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Phonics

Irregular Plurals

Rule: Some words form their plurals in an unusual way.

goose - geese

mouse - mice

Drag the plural form of each word beside the correct singular form.

oxen mice feet children

men geese women teeth

1. man _____

2. foot _____

3. ox _____

4. woman _____

5. mouse _____

6. child _____

7. goose _____

8. tooth _____

Read each sentence. Write the plural form of the word in parentheses to complete the sentence.

9. The _____ were learning about animals in school. (child)

10. They learned that baby _____ are born without fur. (mouse)

11. _____ swim far up rivers to lay their eggs. (Salmon)

12. Sharks have many rows of sharp _____. (tooth)

13. _____ lose their antlers in winter and grow new ones in spring.
(Deer)

14. The antlers of _____ can spread six feet or more. (moose)

15. Moles have large _____ that they use as shovels. (foot)

16. Most Canada _____ fly south for the winter. (goose)

For some words the singular and plural forms are the same.

sheep

deer

elk

salmon

moose

fish