

**The Primary Stage of Grades (4-5)
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Subject: English Language
Spelling Worksheet # 2

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Class: Grade 5CP (All Sections)

Singular and Plural words –

Objective: to spell irregular nouns correctly

What Are Irregular Plural Nouns?

Irregular [plural nouns](#) don't adhere to specific rules; therefore, it's prudent to study them or search for accurate pluralization in the dictionary. Lack of definite rules makes it challenging to understand them. So, you must devote your time to study and memorize them. Otherwise, you're bound to error when making use of irregular nouns in plural form.

Examples of irregular nouns in singular and plural format:

Singular	Plural
Man	Men
Foot	Feet
Mouse	Mice

Child	Children
Woman	Women
Goose	Geese
Person	People

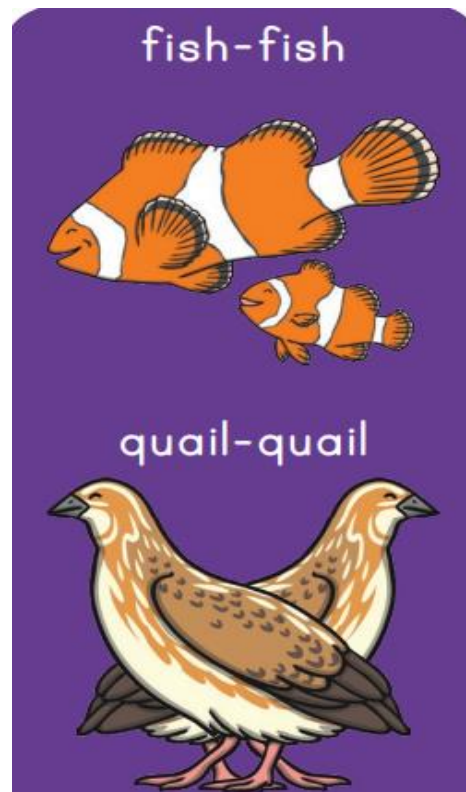
Irregular Plural Nouns | Rules

No Change in the Plural

Some nouns have identical singular and plural. Many of these are the names of animals.

Irregular Plural Nouns List:

- Aircraft – aircraft
- Barracks – barracks
- Deer – deer
- Gallows – gallows
- Moose – moose
- Salmon – salmon
- Hovercraft – hovercraft
- Spacecraft – spacecraft
- Series – series
- Species – species
- Means – means
- Offspring – offspring
- Deer – deer
- Fish – fish
- Sheep – sheep
- Trout – trout

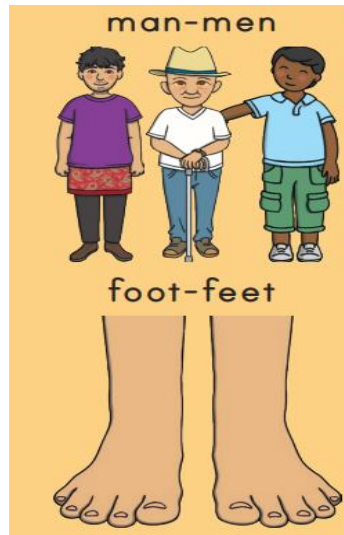


Changing the Spelling of the Singular Noun

The plural is sometimes formed by simply changing the [vowel sound](#) of the singular (these are sometimes called *mutated plurals*):

Irregular Plural Nouns List:

- *Person – people*
- *Ox – oxen*
- *Man – men*
- *Woman – women*
- *Caveman – cavemen*
- *Policeman – policemen*
- *Child – children*
- *Tooth – teeth*
- *Foot – feet*
- *Goose – geese*
- *Mouse – mice*
- *Louse – lice*



Note: There are many compounds of **man** and **woman** that form their plurals in the same way: *postmen*, *policewomen*, etc.

The following Nouns are always Singular:

Furniture

Water

Milk

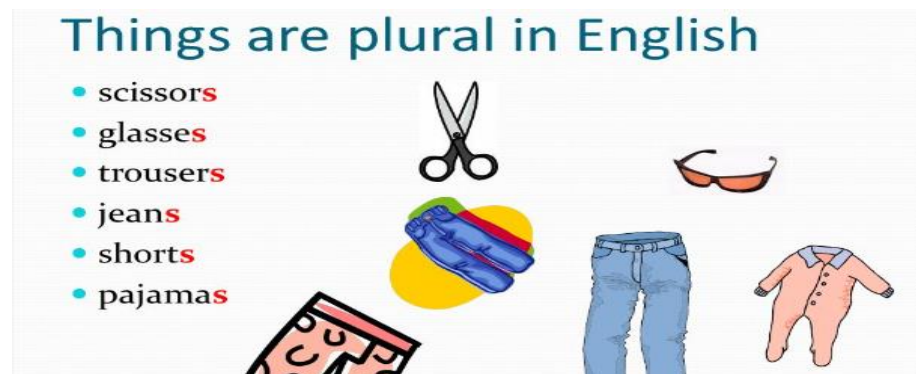
Rice

Butter



The following Nouns are always Plural:

Jeans
News
Scissors
Congratulations



Read the sentences below, underline the spelling mistakes and correct them.

1. All the child are playing in the park.

2. Congratulation on your well-deserved success.

3. I like the arrangement of the furnitures in this house.

4. He ordered a dozens of their best red roses.

5. It was time to stand on her own two foot.

6. Scissor are cutting tools with two sharp blades connected in the middle.

7. The waters felt delightful.

8. They were professional washer mans

9. He keeps tropical fishes in his aquarium.

10. It was a large four-poster that had taken a full team of ox to bring it to the front.

2. Change the following nouns to the plural form.

Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural
Foot		Louse	
Tooth		Mouse	
Policeman		Child	
Ox		Son in law	
Washer man		Man servant	
Mother in law		Series	
Deer		Dozen	
Fish		Sheep	
Furniture		Water	
Milk		Rice	
Butter		Jeans	
News		Scissors	
Congratulations			