Spelling List D-12

More Plurals

Spelling Words

- 1. children
- 2. patches
- 3. women
- 4. glasses
- 5. wolves
- 6. compasses
- 7. volcanoes
- 8. sketches
- 9. scarves
- 10. potatoes
- 11. loaves
- 12. zeroes
- 13. foxes
- 14. leaves
- 15. stitches
- 16. halves
- 17 weaknesses
- 18. brushes
- 19. sandboxes
- 20. heroes



Review Words

- 21. succeed
- 22. traffic
- 23. equally

Challenge Words

- 24. mosquitoes
- 25. parentheses

About Your Spelling Words

When a singular noun ends with the letters *ch*, *sh*, *ss* or *x*, you add the letters es to make it plural. Also add es when a word ends with a consonant-o.

bun<u>ch</u> \rightarrow bunch<u>es</u> toma<u>to</u> \rightarrow tomato<u>es</u>

If a noun ends if f or fe, you change the ending to a vand add es.

 $wi\underline{fe} \rightarrow wi\underline{ves}$ $cal\underline{f} \rightarrow cal\underline{ves}$

Some nouns are spelled much differently when pluralizes. These are called irregular plural nouns.

person → people tooth → teeth