

Singular – only

one

Examples:

car, tree, bus, mango,
dish, country

Plural – more than one

Examples:

cars, trees, buses,
mangoes, dishes,
countries

Plural rules

most time we just add 's'

ends in 'y' -> drop the 'y' and add 'ies'

ends in 'ch', 's', 'sh', 'x', 'z' -> add 'es'

ends in f or fe -> drop the 'f' 'fe' and add 'ves'

We can form plurals by adding 's' to the singular
most of the nouns

Singular	Plural
door	doors
book	books
shop	shops
dog	dogs
carrot	carrots
car	cars
pen	pens
flower	flowers
pot	pots
cat	cats

Singular	Plural
girl	girls
pencil	pencils
desk	desks
train	trains
tree	trees
table	tables
month	months
cow	cows
window	windows
picture	pictures
kite	kites

i) We can form plurals by adding 's' to the singular most of the nouns

Singular	Plural
door	doors
book	books
shop	shops
ear	ears
year	years
horse	horses
house	houses

ii) But there are some nouns that end with a hissing sound, such noun needs 'es' at the end.

Singular	Plural
glass	glasses
class	classes
box	boxes
fox	foxes
bush	bushes
dish	dishes

iii) Some nouns have 'o' at the end.
Here also we add 'es' at the end.

Singular	Plural
potato	potatoes
mango	mangoes
cargo	cargoes
hero	heroes
buffalo	buffaloes
mosquito	mosquitoes

iv) Some nouns that end with 'o' form their plurals by adding 's' alone.

Singular	Plural
piano	pianos
bamboo	bamboos
stereo	stereos
dynamo	dynamos

v) There are some nouns that ends with 'f' or 'fe', We cannot add 's' or 'es'. In such nouns, first we turn 'f' into 'v' and then add 'es'.

Singular	Plural
leaf	leaves
wolf	wolves
calf	calves
loaf	loaves
knife	knives
life	lives

vi) Nouns end with a consonant and 'y'. In such cases drop 'y' and add 'ies' at the end.

Singular	Plural
lady	ladies
baby	babies
story	stories
family	families
country	countries
diary	diaries
reply	replies

vii) Noun ends with vowel and 'y', we add 's' to form plurals.

Singular	Plural
donkey	donkeys
valley	valleys
boy	boys
toy	toys
ray	rays
tray	trays

viii) There are some nouns that do not follow any rule. These are irregular plurals.

Singular	Plural
man	men
woman	women
tooth	teeth
foot	feet
mouse	mice
ox	oxen
child	children

Circle the correct plural noun for each singular noun

1. penny pennys pennies pennyves

2. dish dishies dishs dishes

3. peach peachies peaches peachs

4. calf calfs calves calves

5. cherry cherries cherrys cherryes

6. wish wivs wishes wishies

Circle the correct plural noun for each singular noun

7. pouch pouchs pouchies pouches

8. wolf wolfs wolves wolfes

9. berry berrys berryes berries

10. essay essays essaies essais

11. mango mangos mangoies mangoes

12. proof prooves proofes proofs

Write the plural form of each noun

1. Mary has three _____ (son)

2. Many _____ fell from the tree. (leaf)

3. Annie saw two _____ in the mountain.
(wolf)

4. I am going to buy two _____ of bread.
(loaf)

5. I bought two _____. (bed)

Write the plural form of each noun

1. lady - _____

9. glass - _____

2. baby - _____

10. class - _____

3. party - _____

11. life - _____

4. grocery - _____

12. loaf - _____

5. library - _____

13. thief - _____

6. country - _____

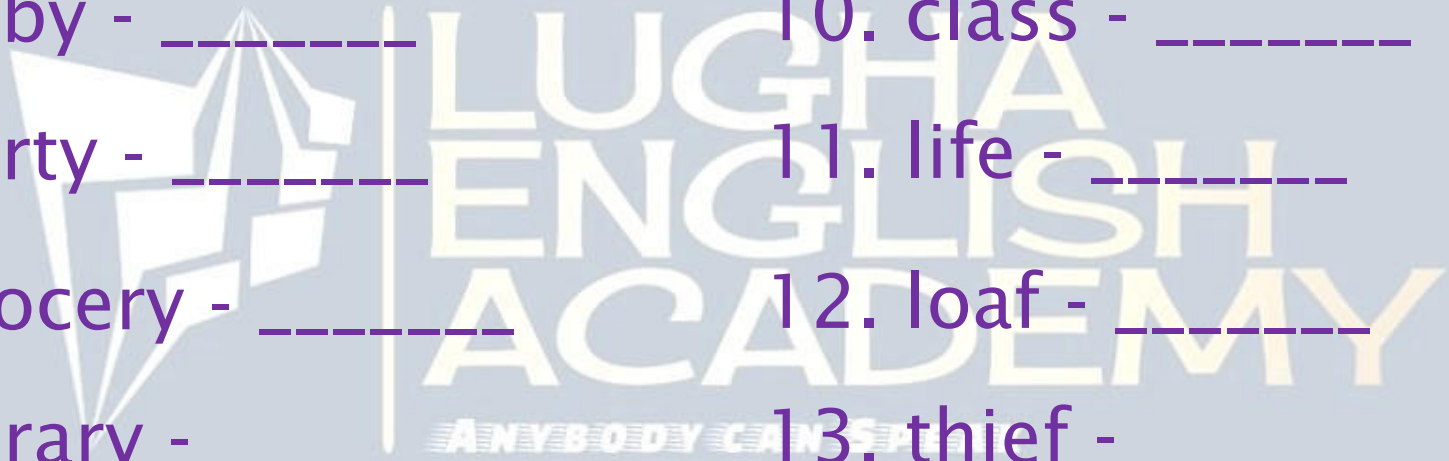
14. half - _____

7. branch - _____

15. calf - _____

8. dish - _____

16. shelf - _____



Write the plural form of each noun

6. Sherin saw three _____ in her dream. (fairy)

7. I have two _____. (box)

8. My uncle has three _____. (house)

9. Many _____ (mosquito) were found near the drainage.

10. Few _____ flew away. (bird)

Fill the Correct plural forms from the given words.

1.The _____ of the tree have dried up. (Leafs/leaves)

2.The _____ ate all the cheese in the tin. (Mouses/mice)

3.The _____ were caught by the children. (Butterflys/butterflies)

4.His _____ have decayed. (teeth/tooth)

5._____ live in canal. (Horses/horse)

6.The _____ are playing in the garden. (Children/chilids)

7.The _____ of Jammu and Kashmir are beautiful. (Valleys/Vallies)

8.His _____ were grazing in the field. (Sheep/Sheeps)

9.The _____ of both the houses are damaged. (Roofs/Rooves)

10.They were presented the _____. (Proofs/prooves).

Write down the plural form of each of the following noun.

Phone-

Photo-

Cry-

Bus-

Baby-

Tooth-

Sandwich-

Nurse-

Potato-

Wife –



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Write the plural form of the nouns given below.

- child.....
- man.....
- woman.....
- wife.....
- knife.....
- half.....
- mouse.....
- goose.....
- tooth.....
- foot.....
- elf.....
- loaf.....
- leaf.....
- knife.....



Write the plural form of the nouns given below

roof.....

chief.....

passer-by.....

brush.....

glass.....

gas.....

body.....

donkey.....

trolley.....

army.....

athlete.....

alumnus...

fungus.....

wolf.....

kidney.....

son-in-law.....

brother-in-law.....

cargo.....

thief.....

bush.....

foot.....

ox.....

trophy.....



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Additional worksheets



Write the plural form of each noun:

1. Car –

2. Apple –

3. Day –

4. Key –

5. Country –

6. Party –

7. Radio –

8. Stereo –

9. Hero –

10. Echo –

11. Box –

12. Match –

13. Elf –

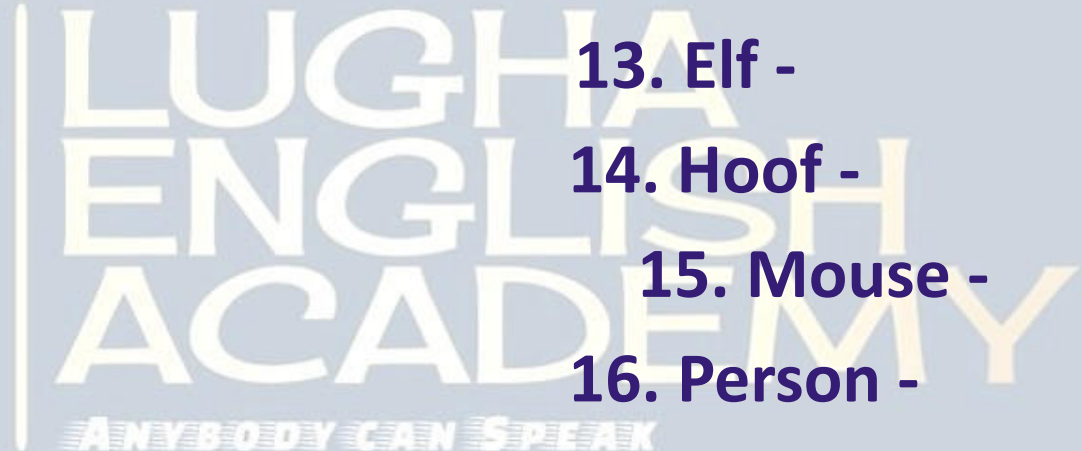
14. Hoof –

15. Mouse –

16. Person –

17. Series –

18. Species –



Write the plural form of each noun:

1.Anchor -

2.Bridge -

3.Wife -

4.Cactus -

5.Factory -

6.Eye -

7.Index -

8.Man -

9.Watch -

10.Mango -

