Is the noun countable? (No) Is the noun definite? (No) You do not need an article.

Is the noun definite? (Yes) Use "the"

Is the noun singular? (No) Is the noun definite? (No) You do not need an article.

Is the noun definite? (Yes) Use "the"

Is the noun definite? (No) Does the noun begin w/ a vowel sound? (No) Use "a"

Yes

Use "the"

Use "an"