

This week, we have been learning to add the suffix **-es** to words ending in **y**.



Level 6

Adding -es to a noun makes it plural, which means there is more than one. Sometimes, when the noun ends in y , we change the y to an i and then add -es .	teddy teddies baby babies
When the y is part of a digraph, such as ay , oy or ey , we only need to add -s .	toy toys monkey monkeys
These rules are the same for verbs. Adding -es or -s to a root verb changes it from 1 st person to 3 rd person, e.g. I carry, he carries.	carry carries spray sprays

Common Exception Words

We have been learning to spell the common exception words **autumn** and **gone**.

Grammar

A plural noun means there is more than one of something. Often, we add **-s** or **-es** to make nouns plural, e.g. **dogs**, **foxes**

Although, there are some exceptions, e.g. **'children'** and **'sheep'**.

Word List

flies

spies

babies

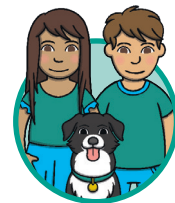
carries

cries

replies

teddies

hurries



Adding -es to words ending in y

Add **-es** to these nouns to make them plural.

The first one has been done for you.



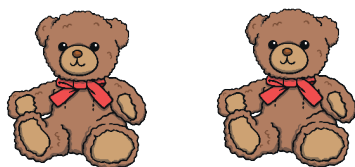
one baby

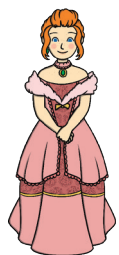


five babies

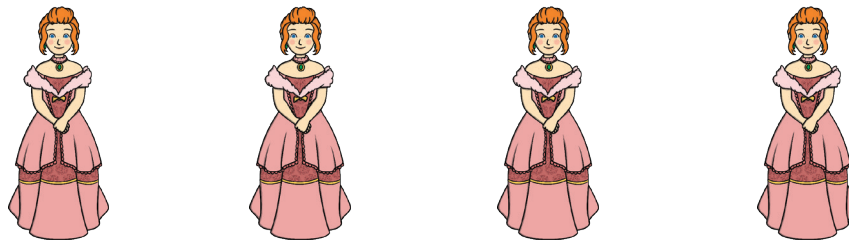


one teddy





one lady





one daisy





one lorry



Can you write a sentence using one of the **-es** words above?
