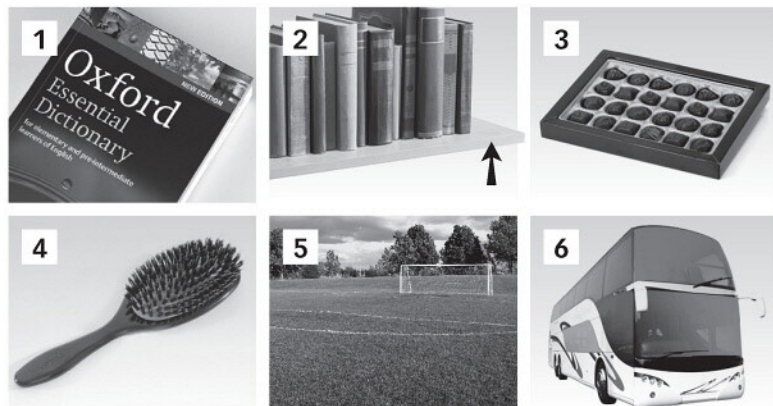


# 1.3 Vocabulary development

## Vocabulary regular and irregular plurals

1 Write the plural form of each word.



- 1 dictionary dictionaries
- 2 bookshelf \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 box of chocolates \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 brush \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 football pitch \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 bus \_\_\_\_\_

2 Complete the facts about the USA with the plural form of a verb from the box.

adult baby car child city class man neighbour  
person president road woman

### ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ FACTS ABOUT THE USA

- 1 Washington D.C. and New York are cities on the east coast of America.
- 2 The White House, at 1600 Pennsylvania Ave, Washington D.C. 20500, is the home of America's \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 The USA has two \_\_\_\_\_ – Canada in the north and Mexico in the south.
- 4 Over 1 million Americans have foreign language \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 There are 317 million people in the USA. 6.4% are \_\_\_\_\_ under the age of five. 13.7% are \_\_\_\_\_ aged over sixty-five.
- 6 Around 4 million \_\_\_\_\_ are born every year.
- 7 The most popular names for \_\_\_\_\_ are James and John. For \_\_\_\_\_, they are Mary and Patricia.
- 8 The main language is English, but 66.75% of \_\_\_\_\_ in Miami, Florida speak Spanish as their first language.
- 9 There are 254.4 million \_\_\_\_\_ on American \_\_\_\_\_.

## Vocabulary review

3 Find the countries in the box and write them in the table. Then write a nationality and a language.

American Arabic ~~the UK~~ British China Chinese (x2)  
Emirati English English France French (x2)  
German (x2) Germany Italy Italian (x2) Mexican  
Mexico Pakistan Pakistani Poland Polish (x2)  
Spanish Turkey Turkish (x2) the UAE Urdu the USA  
Vietnam Vietnamese (x2)

Country	Nationality	Language
<i>the UK</i>	<i>British</i>	<i>English</i>

4 Complete the table.

~~father~~ granddaughter grandfather half-brother niece  
sister sister-in-law son step-brother uncle wife

Female	Male
mother	1 <i>father</i>
2 _____	husband
grandmother	3 _____
4 _____	grandson
daughter	5 _____
6 _____	brother
aunt	7 _____
8 _____	nephew
9 _____	brother-in-law
half-sister	10 _____
step-sister	11 _____

➔ **STUDY TIP** When you learn new vocabulary, think about extra words you need to know. For example, which other countries are important to you? Find them in a dictionary and write the English name and pronunciation in your notebook.