

5th Grade Plural Nouns

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| 5. wolf _____ | 14. calf _____ |
| 6. church _____ | 15. dish _____ |
| 7. agency _____ | 16. lunch _____ |
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