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### 1. countable noun

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*Perhaps there is a negative side to his **character** that you haven't seen yet.*

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*He's begun a series of personal attacks on my **character**.*

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8. uncountable noun

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[approval]

*She showed real **character** in her attempts to win over the crowd.*

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