.

01 The soup is **so** hot. (positive)
= The soup is hotter than expected or very warm.

02 The soup is **too** hot. (negative)
= The heat level is too high and unsafe to eat.

03 The bag is so heavy.
= _____

04 The bag is too heavy.
= _____

What's the difference?



- Choose the correct words to complete the passage.

The situation of the African Black Rhino serves as a clear reminder of the impact of poaching and habitat loss on **(so, such)** majestic animals. Their numbers have decreased to dangerously low levels, and there's an urgent need for **(too, enough)** action to prevent their extinction.

The demand for rhino horn in some regions has been **(so, too)** high that poachers have stopped at nothing to obtain it, further endangering these incredible creatures. Conservation efforts have made progress, but it's clear that we can never invest **(such, too)** many resources and effort into protecting these rhinos and preserving their natural habitats.





so

- 01 Adjective or Adverb
- 02 Countable Nouns
- 03 Uncountable Nouns

such

- 01 Adjective
- 02 Countable Nouns
- 03 Uncountable Nouns

too

- 01 too + many/much + noun
- 02 too + adjective/ adverb

enough

- 01 enough + noun
- 02 adjective/adverb + enough



WHAT'S NEXT...

In the next lesson, we're going
to learn about linking words.