

3. 1 - Post-Class 1 - Vocabulary – Plural

1) Find and correct **8 (eight)** spelling mistakes in the plural words. Then check the rules in Exercise 2 and put the number of the rule used in each situation.

Follow the example.

Example:

Singular	Plural	Correct Plural	Rule
cat	cats		1
lunch	lunchs	<i>lunches</i>	2

The plural 'cats' is correct. Do not fill the 'Correct Plural' blank. This plural uses the rule number 1: add -s to a regular noun.

The word 'lunchs' is incorrect. Fill the 'Correct Plural' blank with the correct plural (lunches). This noun ends in -ch, it uses the rule number 2: add -es to its end.

Your turn:

Singular	Plural	Correct Plural	Rule
dog	dogs		
key	keys		
dictionary	dictionarys		
man	mans		
watch	watches		
potato	potatos		
picture	pictures		
bag	bags		
newspaper	newspapers		
city	cities		
girl	girlses		
boy	boies		
box	boxs		
child	childs		

2) Drag the words from the box to their rules about making plurals.

baby - babies	bus - buses	day - days	hero - heroes
	house - houses	person - people	

Rules		Singular - Plural
1	To make regular nouns plural, add <i>-s</i> to the end	
2	Singular nouns ending in <i>-s</i> , <i>-ss</i> , <i>-sh</i> , <i>-ch</i> , <i>-x</i> , or <i>-z</i> , add <i>-es</i> to the end	
3	Singular nouns ending in consonant + <i>y</i> , change the ending to <i>-ies</i>	
4	Singular nouns ending in vowel + <i>y</i> , add <i>-s</i>	
5	Singular nouns ending in <i>-o</i> , add <i>-es</i> to the end	
6	Irregular nouns follow no specific rules	