

PLURAL NOUNS

FORM

To make the **plural** we usually add **-s** to the noun.

book → books

pen → pens



After nouns which end in **-y** we change the **-y** to **-i** and add **-es**.

lady → ladies



After nouns which end in **-s**, **-sh**, **-ch**, **-x** we add **-es**.

bus → buses

brush → brushes

watch → watches

box → boxes



Write the plurals in the correct list.

cat	puppy	child	glass	boy
class	beach	thief	half	day
box	shelf	mouse	baby	shirt
fish	woman	story	knife	city

After nouns which end in **-f** or **-fe** we change the **-f** to **-v** and add **-es**.

wolf → wolves

leaf → leaves



Some words that end in **-o** take **-es**.

potato → potatoes

tomato → tomatoes



Some words have **irregular plurals**. You have to learn them.

man → men

person → people

mouse → mice

tooth → teeth

fish → fish

child → children

foot → feet

sheep → sheep

woman → women



-S

-es

-ies

-ves

IRREGULAR