

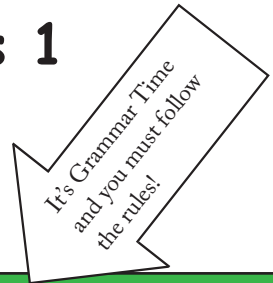
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Answer Key

It's Grammar Time: Plural Nouns 1

A plural noun is more than one person, place, thing, or idea.



-Most singular nouns are made plural by adding -s.

-There are some other rules to follow depending on what letter the noun ends in:

Nouns ending in:	Make Plural by:	Example
ch, sh, ss, x, zz	add -es	lunch → lunches
a consonant and y	drop the y, add -ies	baby → babies
f or fe	drop the f, add -ves	elf → elves

-Irregular plural nouns do not follow any rules. You must memorize them!

Example: man → men mouse → mice tooth → teeth

Directions: Form the plural of the words. Write your answer on the lines.

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| 1. house | <u> houses </u> | 8. ocean | <u> oceans </u> |
| 2. daisy | <u> daisies </u> | 9. college | <u> colleges </u> |
| 3. monkey | <u> monkeys </u> | 10. mouse | <u> mice </u> |
| 4. bus | <u> buses </u> | 11. family | <u> families </u> |
| 5. wish | <u> wishes </u> | 12. flower | <u> flowers </u> |
| 6. rainbow | <u> rainbows </u> | 13. fish | <u> fish </u> |
| 7. wife | <u> wives </u> | 14. suffix | <u> suffixes </u> |

Directions: Write a sentence on the lines below with at least one plural noun. Circle the plural noun or nouns in the sentence. **Student answers will vary**

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If you have extra time...

Doodle! It turns out that doodling and coloring can increase our creativity and focus.

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What is the plural form of the word clover? **clovers**