

Subject – English Language

Grade – 10

Competency level – 4.5 Form the plurals of the nouns.

Lesson – 79 Activity sheet

Form the plurals of the nouns.

Most plural forms are created by simply adding –s or –es to the end of the singular word.

- **In general we form a plural noun by adding the letter “s” to the end of the noun.**

- A cat – cats
- A tree – trees
- A car – cars
- A house – houses



- **When a noun ends in s,ss,ch,sh or x we add –es.**

- A bus – buses
- A class – classes
- A bench – benches
- A dish – dishes
- A box – boxes



- **When a noun ends in f or fe we remove f/fe and add – ves.**

- Life – lives
- Wife – wives
- Calf – calves
- Leaf – leaves



- **Expectations : roof – roofs**
Cliff - cliffs

- **When a noun ends in 'y' and the letter before 'y' is a consonant we remove 'y' and add –ies.**

- Baby – babies
- City – cities
- Lady – ladies
- Party – parties

