

GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE, PRAYAGRAJ

WORKSHEET - 2

SESSION 2020-2021

CLASS - 7th ABCDE&F

SUBJECT: ENGLISH LANGUAGE

NOTE: Parents ensure that the student refers to the topic- Noun Number from any Grammar Book or Language Book of the previous class, (Class6).

TOPIC: NOUN NUMBER

READ THE PASSAGE CAREFULLY AND ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

THERE ARE TWO NUMBERS IN ENGLISH:

- 1) Singular Number
- 2) Plural Number

1) Singular Number: Any noun that stands for only one person or thing is said to be in the singular number, eg. Chair, man.

2) Plural Number: Any noun that stands for more than one person or thing is said to be in the plural number, eg. Chairs, men.

Only countable nouns can have a plural form.

RULES FOR CHANGING FROM SINGULAR TO PLURAL:

- 1) For the plural form of most nouns, add -S : cup- cups, desk- desks.
- 2) For nouns that end in Ch, X, S or s sounds, add- es : eg.: Box- boxes.
- 3) For nouns ending in f or fe change f to v and add- es : eg.: wife- wives.
- 4) Some nouns have different plural forms : child- children , woman- women.
- 5) Nouns ending in vowels like y or o do not have definite rules : potato- potatoes, stereo- stereos.
- 6) A few nouns have the same singular and plural forms : sheep- sheep, deer- deer, species- species.
- 7) By adding -s to the principal word in compound nouns : passer-by - passers-by.

DO AS DIRECTED:

- a) A few men wear _____ (watch/watches).
- b) A yellow leaf fell from the tree. (change into plural).
- c) This flat has two _____ (room).
- d) I saw many _____ in the zoo (deer).
- e) Many sheeps are bleating at a time (correct the sentence).
- f) Child are playing in the evening. (Rectify the error).
- g) Mothers love their children. (Change into singular).
- h) Two _____ are lying on the table (Knife).
- i) Half _____ (half/ halves/ halves : Tick the most appropriate plural).
- j) Dwarf _____ (dwarf/ dwarfs/ dwarves : Tick the most appropriate plural).
- k) She liked her two daughter-in-laws. (Correct the misspelt word).
- l) Yesterday I attended two birthday partys. (Find the wrong word and correct it).
- m) Frame a sentence to show the correct use of the word - News.
- n) All his belongings _____ lost (are/is).
- o) He caught a butterfly. (Change the noun into opposite number).

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