

5 singular and plural

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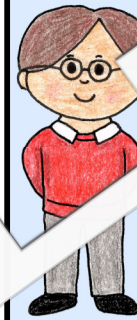
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In French, like in English, there are **singular** nouns and **plural** nouns.

Singular means one, **plural** means more than one.

In English there are lots of ways of making a noun plural. How do you do it in French?



| singular | plural |
|--------------------------|----------------|
| most nouns | add -s |
| ends in -al | change to -aux |
| ends in -eu, -eau or -ou | add -x |
| ends in -s or -x | no change |

| | French singular | English singular | French plural | English plural |
|----|-----------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|
| 1. | tasse | cup | | |
| 2. | chou | cabbage | | |
| 3. | animal | animal | | |
| 4. | souris | mouse | | |
| 5. | mouton | sheep | | |
| 6. | bateau | boat | | |
| 7. | oie | goose | | |
| 8. | dent | tooth | | |
| 9. | enfant | child | | |

Complete the table with the correct French and English plural forms.

