



Lesson 5

MESA DE BUFÉ

Part 3



Actividad 7:

Write
whether the
following
nouns are
Masculine
or Feminine.

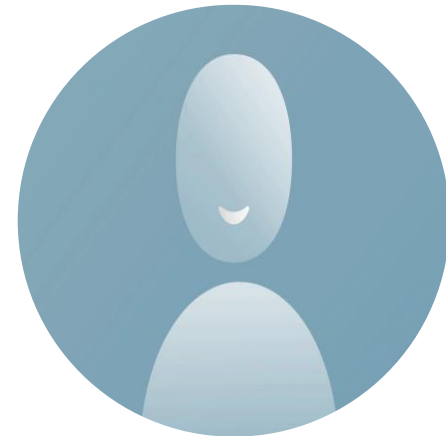
1. bufé	6. querida
2. comida	7. verguenza
3. esposa	8. vez
4. mesa	9. gato
5. plato	10. *idioma



A row of wooden figures, with one red figure standing out among several white ones.

Actividad 8:

We will review
about how to
make a singular
noun plural in
Spanish!



We can make every noun or adjective plural by using four simple rules!

1. If the singular noun **ends in a vowel**, (a,e,i,o,u) then all we have to do to make the word plural is **add “s”**!

Examples:

bandera = banderas

garaje = garajes

mi = mis

libro = libros

guru = gurus

2. If the singular noun **ends in a consonant** (all the other letters except a,e,i,o,u) then all we have to do is **add “es”**!

Examples:

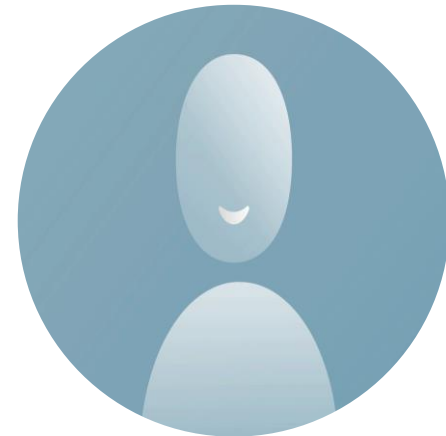
pared = paredes

barril = barriles

motor = motores

león = leones

televisión = televisiónes





3. An exception to the rule is a word that ends in the letter “z”. In this case, we must **change the “z” to “c”** and then we **add “es”**.

Examples:

luz = luces
cruz = cruces
lápiz = lápices

4. The last rule would be the singular **words that end in the letter “s”**. Sometimes, we **just keep the “s”** as either singular or plural and **sometimes we add the “es”**. Only experience or memorization will help us in this situation.

Examples:

lunes = lunes
cumpleaños = cumpleaños

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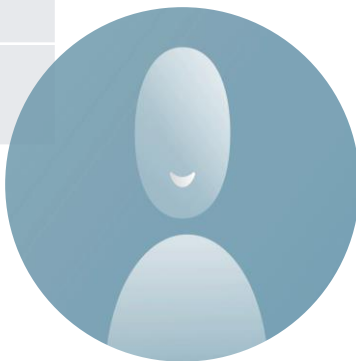
autobus = autobues
interés = intereses



Practice

1.mamá	mamá ^s	11.barril	barriles	21.motor	motores
2.gato	gato ^s	12.playa	playas	22.brazo	bra ^{ce} s
3.bebé	bebés	13.fuerza	fuer ^{ce} s	23.reloj	relojes
4.ratón	ratón ^{es}	14.luz	luc ^{es}	24.tren	tren ^{es}
5.extranjero	extranjeros	15.hombre	hombres	25.*miércoles	miércoles ^s
6.niño	niño ^s	16.autoridad	autoridades	26.**país	país ^{es}
7.voz	voc ^{es}	17.sonrisa	sonrisa ^s	27.*viernes	viernes ^s
8.casa	casa ^s	18.dolor	dolor ^{es}	28.**cortés	cortés ^{es}
9.corazón	corazón ^{es}	19.cruz	cru ^{ce} s	29.*martés	martés ^s
10.estación	estación ^{es}	20.verdad	verdades	30.**inglés	inglés ^{es}

(* = keep the "s", ** = we need to add "es")



Actividad 9:

Make the following Singular Nouns from the joke Plural!

1.	bebé	bebés
2.	extranjero	extranjeros
3.	gato	gatos
4.	*idioma	idomas
5.	mamá	mamás
6.	ratón	ratónes
7.	ratoncito	ratoncitos
8.	bufé	bufés
9.	comida	comidas
10.	esposa	esposas
11.	mesa	mesas
12.	plato	platos
13.	querida	queridas
14.	vergüenza	vergüenzas
15.	vez	veces

