

Cheat Sheet a lot / allot

a lot a large number

Hint: Think of “a parking lot” or “a whole lot” to remember to put a space between these two words.

I brought a lot of ice cream to the party.

My brother plays video games a lot.

A lot of times, we just walk to school instead of taking the bus.

allot to assign or distribute in portions

They are going to allot two slices of pizza to each person.

When planning your school shopping, be sure to allot enough money for pens.

I was allotted twenty minutes to use the shower.

p.s. The word **alot** is not a word. Never has been. Never will be.