

One and Many (Singular-Plural)

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- There are nouns which mean one person/place/animal or thing. They are called **singular nouns**. **Singular means one.**
- There are nouns which mean more than one person/place/animal or thing. They are called **plural nouns**. **Plural means more than one.**

A Read the words and put them in the right boxes.

boys boats bird ball cow crow frog birds
frogs cows crows boy boat balls cap caps

Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural
1. Bird	Birds	2. Ball	Balls
3. Cow	Cows	4. Frog	Frogs
5. Crow	Crows	6. Cap	Caps
7. Boy	Boys	8. Boat	Boats

B Add **s** to the words given in the box to make them plural and fill in the blanks:

hen kite horse pencil flower bulb

1. four hens 2. five kites 3. six horses
4. two pencils 5. three flowers 6. nine bulbs



C Add **es** to the words given to form the plurals.

1. mango mangoes 2. tomato tomatoes
3. potato potatoes 4. glass glasses

D Change the vowel or vowels of the words given below to form the plurals.

1. man men 2. tooth teeth
3. foot feet 4. goose geese

E Change **f** and **fe** into **ves** in the words given to form the plurals.

1. wolf wolves 2. knife knives
3. wife wives 4. calf calves
5. thief thieves 6. half halves

F Change **y** to **ies** to form the plurals.

1. story stories 2. fairy fairies
3. cherry cherries 4. lady ladies
5. puppy puppies 6. dairy dairies

Singular	Plural
deer	deer
sheep	sheep
hair	hair

There are some words which do not change. They remain the same in both the forms - singular and plural.

6 Rewrite the given sentences to change words from their singular forms to plural forms.



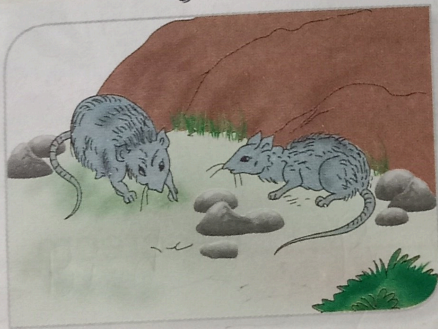
1. The frog jumped out of the pond.

frogs



2. The boy played with a ball.

boys



3. The mouse sat outside the hole.

mice



4. My tooth is aching.

teeth



5. My aunt arranged the flower.

flowers



6. Boil the potato.

potatoes