



LANGUAGE WORKSHEET

B1 PLURAL NOUNS

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Regular Plural Forms

We form the plural of a noun with the **singular + s**

parrot – parrots / apple – apples / girl – girls

Nouns ending with **y** if a consonant is written before. ----> **ies**

lolly – lollies / story – stories / strawberry – strawberries

but: boy – boys / toy – toys / bay – bays

Nouns ending with **ch, x, s, sh, o** ----> **es**

class – classes / brush – brushes / box – boxes

Some nouns ending with **f, fe, lf** ----> **ves**

knife – knives / wolf – wolves / life – lives

but: chiefs, safes, cliffs, handkerchiefs

Irregular Plural Forms

man – **men**

goose – **geese**

foot – **feet**

person – **people**

louse – **lice**

woman – **women**

ox – **oxen**

mouse – **mice**

tooth – **teeth**

child – **children**

Special Plural Nouns

Some nouns are identical to the singular form:

bison - **bison**

fish - **fish**

series - **series**

sheep - **sheep**

deer - **deer**

moose - **moose**

species - **species**

offspring - **offspring**

You can use **singular or plural** with nouns like family, class, police, team, army, band, choir, class, club, crew, company, firm, gang, government, orchestra, party, staff, etc.

Regular Plural

Fill in the regular and irregular plural forms of the nouns.

hero		loaf	
half		tree	
dash		bridge	
cliff		dish	
shelf		leaf	
calf		chief	
person		toy	
inch		alley	
photo		desk	
party		glass	
box		shoe	
louse		deer	
sheep		wolf	
city		crocodile	
bus		watch	
fox		bush	
match		horse	
week		wife	
cliff		tomato	
berry		roof	

Irregular Plural

Complete the sentences with the nouns in brackets. Use the plural.

1. Which Mediterranean are the cleanest? (beach)
2. Do you like ? (tomato)
3. How much do children's cost? (shoe)
4. How many does a cat have? (life)
5. Which three are the largest in the world? (city)
6. What percentage of has three kids? (family)
7. What are the best you have ever been to? (party)
8. How many should we write in a formal letter? (kiss)
9. What is the best way to keep out of the house? (fly)
10. How much would it cost to buy four of bread? (loaf)
11. How many are there in your town? (church)
12. What do most think about all day? (man)
13. How many did King Henry VIII have? (wife)
14. Should be allowed to use animals? (circus)
15. How many do you eat? (mango)
16. How many does a millipede have? (foot)
17. At what age do usually start to walk? (baby)

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