Nouns Ending in y

RULES

Nouns ending with *y* form plurals in two ways:

If a noun ends in a **consonant + y**, change the *y* to *i* and add *-es*.

family *families* *buddy* *buddies*

If a noun ends in a **vowel + y**: add *-s*.

boy *boys* *key* *keys*

Noun	Ending	Plural
country	consonant + y	countries
holiday	vowel + y	holidays



Guided Practice

Write the correct plural form of each noun.

EXAMPLE: puppy puppies

1. day _____
2. lady _____
3. baby _____
4. turkey _____
5. daisy _____

6. key _____
7. ferry _____
8. bay _____
9. kitty _____
10. Wednesday _____

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A Write the correct plural form of each noun.

11. birthday _____ 12. company _____ 13. fly _____ 14. lily _____ 15. subway _____

B. Rewrite each sentence. Write the plural form of the noun in parentheses ( ).

16. Lucia and Eliot saved all their (penny).

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17. They spent the money on (cherry).

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18. They bought the fruit for their (journey).

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19. They were going to visit several (city).

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20. They hoped to see (monkey) in the wild.

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C: Which sentence is written correct with the plural word?

21. Charlie helped Juan they fed the pony.

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22. The cows finished their meals the donkey were next.

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23. The baby were hungry the boys rushed to feed them.

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24. All the berry were gone where did they go?

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25. They had set down their tray the geese stole the food.

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