

Happy Grammar

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Introduction

Happy Grammar is a student-friendly, four-book series that supports early learners in the first stages of English language development. It emphasizes communicative picture-based activities that practice and reinforce grammar points. The pictorial method used in this book is based on a thorough understanding of language structure and how language is successfully learned. Each eight-page unit in the *Happy Grammar* series includes two lessons.

Grammar Target

Each lesson begins with a visual representation of the grammar concept where students can easily learn the fundamentals of English grammar. The grammar presentation is then followed by several pages of exercises.

Lesson 1

Irregular Plural Nouns

1. Singular Nouns

2. Irregular Plural Nouns

child / children
man / men
woman / women
person / people

Irregular plural nouns do not become plural by adding -s or -es. Irregular nouns do. We must memorize the irregular plural noun forms.

Exercises

Read and match.

- one boy - a. two mothers
- one man - b. two men
- one person - c. two girls
- one girl - d. two kids
- one mother - e. two boys
- one kid - f. two people

Look and circle.

- man / men
- woman / women
- child / children
- person / people
- child / children
- woman / women

Lesson 1

Grammar Tip

Some lessons feature Grammar Tips that give helpful information about the grammar target.

Lesson 2

Lesson 2

More Irregular Plural Nouns

1. Singular Nouns

2. Irregular Plural Nouns

foot / feet
tooth / teeth
goose / geese
mouse / mice
sheep / sheep

Be careful! The regular plural nouns: one dog - two dogs, one fox - two foxes, and teacher - two teachers. One potato - two potatoes, one brush - two brushes, and box - two boxes.

Exercises

Read and match.

- one mouse - a. two sheep
- one cat - b. two birds
- one tooth - c. two cats
- one bird - d. two shoes
- one shoe - e. two teeth
- one sheep - f. two mice

Look and circle.

- tooth / teeth
- goose / geese
- sheep / sheeps
- foot / feet
- mouse / mice
- goose / geese

Exercises

The book uses a variety of practice exercises to help students acquire a solid foundation of basic, high-frequency structures. The exercises are interesting, fun, and easy to understand. Here you can see some of the many different activity types that appear in the series.

Exercises

Look and write.

children / man / men / people / woman / women

- There is a man.
- There are people.
- There are two women.
- There are eleven children.
- There is a man.
- There are two women.

Read and circle.

- They are child / children.
- We are woman / women.
- There is a person / people in the library.
- There is a child / children on the bus.
- There are person / people in the park.

Unscramble and write.

- children / are / two / There
There are two children.
- men / They / are
They are men.
- a / She / woman / is
She is a woman.
- She / a / child / is
She is a child.

Look and write sentences.

- man / man
- woman / women
- person / people
- boy / boys

There are two men.

Happy Grammar Series: Grammar Targets

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Unit 9	Lesson 1 Prepositions of Place
	Lesson 2 Questions with Where

Happy Grammar 2

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Irregular Plural Nouns

1. Singular Nouns



child



man



woman



person

2. Irregular Plural Nouns



children



men



women



people



Irregular plural nouns do not become plural by adding **-s** or **-es** as most regular nouns do. We must memorize the irregular plural noun forms.



Read and match.

1. one boy

2. one man

3. one person

4. one girl

5. one mother

6. one kid

a. two mothers

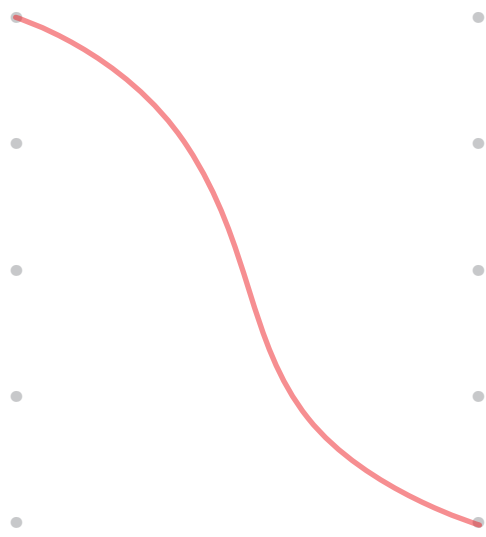
b. two men

c. two girls

d. two kids

e. two boys

f. two people



Look and circle.

1.



2.



3.



4.



5.



6.



C Look and write.

children man men people ~~woman~~ women

1.



There is a
woman.

2.



There are
_____.

3.



There are two
_____.

4.



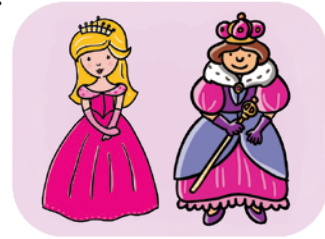
There are eleven
_____.

5.



There is a
_____.

6.



There are two
_____.

D Read and circle.

- They are **child / children** .
- We are **woman / women** .
- There is a **person / people** in the library.
- There is a **child / children** on the bus.
- There are **person / people** in the park.



E Unscramble and write.

1.



children. / are / two / There

There are two children.

2.



men. / They / are

3.



a / She / woman. / is

4.



She / a / child. / is

F Look and write sentences.



1. man / men

➔ There are two men.

2. woman / women

➔ _____

3. person / people

➔ _____

4. boy / boys

➔ _____

A Write the singular or plural forms.

Singular

Plural

Singular

Plural

1. apple → apples

2. _____ → mice

3. person → _____

4. box → _____

5. _____ → teeth

6. goose → _____

7. sheep → _____

8. child → _____

9. _____ → women

10. _____ → feet

B Look and write. Some words will NOT be used.

children man men people woman women child



There are two young
_____.



There are two
_____.



There are some
_____.



There are two
_____.

A Read and circle.

1.



The thief / thieves are
man / men .

2.



The fairies / fairy are
woman / women .

3.



This people / person is a
doctor / doctors .

4.



The child / children are
student / students .

B Read and write. Use the correct verb form.

have

be

buy

go

1.



Her dress _____ green.

2.



Jane _____ some coffee.

3.



Max _____ a pet rabbit.

4.



We _____ to the park.