

Review 3

Class Objective:

I will be able to recall all the concepts and answer all the questions appropriately.

Concept A: Adjectives

- The spelling rules that affect the pluralization of nouns and verb conjugations also apply when inflecting adjectives.
- The -e is not added when the adjective occurs before a neuter singular noun without an article (warm water) or a neuter singular noun preceded by een, geen, elk (each), ieder (each), menig (many a), veel (much), welk (which) or zo'n (such a).
- Adjectives that end in -en, as well as the adjectives linker (left) and rechter (right), do not add -e either.

het grote huis - the large house

de lange muur - the long wall

mijn mooie tuin - my beautiful garden

snelle treinen - fast trains

een oud huis - an old house

vers brood - fresh bread

de houten trap - the wooden staircase

zijn rechter oog - his right eye

- When an adjective is placed directly after iets (something), niet (nothing), veel (much), weinig (little), and wat (something), it adds the ending -s.

iets moois - something beautiful

niets nieuws - nothing new

- If the noun following the adjective has been mentioned before, it may be omitted. In English, "one" is used in its place, but there is no equivalent word in Dutch. Dutch simply uses the article and adjective, with the -e inflection, if it is required.

Koop je een jurk? Ja, ik neem de blauwe. Are you buying a dress? Yes, I'll take the blue (one.)

More adjectives

groot	big
klein	small
lekker	tasty













