

# PLURALS + This THESE That THOSE

**This** and **THESE** – used when we talk about people, animals or things that are near us →



**This** is my pet. **THESE** are my pets.

**That** and **THOSE** – used when we talk about people, animals or things that are far from us.



**That** is my kite.



**THOSE** are our kites.

## Plural Formation

1. **-S** houses, cars, pens, pencils, computers, books, jobs



One house, two houses

2. **-ES** boxes, dresses, brushes, toothbrushes, kisses, churches



One church, two churches

3. **-IES** cities, families, babies, strawberries, countries  
baby → bab**IES**



One cherry, two cherries

4. Words ending **-y** preceded by a vowel just add **-S**  
Boys, guys, turkeys, toys



One boy, two boys

5. Words ending **-F/FE** change into **-VES** wives, knives, loaves, shelves, thie**ves**, leaves



one leaf, two leaves

6. Irregular Plurals  
one woman – two **women**  
one man – two **men**  
**One person** – two **people**  
**One goose** – two **geese**  
**One ox** – two **oxen**  
**One louse** – two **lice**



one foot – two **feet**



one mouse – two **mice**



one tooth – two **teeth**

## Rewrite the sentences in plural:

1. A dog is an animal. *Dogs are animals.*  
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2. This is a boy.  
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3. The ox is here.  
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4. This is a horse.  
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5. That is a fly.  
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6. She is a woman.  
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7. She is a secretary.  
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8. He is an artist.  
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9. It is a box.  
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10. It is a baby.  
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11. The child is here.  
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12. The buffalo is in the field.  
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13. The woman is at the window.  
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14. This umbrella is red.  
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15. That is a big house.  
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16. That police officer is at the door.  
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17. A potato is a vegetable.  
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18. The watch is in a plastic box.  
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19. Are you a pupil?  
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20. Is he an actor?  
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