Grammar
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COLLECTIVE NOUNS

Collective nouns are words used to describe a group of nouns. For example, 52 cards would be known as a deck of cards. Complete each sentence by choosing the correct collective noun from the box at the bottom of the page.

1. Swimming in the shallow water was a of herrings.
2. A of sheep was happily grazing in the field.
3. All night we could hear the of wolves howling.
4. Looking out to sea, we noticed a of dolphins swimming.
5. The of lions slept all day on the African plains.
6. A long of steps led to the top of the tower.
7. Our cat has just had a of seven kittens.
8. We each picked a of juicy grapes from the vine.
9. The hen waddled by with her of chicks.
10. A of thieves stole the precious diamonds.
11. In the jungle, we could see a of monkeys swinging in the trees.
12. An enormous of locusts ate all the crops.
13. The of elephants stomped through the water hole.
14. The of geese made a terrible squawking sound.
15. We were in awe as we watched the of whales swimming.

pod	swarm	pride	flight	school
herd	litter	gaggle	band	brood
pack	troop	flock	bunch	shoal

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