

Plurals

Countable nouns usually have different **singular** and **plural** forms, e.g. *car*, *cars*.

With **uncountable** nouns, there is **only one form** of the word, e.g. *rice*.

Plurals can be form adding **-s** or **-es**, depending on the word. These are the rules to make plurals:

- a. We usually add **-s**:

one book → *some books*

- b. When the nouns ends in **-sh**, **-ch**, **-ss**, **-s** or **-x**, we add **-es**:

dish → *dishes*

glass → *glasses*

_____ *box* → *boxes*

- c. When the noun ends in **-o** after a **consonant**, we also add **-es**:

- d. When the noun ends in **-y** after a **vowel**, we add **-s**:

- e. When to noun ends in **-y** after a **consonant**, we change y to l and add **-es**:

- f. Some nouns have irregular plurals, for example:

_____ *child* → *children*

_____ *foot* → *feet*

2. Add the following examples to the rule that they correspond:

woman → *women*

toy → *toys*

bus → *buses*

fish → *fish*

tomato → *tomatoes*

story → *stories*