

GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE, PRAYAGRAJ.

SESSION (2020-2021)

WORKSHEET – 5

CLASS- (2 A- 2 F)

SUBJECT – ENGLISH LANGUAGE

CHAPTER- ONE AND MANY (Noun- Number)

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE PARENTS: Parents are expected to make the child read and understand the explanation about the lesson (One and Many) given below and then make the child attempt the exercises.

In grammar, the number refers to the count of a noun or pronoun. There are two types of noun-number.

1. **Singular-** A noun that stands for one person, place, animal or thing is said to be in the Singular form.

For example- a baby, a puppy, a cat, etc.

2. **Plural-** A noun that stands for more than one person, place, animal or thing is said to be in the Plural form.

For example- babies, puppies, cats, etc.



There are different rules to change the noun (number) from singular to plural. They are as follows-

Rule 1:

We add “s” at the end of a singular noun to make it plural.

Example-

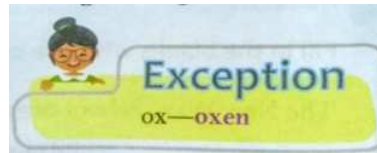
Singular	Plural
1. Book	1. Books
2. Apple	2. Apples
3. Tree	3. Trees

Rule 2:

We add “es” at the end of words ending with ch, sh, o, s, x and ss.

Example-

Singular	Plural
1. Bush	2. Bushes
2. Echo	2. Echoes
3. Box	3. Boxes



Rule 3:

We add “ves” to nouns that end in “f” or “fe” to form their plural.

Example-

Singular	Plural
1. Wolf	1. wolves
2. Wife	2. Wives
3. Leaf	3. Leaves

Rule 4:

In nouns that end with a consonant before the final y. The “y” is replaced with “ies” to form their plural.

Example:

Singular	Plural
1. City	1. Cities
2. Penny	2. Pennies

Rule 5:

In nouns that end in a vowel before the “y” , only “s” is added to form their plural.

Example-

Singular	Plural
1. Day	1. Days
2. Key	2. Keys

Rule 6:

There are some nouns that do not follow any rules.

Example-

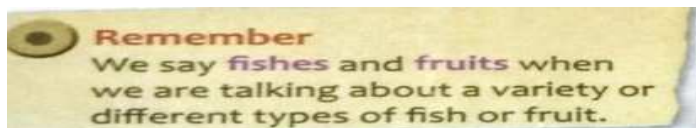
Singular	Plural
1. Woman	1. Women
2. Foot	2. Feet
3. Tooth	3. Teeth
4. Mouse	4. Mice

Rule 7:

Some nouns remain the same in both singular and plural forms.

Example-

Singular	Plural
1. Fish	1. Fish
2. Deer	2. Deer
3. Sheep	3. Sheep
4. Fruit	4. Fruit



EXERCISES

Q1. Circle the correct plural noun for each singular noun:

Example- peach - peachs peachies

peaches

1. penny - pennys pennies pennyves
2. box - boxies boxs boxes
3. wish - wishes wishes wishies
4. calf - calfs calves calves
5. dish - dishies dishes dishes

Q2. Choose the correct option:

Example- My mother bought a new car. (car/ cars)

1. The _____ is kept on the table. (pen/pens)
2. Ram loves to read _____. (book/books)
3. How many _____ are there in your purse?(things/ thing)
4. A rainbow has seven _____. (colour/ colours)
5. Sita has a black _____. (dog/ dogs)

Q3. Rewrite each sentence by changing the number of the underlined words:

Example- 1. I saw a dish on the table.

Ans. I saw dishes on the table.

1. My dad gave a box to me.

Ans.

2. We found a brush in the bathroom.

Ans.

3. I saw a bus on the road.

Ans.

4. Tom played with his friend in the park.

Ans.

5. I saw a cat walking on the sidewalk.

Ans.

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