

Can you sort these words into singular or plural?

Singular

Plural

house

horses

tree

sweets

boxes

chair

pencil

flowers



What type of words are all of these?

WALT: Turn singular words into plurals using s and es.

Success criteria

I understand that 'singular' means 'one'.

I understand that 'plural' means more than one.

I can change nouns from singular to plural by adding 's' or 'es'.

I can write my own sentences using the correct version of the noun (singular or plural).

Star words

singular

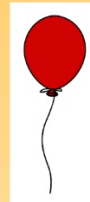
plural

noun



What does singular mean?

When a noun is singular it means there is one of them.



What does plural mean?

When a noun is plural it means there is more than one of them.



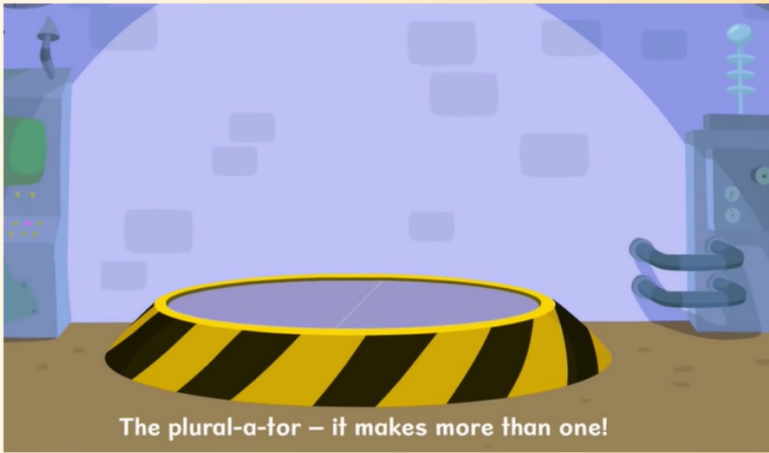
Introduce

Plurals either use 's' or 'es'



How do we know if the plural will have an s on the end or es on the end of the noun?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ID1OaD4FBqM>



Let's watch this clip





THE RULES!!

Adding 's

For most nouns we add a 's' on the end to make it plural.

For example:

dog → dogs

balloon → balloons

Adding 'es

For nouns ending in s / ss / ch / ch / x / z we add 'es' on the end to make it plural.

For example:

match → matches

fox → foxes

Let's play a game of **MATCH THE CARDS!**

With a partner, mix all the cards up and spread them out on a table face down.

Take it in turns to turn over two cards - if the singular and plural of the same word match then you keep the cards! If not, turn the cards back over and let the other person have their turn.

The person with the most card matches at the end WINS!



When you have finished, take a look at all the matches you have made. Can you sort them into the 2 different rules?

🔑 How could we turn this sentence with a singular noun (chocolate) into a plural sentence?

Charlie devoured the scrumptious chocolate.



**Think about
our rules**

Task

Independent
task

Underline the singular nouns from the sentences on the sheet.

Then write out the sentences changing the singular noun into a plural noun.

Task 2 – Independent

Underline the singular noun in the sentence and then re-write the sentence changing the singular noun into a plural noun.

1. *Charlie looked at the delicious looking sweet dangling from the tree branch.*
2. *The box of Wonka Bars stood in the shop waiting to be opened.*
3. *The dish made of crystallised sugar stood in the mint valley.*

Handwriting practice lines consisting of multiple sets of three horizontal lines (top blue, middle red, bottom blue) for writing the revised sentences.

Look at the picture below. What different singular and plural nouns can you spot?



Write one or two sentences about this picture using the correct version of the noun (singular or plural).

Review and Improve

"These sentences are correct." True or False?

Charlie looked at a flowers in the middle of the emerald green meadow.

True / False

Lots of sweets dangled from the sticky tree branches.

True / False

A colourful sweetie mushrooms sprung up from the floor.

True / False