

Toad Loader – *Missing Articles* Writing activity

Instructions: The story segment below is missing some important words. They are called ARTICLES. Please enter the missing articles.

It was very late when she decided to go to sleep. She had been working hard all day and into _____ night because her boss, Mr. Johnson, had told her that if she didn't finish ____ work by tomorrow morning, she would be fired. It would be hard to find _____ new job in this town, as she was so new to it. It had taken her ____ long time to find ____ job she did have, even if she worked twice as much as she was paid for.

She knew few, if any, other young women her age who could afford ____ room in _____ rooming house like she could. That was one saving grace, if nothing else. Having _____ room all to herself was really _____ special treat.

When she was growing up, she shared ____ bed with two sisters in _____ room with two other beds and six brothers. Well, just thinking about it now, it wasn't all that bad. She missed her brothers and sisters, of course, and all _____ noise they made when they laughed together.

She hoped _____ money she was sending home to her parents was _____ lot of help. Otherwise, _____ sacrifice was not worth it.

Briefly, write what you think happened in the story above. Make sure you use the proper ARTICLES in your sentences!