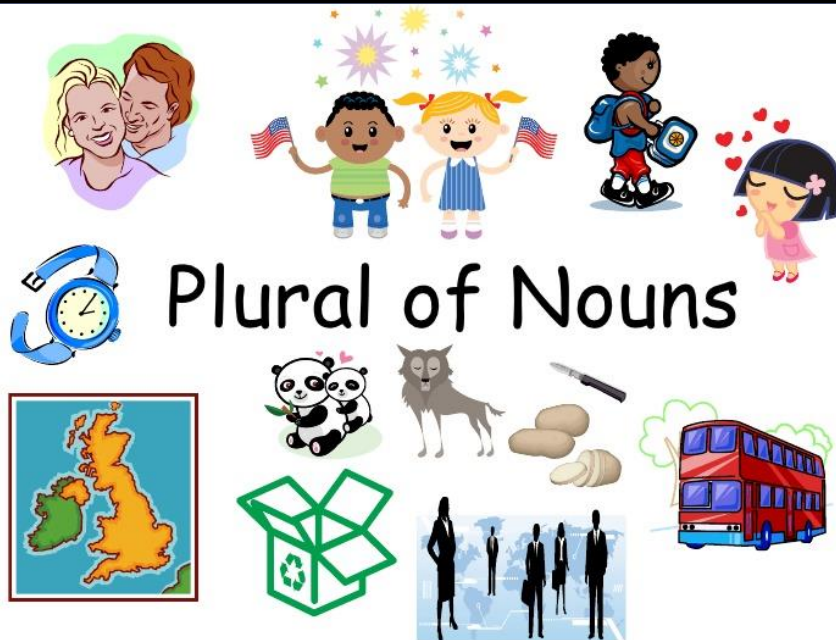
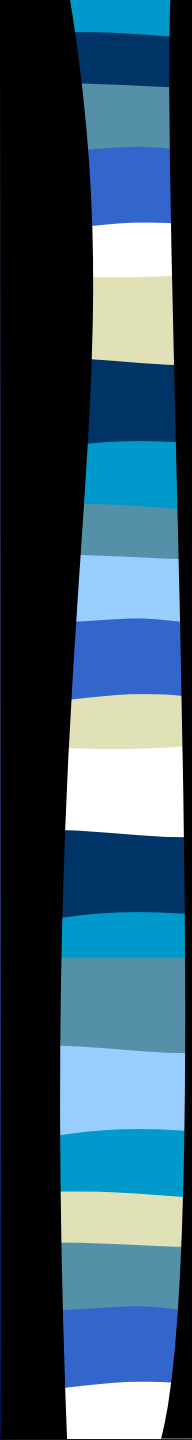


# Singular and Plural Nouns





There are 6 ways to  
change a noun from  
singular to plural.

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- A noun is a person, place, or thing.
- Singular means only one noun.
- Plural means more than one noun.

# Rule 1

Most nouns become plural by adding “s”.

boy

boys

book

books

desk

desks

school

schools

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## Rule 2

Nouns that end in “**ch**”, “**sh**”,  
“**s**”, “**x**”, “**O**” add “**es**”.

bushh

bush**es**

boxx

box**es**

churchch

church**es**

# Rule 3

Nouns that end in “**f**” or “**fe**”  
often change to “**ves**”.

wife

wolf

wi**ves**

wol**ves**

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# Rule 4

**Some nouns change the inside spelling.**

man

men

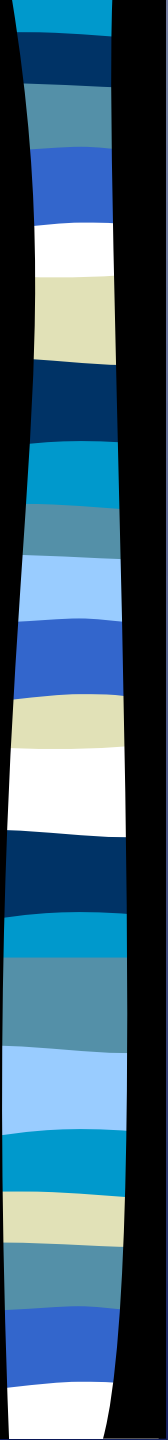
goose

geese

mouse

mice

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## Rule 5

**Nouns that end in a consonant letter and “y”, drop the “y” and add “ies”.**

skyy

sk**ies**

puppyy

pupp**ies**

donkeyy

donkey**s**

keyy

key**s**

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## Rule 6

**Some nouns do not change  
when making them plural.**

wheat

wheat

deer

deer

fish

fish

corn

corn



# Review

1. Most nouns become plural by adding “s”.

cup cups

2. Nouns that end in “ch”, “sh”, “x”, “s”, “o” add “es”

dish dishes

3. Nouns that end in “f” or “fe” often change to “ves”.

knife knives

# Review

4. Some nouns change the inside spelling.

woman women

5. Nouns that end in consonant letter and “y”, drop the “y” and add “ies”.

fly flies

monkey monkeys

6. Some nouns do not change when making them plural.

cotton cotton



# Practice

mouse

mice

fly

flies

pen

pens

flash

flashes

rice

rice

life

lives

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# Exercise

1. A pencil.

Two pencils

2. A woman.

Two women

3. A desk.

Two desks

4. A marker.

Two markers

5. A bench.

Two benches



6. A glass.

Two glasses

7. A mango.

Two mangoes

8. A tooth.

Two teeth

9. An apple.

Two apples

10. A bug.

Two bugs

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11. A chair.

Two chairs

12. A bus.

Two buses

13. A bat.

Two bats

14. A kite.

Two kites

15. A watch.

Two watches

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# Thank you

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