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SPELLING

Adding 's' or 'es' to form the Plural

A **noun** names a person, place, thing, animal or idea.

A noun can be **singular** (one person, place or thing) or a noun can be **plural** (more than one person, place or thing).

Plural rules:

- To make regular nouns plural, add -s to the end.



cat



cats

- If the singular noun ends in -s, -ss, -sh, -ch, -x, or -z, add -es at the end to make it plural.



bus



buses

Write the plural form of each noun.

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| 1. door = _____ | 10. paper = _____ | 19. waitress = _____ |
| 2. crab = _____ | 11. street = _____ | 20. towel = _____ |
| 3. buzz = _____ | 12. box = _____ | 21. beach = _____ |
| 4. wax = _____ | 13. island = _____ | 22. dish = _____ |
| 5. road = _____ | 14. church = _____ | 23. porch = _____ |
| 6. shoe = _____ | 15. hurricane = _____ | 24. light = _____ |
| 7. boat = _____ | 16. tax = _____ | 25. sash = _____ |
| 8. watch = _____ | 17. month = _____ | 26. waltz = _____ |
| 9. computer = _____ | 18. girl = _____ | 27. fox = _____ |