Nombres contables e incontables

Be: incontables y unidades contables

Advice, information, furniture, luggage, homework, news, weather, traffic, equipment y work son incontables en estos contextos y llevan is. News termina en -s, pero no es plural. Si contamos unidades, mira su nombre: pieces, assignments, reports, forecasts, cars, buses y jobs son plurales y llevan are.

Ejemplo resuelto

The news ____ good today. → The news is good today.

Las noticias son buenas hoy.

Completa con la forma afirmativa de be en presente: is o are, según el sujeto.

01. My work _____ ready to check.

02. The weather _____ perfect for a picnic.

03. The jobs on our list _____ almost done.

04. The work for today _____ finished.

05. My homework _____ due on Friday.

06. The information on the notice _____ correct.

07. The weather forecasts _____ different for each town.

08. The traffic near the bridge _____ slow.

09. Those two pieces of news _____ surprising.

10. The furniture in this room _____ old.

11. Those pieces of advice _____ easy to remember.

12. These three pieces of advice _____ for new students.

13. Her luggage _____ on the train.

14. Both pieces of luggage _____ too heavy to carry.

15. The buses in the traffic _____ almost full.

16. Our luggage _____ already in the car.

17. Both pieces of news _____ about our school.

18. Tonight's homework _____ quite short.

19. The three pieces of furniture _____ ready to move.

20. The weather today _____ colder than yesterday.

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Continuación: ejercicios 21-40. Completa con la forma afirmativa de be en presente: is o are, según el sujeto.

21. The equipment in the gym _____ new.

22. The two pieces of information _____ in my notebook.

23. The news from home _____ encouraging.

24. Those jobs _____ suitable for students.

25. Both pieces of equipment _____ easy to use.

26. Those cars in the traffic _____ moving slowly.

27. The news on the radio _____ good today.

28. The advice you gave me _____ very helpful.

29. The pieces of luggage by the door _____ ours.

30. Our new furniture _____ comfortable.

31. The homework assignments _____ on the class website.

32. The weather reports _____ on the screen.

33. The information in this email _____ private.

34. The traffic downtown _____ very heavy this morning.

35. This equipment _____ safe for children.

36. The pieces of equipment on the table _____ for science class.

37. Both pieces of information _____ important for our trip.

38. These homework assignments _____ for next week.

39. Your advice about studying _____ useful.

40. Those pieces of furniture _____ too large for the room.

Soluciones

Frases con el hueco completado. La respuesta aparece en negrita.

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03. The jobs on our list **are** almost done.
04. The work for today **is** finished.
05. My homework **is** due on Friday.
06. The information on the notice **is** correct.
07. The weather forecasts **are** different for each town.
08. The traffic near the bridge **is** slow.
09. Those two pieces of news **are** surprising.
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