

Plural nouns

Rules

#1 Most of nouns add **-s** girls – apples- beds

#2 Nouns ending in s, ss, ch,sh, x, o add **-es** buses, kisses- brunches- brushes- boxes- tomatoes Exception: pianos, photos, halos

#3 Nouns ending in consonant + y, drop y add add **-ies** candy- candies – puppy-puppies Exception: (vowel + y) toys, boys

#4 For nouns that end in -f or -fe, drop -f or -fe and add **-ves**

Knife- knives - loaf- loaves - wolf-wolves Exception: roofs, beliefs, chefs, chiefs

#5 IRREGULAR PLURAL: man-men, woman- women, goose-geese child-children, tooth-teeth, foot- feet, mouse-mice, ox- oxen, person-people NO SUFFER ANY CHANGE: sheep-sheep, fish-fish, series-series, species-species, deer-deer

ONLY PLURAL: jeans, scissors, glasses, sunglasses, shorts, trousers

Let's practice

Write the plural form.

Singular	Plural	Singular	plural	singular	plural
child		wolf		deer	
table		puppy		species	
pencil		tomato		chef	
baby		photo		party	
loaf		series		echo	
man		sheep		life	
box		boy		piano	
toy		leaf		mouse	
dog		person		boat	
city		bed		story	
chair		umbrella		tooth	
knife		roof		penny	
house		bird		hero	
marsh		woman		half	
tax		pillow		pitch	
lunch		fox		potato	
bunch		match		river	
housewife		carton		spy	
goose		key		tray	
fish		wish		halo	
ox		foot		belief	