I. Add final -s/-es as necessary. If a verb is needed, choose the correct one from the parentheses. (40%)

1. machinery It takes a lot of ___________ machinery ________ to build a road.
2. equipment There ___________ are a lot of ___________ equipment ________ in the chemistry lab.
3. jewelry Marie wears a lot of ___________ jewelry ________.
4. news There ___________ (isn't, aren't) any interesting ___________ news ________ in today's paper.
5. suggestion Can you give me some ___________ suggestions ________?
6. rice People in my country eat a lot of ___________ rice ________.
7. bread My uncle always has ___________ bread ________ with his dinner.
8. sandwich People in Canada often have ___________ sandwiches ________ for lunch.
9. plant Ann has a lot of ___________ plants ________ in her apartment.
10. traffic There ___________ (is, are) a lot of ___________ traffic ________ in the street.
11. novel I like to read good ___________ novels ________.
12. mail Did you get any ___________ mail ________ today?
13. change I need some ___________ change ________ for the vending machine.
14. homework I have a lot of ___________ homework ________ to do tonight.
15. garbage The street is very dirty. There ___________ (is, are) some ___________ garbage ________ in the street.
16. grammar I know a lot of ___________ grammar ________.

II. Complete the sentences with MANY or MUCH. Add -s if necessary to make a noun plural. If a verb is needed, choose the correct one from the parentheses (20%)

1. fruit How ___________ much fruit ________ did you buy?
2. postage How ___________ much postage ________ did you buy?
3. English Anna’s husband doesn't know ___________ much English ________.
4. course How many ___________ courses ________ are you taking this semester?
5. coffee Louise drinks too ___________ much coffee ________.
6. kind There (is, are) ___________ many kinds ________ of flowers.
7. pollution ___________ (Is, Are) there ___________ much pollution ________ in Miami?
8. sugar You shouldn’t eat too ___________ much sugar ________.

III. Complete the sentences with A FEW or A LITTLE. Add -s if necessary to make a noun plural. (20%)

1. music I feel like listening to ___________ a little music ________ tonight.
2. advice I need ___________ a little advice ________.
3. coin Annie put ___________ a few coins ________ in her pocket.
4. time I'm not finished with my work. I need ___________ a little more time ________.
5. help
Do you need a little help with that?

6. progress
I've made a little progress in the last couple of weeks.

7. flower
I picked a few flowers from my garden.

8. chicken
I'm still hungry. I think I'll have a little more chicken.

9. chicken
When I was a child, we raised a few chickens in our back yard.

10. toothpaste
Tommy, put just a little toothpaste on your toothbrush, not half the tube!

IV. Add final -s/-es as necessary. Choose the correct word from the parentheses. (20%)

1. lamb
Lambs (is, are) born in the springtime.

2. paper
The New York Times is (is, some) famous paper.

3. hair
Erin has straight hair.

4. light
There (is, are) a lot of fluorescent lights on the ceilings of the school building.

5. glass
In some countries, people use glasses for their tea; in other countries, they use cups.

6. iron
Iron (is, are) necessary to animal and plant life.