

Squashy Box - Plurals

How to use:

Cut out the squashy box, folding each column and gluing together at the two edges. This will give you a 3D cuboid shape.

Here are some suggestions of how it can be used:

- ask the children to tell you the plurals
- ask the children what plural rules apply to each word
- pick a number and write the plural
- choose a column and sort the plurals according to their endings
- ask the children to give you an example of words that follow certain plural rules
- one child chooses a secret word and others must ask questions to work out the secret word (e.g. Does it end in a vowel? Does it end in a vowel followed by a y?)
- reinforce ordering language (e.g. What is the third word? What is the fifth word?)

Plurals

box - boxes	car - cars	bag - bags	lamp - lamps
baby - babies	boy - boys	fox - foxes	party - parties
bus - buses	match - matches	city - cities	pen - pens
church - churches	leaf - leaves	house - houses	cat - cats
door - doors	man - men	day - days	toe - toes
bush - bushes	chair - chairs	book - books	lady - ladies
half - halves	story - stories	tooth - teeth	wife - wives
bell - bells	tree - trees	fish - fishes	brush - brushes
mouse - mice	dish - dishes	switch - switches	beach - beaches
sheep - sheep	foot - feet	key - keys	bunny - bunnies

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