

PLURALS

Basic Rules & Exercises



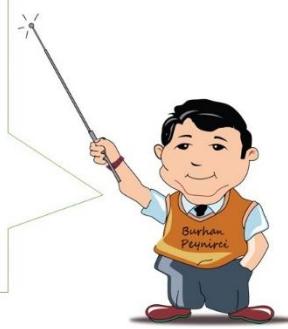
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Hi, everybody. Today, we are going to learn how to make plurals and do exercises about them. (There are 5 rules.)

1st RULE: As we all know, most nouns form their plural by adding -S. This is so easy. For example,

A book → books
A dog → dogs
A pen → pens

Let's do exercises about this rule now.



1

Complete the plural as in the example.

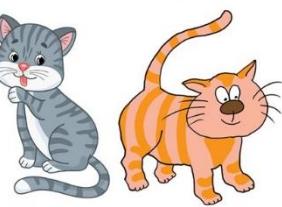
one pen → five pens

One tree → Two _____



2 Complete the plural

one cat → Two _____



3 Complete the plural

one star → four _____



4 Complete the plural

one rabbit → two _____



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5 Complete the plural

one chair → eight _____



6

Complete the plural. This time, count and tell the nouns.

one ball

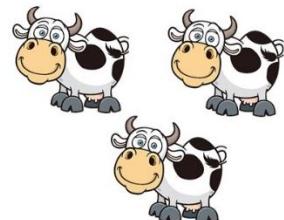




7

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one cow



8

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one doll





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9

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one balloon



10

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one frog



2nd RULE:

Consonant + y → ies

BUT

Vowel (a-e-i-o-u) + Y → s

For example:

A baby → babies

A boy → boys

Let's do exercises about this rule now, and learn the plural forms of some nouns.



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1

Complete the plural as in the example.

one baby

five babies

one family





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2

Complete the plural.

one city





3

Complete the plural.

one monkey → four _____



4

Complete the plural.

one toy → five _____



5

Complete the plural.

one baby → two _____

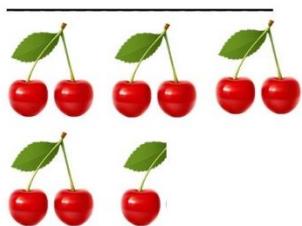
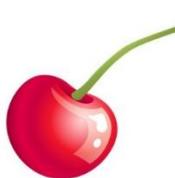


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Complete the plural. This time, count and tell the nouns.

one cherry → _____



7

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one fly → _____



8

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one key → _____



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9

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one play → _____



10

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one country → _____



3rd RULE:

Nouns ending in s, ss, sh, ch, x and o take -es.
(But there are some exceptions such as Radio-Radios, Piano-Pianos, Photo-Photos, Video-Videos)

For example:

A bus buses
A box boxes

Let's do exercises about this rule now, and learn the plural forms of some nouns.



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1

Complete the plural as in the example.

one watch two watches

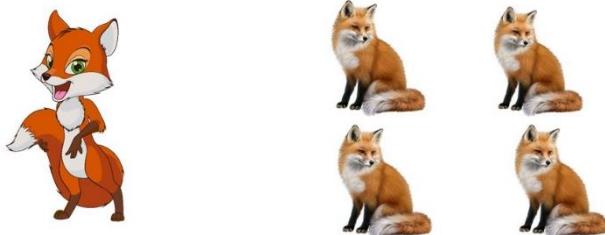
one dress



2

Complete the plural.

one fox four _____



3

Complete the plural.

one brush ten _____



4

Complete the plural.

one class two _____



5

Complete the plural.

one bus three _____



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Complete the plural. This time, count and tell the nouns.

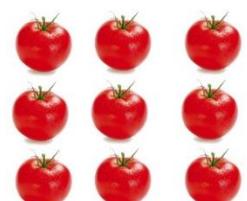
one church _____



7

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one tomato _____



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8

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

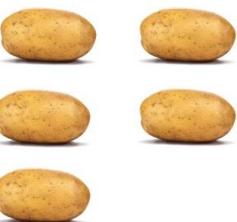
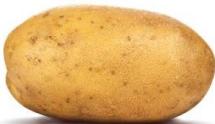
one glass



9

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one potato



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Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one radio



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4th RULE:

For some nouns ending in **f, fe**, we change **f/fe** into **ves**.
(Exception: roof ... roofs)

For example:

A knife → knives

Let's do exercises about this rule now, and
learn the plural forms of some nouns.



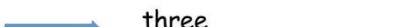
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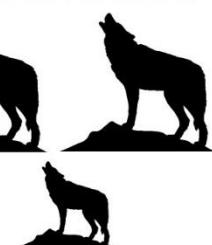
Complete the plural as in the example.

one leaf → ten leaves

one wolf



three



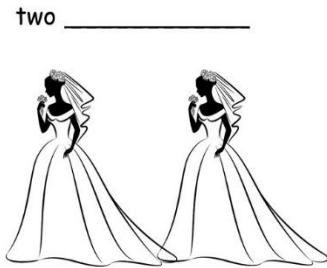
2

Complete the plural.

one wife



two



3

Complete the plural.

one loaf



two



4

Complete the plural. This time, count and tell
the nouns.

one shelf



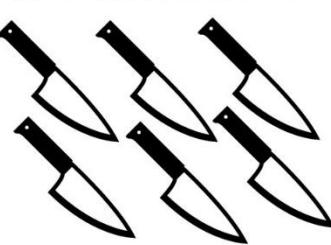
two



5

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

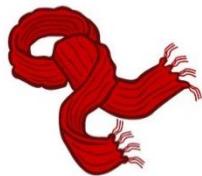
one knife → _____



6

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

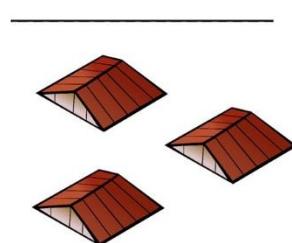
one scarf → _____



7

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one roof → _____



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5th RULE:

Some nouns have irregular forms. There is not a definite rule.

For example:

A child → children

Let's do exercises about this rule now and learn irregular plurals of some nouns.



1

Complete the plural as in the example.

one child → seven children

one mouse → three _____



2

Complete the plural.

one tooth → five _____



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3

Complete the plural.

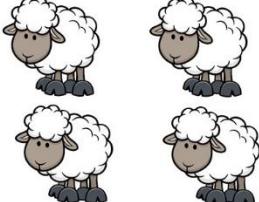
one woman → two _____



4

Complete the plural.

one sheep → four _____



5

Complete the plural.

one fish



→ 15 _____



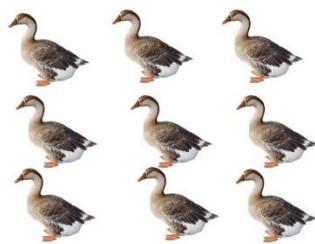
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Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one goose



→ _____



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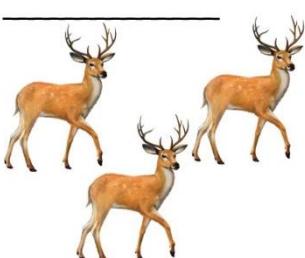
9

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one deer



→ _____



11

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one die



→ _____



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6

Complete the plural. This time, count and tell the nouns.

one foot



→ _____



8

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one man



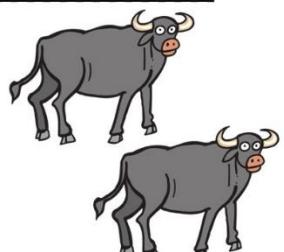
→ _____



10

Complete the plural. Count and tell the nouns.

one ox



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Now, it is your turn. Make your question.
Do not forget to draw ☺