

Class - II

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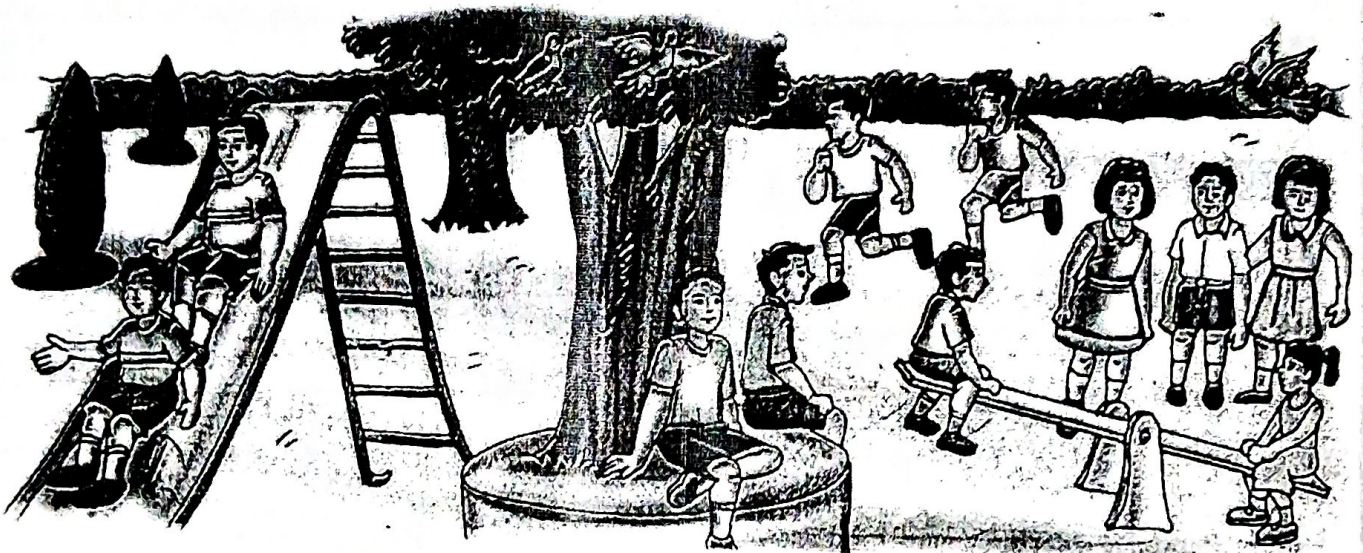
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## Picture Composition

See the picture and fill in the blanks. Take help from the clue box :- [branches, under, boys, park, two, neat, clean, children, tree, slide, children, see-saw, tree.]

## Picture Composition



This is a picture of a park. There are many children in the park. Some birds are chirping on the branches of the tree. Two boys are running and two boys are sitting under the tree. Two boys are enjoying on the slide and two children are sitting on the see-saw. Some children are waiting for their turn to play on the see-saw. A bird is flying towards the tree. There are two big trees in the park. This park is very neat and clean.



## 2-3, Naming Words: Singular and Plural

[In notebook]

Singular Noun :- A naming word that stands for one person, one place, one animal or one thing is called the singular noun.

Plural Noun :- A naming word that stands for more than one person, place, animal or thing is called the plural noun.

Rule - I -

We add -s to most naming words.

	Singular	Plural
1.	apple	apples
2.	flower	flowers
3.	balloon	balloons
4.	kite	kites
5.	tree	trees
6.	egg	eggs
7.	cup	cups.

Rule - II

Naming words that end up with s, ss, sh, ch and x form their plural by adding 'es'. For

Example -

	Singular	Plural
1.	bus	buses
2.	glass	glasses
3.	bench	benches
4.	dish	dishes
5.	fox	foxes
6.	class	classes
7.	box	boxes

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| 8.  | brush  | brushes   |
| 9.  | gas    | gases     |
| 10. | dress  | dresses   |
| 11. | church | churches. |

### Rule - 3

Some nouns ending with 'o' also form their plural by adding 'es'. For example -

- |    | Singular | Plural.    |
|----|----------|------------|
| 1. | mango    | mangoes    |
| 2. | mosquito | mosquitoes |
| 3. | buffalo  | buffaloes  |
| 4. | hero     | heroes.    |
| 5. | tomato   | tomatoes   |
| 6. | potato   | potatoes   |
| 7. | cargo    | cargoes    |
| 8. | echo     | echoes.    |

### Rule - 4

We add 's' to some naming words that end with 'o'. For example :-

- |    | Singular | Plural    |
|----|----------|-----------|
| 1. | zoo      | zoos      |
| 2. | stereo   | stereos   |
| 3. | photo    | photos    |
| 4. | auto     | autos     |
| 5. | kangaroo | kangaroos |
| 6. | radio    | radios    |
| 7. | piano    | pianos    |
| 8. | kilo     | kilos     |



6. Some naming words that end in f or fe change to -ves.

calf calves

loaf loaves

thief thieves

half halves

knife knives



Note

Naming words like deer, fish and sheep do not change in the plural form.



Learn

Most naming words add -s to form plurals.

Naming words ending with s, ss, sh, ch and x add -es.

Naming words ending with o add -s or -es.

Naming words with f or fe add -s, or change to -ves.



Practice

A. Circle the singular naming words and underline the plural naming words.

1. There are many apples on the tree.
2. Let us buy onions, tomatoes and eggs.
3. Wear a sweater, socks and shoes.
4. Don't play with knives!
5. Let's fly kites on the roof.
6. The farmer fed the calves.



**B. Write the plural form of these naming words.**

1. potato potatoes

5. box boxes

2. boat boats

6. shelf shelves

3. torch torches

7. photo photos

4. thief thieves

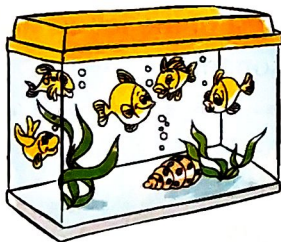
8. deer deer

**C. Write the plural form of the words in brackets.**



1. I have two pencils (pencil).

2. There are two wolves (wolf) in the den.



3. There are many fish (fish) in the tank.

4. There are many toys (toy) in the cupboard.



5. Both the chairs (chair) are made of wood.

6. I have to polish my shoes (shoe).

