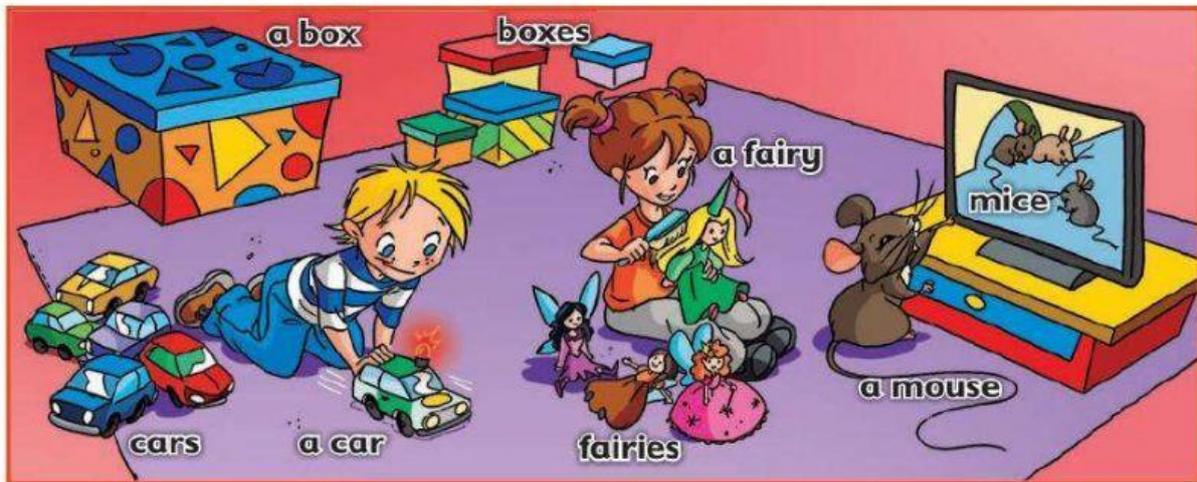


1b Plurals



Regular plurals				Irregular plurals			
Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural
a robot	robots	a tomato	tomatoes	a man	men	a tooth	teeth
an apple	apples	a boy	boys	a woman	women	a sheep	sheep
a box	boxes	a fairy	fairies	a child	children	a fish	fish
a glass	glasses			a mouse	mice		
a brush	brushes			a foot	feet		

- If we want to talk about more than one person, animal or thing, we usually add the ending **-s**.
a cat → three cats a desk → two desks a giraffe → five giraffes
- We add **-es** to words that end in **-s, -ss, -sh, -ch, -x** or **-o**.
a potato → four potatoes a glass → three glasses a box → two boxes
- If a word ends in **-y** and has a consonant before the **-y**, then we delete the **-y** and add **-ies**.
a baby → two babies a fairy → two fairies
- If a word ends in **-y** and has a vowel before the **-y**, then we add **-s**.
a boy → two boys a toy → three toys
- Some words do not form the plural with the ending **-s, -es** or **-ies**. They form the plural in a different way.
a man → two men a child → three children
- Some words stay the same in the singular and the plural.
a fish → four fish a sheep → five sheep



Plurals

5 Write the plural.

- 1 jeep *jeeps*
- 2 brush
- 3 giraffe
- 4 doll
- 5 baby
- 6 toy
- 7 box
- 8 glass

6 Complete.

Singular	Plural
1 <i>pencil</i>	pencils
2 boy
3 box
4	rubbers
5	babies

Singular	Plural
6 potato
7 table
8	buses
9 picture
10	chairs

7 Look, choose and write.

zebra apple brush robot notebook banana mouse fox



- 1 *apples*
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8

8 eight

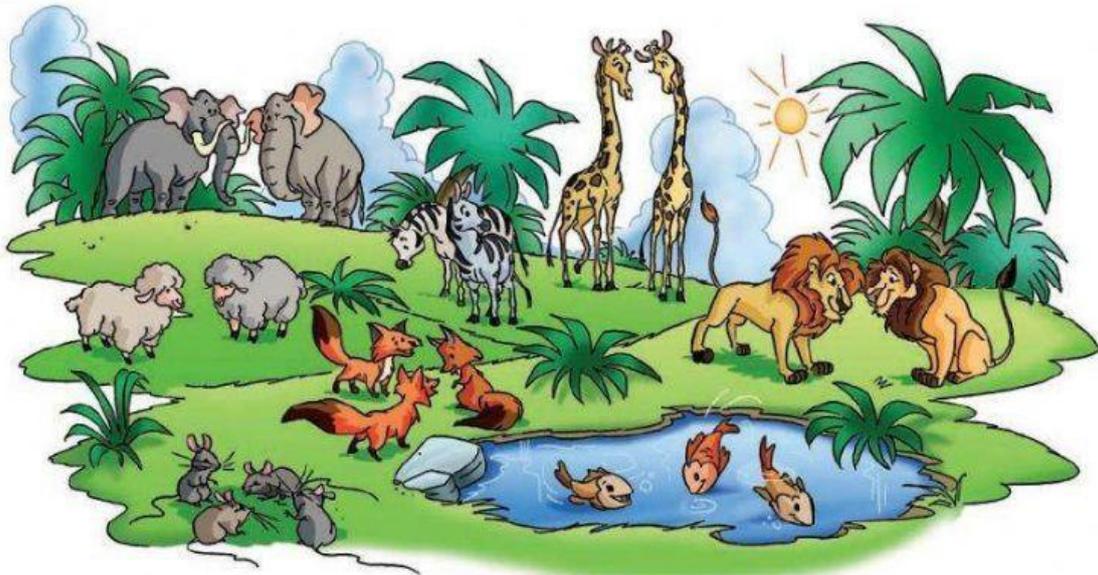
8 Write the plural in the correct group.

boy woman desk classroom fish apple child tooth
 fairy mouse pen sheep bag man foot box

Regular	
boys
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Irregular	
women
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9 Find, count and write.



- 1 elephant two elephants
- 3 fox
- 5 lion
- 7 mouse

- 2 zebra
- 4 giraffe
- 6 fish
- 8 sheep