

Los artículos definidos

Often we use words called articles in front of a noun.

There are 4 definite articles in Spanish, and they all mean the.



Why?

Because F.O.L. #1.
All nouns have
number and gender.

Since all the nouns in Spanish have NUMBER and GENDER, there are

1. S / M nouns,
2. S / F nouns,
3. P / M nouns and
4. P / F nouns.

We need a different "THE" for each situation.

the	masculino	feminino
singular	el	la
plural	los	las