

MULTIPLE MATCHING EXERCISE

1. Study these rules:

1. Words ending in /s/, /z/, /ʃ/, /ʒ/, /tʃ/, /dʒ/ :
add **-es**, pronounce one more syllable: /ɪz/
Examples: passes, boxes, buzzes, fishes, mirages, churches, fridges.
2. Words ending in /p/, /t/, /k/, /θ/, /f/ :
add **-s**, pronounce voiceless /s/
Examples: stops, starts, asks, myths, laughs
3. Words ending in **consonant + y**: replace **y** with **-ies**,
pronounce voiced /z/
Examples: cries.
4. Words ending in a **vowel**: add **-s or -es**, pronounce /z/
Examples: makes, goes, pianos, potatoes.
5. All other words: add **-s**, pronounce voiced /z/
Examples: plays, walls, birds, dogs,...

2. Drag these words to the correct box to classify them according to the way the final -s is pronounced:

drags words corrects boxes classifies pronounces

/-s/	/-z/	/-ɪz/