

**TIP**

You make most singular words plural by adding just **s** to the singular form.

shoe + **s** = **shoes**

If a singular word ends in **x**, **ss**, **sh**, or **ch**, you usually add **es** to make it mean **more than one**.

fox + **es** = **foxes**

**LIST WORDS**

1. axes
2. chains
3. bosses
4. shoes
5. kisses
6. waxes
7. foxes
8. splashes
9. ashes
10. crashes
11. matches
12. sandwiches
13. toothbrushes
14. eyelashes
15. sashes
16. ditches
17. flashes
18. churches
19. paces
20. clashes

**Spelling Practice****Forming Plurals**

Finish spelling each **list word**.

1. ki	2. sh
3. as	4. cr
5. wa	6. bo
7. ax	8. fl
9. di	10. cla
11. cha	12. fo
13. ma	14. pa
15. sas	16. chu
17. sand	
18. spla	
19. eye	
20. tooth	

## Rhyming Words

Use the clues to write **list words** that could make sense in each sentence. Each **list word** must rhyme with the underlined word.

1. The snake hisses when it \_\_\_\_\_.
2. If it rains on my \_\_\_\_\_, they'll rust.
3. Playing in the \_\_\_\_\_ might give you rashes.
4. He \_\_\_\_\_ with loose laces.
5. Put the batches of \_\_\_\_\_ in a safe place.
6. Wily \_\_\_\_\_ don't like boxes.
7. He pitches rocks in the \_\_\_\_\_.
8. The reflectors makes slashes of \_\_\_\_\_.
9. The tourist searches elaborate \_\_\_\_\_.
10. She lashes \_\_\_\_\_ around her waist.



## Word Building

Add and subtract letters to form **list words**.

1. flashes - f + eye = \_\_\_\_\_
2. nailbrushes - nail + tooth = \_\_\_\_\_
3. apes - p + x = \_\_\_\_\_
4. hisses - hi + bo = \_\_\_\_\_
5. shirts - irt + oe = \_\_\_\_\_
6. sandworm - orm + iches = \_\_\_\_\_
7. watch - tch + xes = \_\_\_\_\_
8. classic - sic + hes = \_\_\_\_\_

# Spelling and Writing

## Proofreading

This poem has twelve mistakes. Use the proofreading marks to fix each mistake. Then, write the misspelled **list words** correctly on the lines.

We ride bicycles onthe street.  
We wave to to all the friends we meet.  
We hit puddles to make splashis.  
And now andthen we have krashes.  
We we jump dichtes in a bunch,  
And eat sandwitches forlunch.  
Even in the the hardest rains  
We always stopto fix our chayns.

## Proofreading Marks

- spelling mistake
- ^ add something
- ~ take out something

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

