Plural Nouns: The Rules

Name: ..... **Date:** .....

Read the table.

RULE	SINGULAR	PLURAL
+ s	a cat	two cats
+ es after -s, -sh, -ch, -x, -o	a bus	two buses
-y → -ies	a cherry	two cherries
-f → -ves	a leaf	two leaves
irregular	a child	two children
same word	a sheep	two sheep

- Irregular plurals: man → men, woman → women, child → children, foot → feet, tooth → teeth, mouse → mice, goose → geese, sheep → sheep, fish → fish.