# Singular and Plural Nouns



pen-pens

## Grade 4

#### <u>Regular Forms</u>

For most nouns, simply add "—s" to make the plural. For nouns ending in s, ss, ch, sh, x, o, add "—es" to make the plural. box-boxes

If the noun ends in a consonant + "y", change "y" to "i" and add "-es". lady-ladies

For some nouns ending in "f" or "fe", change the "f" or "fe" to "ves". leaf-leaves

<u>Irregular Forms</u>

Some nouns change completely in the plural form. child-children

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Change these singular nouns to their plural forms. Add –s to form the plural.

<u>Singular</u>	<u>Plural</u>
cat	
book	
pen	
chair	
apple	
dog	
car	
toy	
flower	
bag	

### Exercise 2

Change these singular nouns to their plural forms. Add –es to form the plural.

<u>Singular</u>	<u>Plural</u>
box	
dish	
tomato	
church	
bus	
fox	
glass	
brush	
mango	
match	

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#### Exercise 3

Change these singular nouns to their plural forms. Change 'y' to 'i' and add –es

<u>Singular</u>	<u>Plural</u>
baby	
story	
lady	
pony	
city	
army	
party	
berry	
fly	
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#### Exercise 4

Change these singular nouns to their plural forms. Change 'f'/'fe' to 'ves'.

<u>Singular</u>	<u>Plural</u>
knife	
leaf	
wolf	
calf	
shelf	
loaf	
thief	
life	
wife	
half	

#### Exercise 5

Write the irregular plurals of the following nouns.

<u>Singular</u>	<u>Plural</u>
child	
man	
woman	
tooth	
foot	
mouse	
goose	
ox	
louse	
person	