



Mini Lesson 064 - The Use of 'So' and 'Such' for Emphasis

The words 'so' and 'such' are used to add emphasis to adjectives and nouns in sentences. While both express a high degree of something, they are used in different ways.

- **So** is used before adjectives and adverbs.
- Example: She is **so** talented! (Here, 'so' emphasizes the adjective 'talented'.)

- **Such** is used before a noun or a noun phrase.
- Example: It was **such** a great concert! (Here, 'such' emphasizes the noun 'concert'.)

Key Differences:

- Use 'so' to intensify adjectives/adverbs.
- Use 'such' to intensify nouns.

Examples:

- Correct: This cake is **so** delicious!
- Correct: He is **such** a good friend!

Common Mistakes:

- Incorrect: She is such smart.
- Correct: She is **so** smart.

- Incorrect: It was so an amazing trip.
- Correct: It was **such** an amazing trip.





Exercises:

Section 1: Fill in the Blanks

Complete each sentence using 'so' or 'such'.

1. This movie is _____ interesting!
2. He is _____ a kind person.
3. The weather today is _____ beautiful.
4. That was _____ a funny joke!
5. I was _____ tired after the game.
6. She has _____ great ideas for the project.
7. It was _____ a lovely day at the park.

Section 2: Choose the Correct Answer

Circle the correct word to complete each sentence.

1. I am (so/such) excited about the trip!
2. They are (so/such) talented musicians.
3. It was (so/such) a difficult test.
4. Jane is (so/such) friendly and helpful.
5. We had (so/such) a wonderful time at the zoo.





Section 3: Rewrite the Sentences

Rewrite the sentences using either 'so' or 'such'.

1. This pizza tastes very good.

- This pizza tastes _____ good.

2. That was an incredible performance.

- That was _____ an incredible performance.

3. He runs very fast.

- He runs _____ fast.

4. They have a lovely house.

- They have _____ a lovely house.

5. She finished the exam very quickly.

- She finished the exam _____ quickly.

Section 4: Complete the Dialogue

Fill in the blanks using 'so' or 'such'.

A: Did you see the fireworks last night?

B: Yes! They were _____ amazing!

A: I know! I didn't expect them to be _____ beautiful.

B: I can't wait for next year's show. It will be _____ fun!





Answers:

Section 1:

1. so
2. such
3. so
4. such
5. so
6. such
7. such

Section 2:

1. so
2. such
3. such
4. so
5. such

Section 3:

1. so
2. such
3. so
4. such
5. so

Section 4:

1. so
2. so
3. such

