

Literacy.

Friday 8th January, 2021.

Can you remember what nouns have we been looking at in the previous lessons?

Common nouns and proper nouns.

Today we are going to continue to look at nouns but, we are going to be focussing on collective nouns.

Do you know what a collective noun is?

Answer

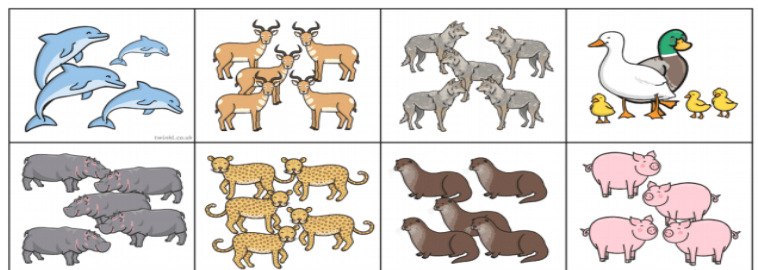
A **collective noun** is a noun used to define/describe a group of objects, people or animals.

A collective noun is a name to a group of things, animals and objects, for example, a pride of lions. **Pride** is the collective noun as that is what a group of lions are called.

Another example of a collective noun is, a herd of elephants.

**Herd** is the collective noun as that is what a group of elephants are called.

Please click on the link below to learn more about collective nouns.



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zi.jGflzT5Ss>

Today's task.

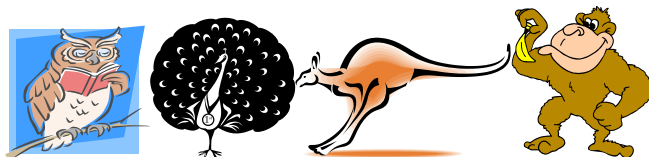
Select a collective noun from the list below to correctly describe these groups of animals. Then write the sentence.

1. A .....flock.....of sheep.
2. A ..... of bees.
3. A ..... of fish.
4. A .....of wolves.
5. A ..... of elephants.
6. A ..... of rabbits.
7. A .....of lions.
8. A .....of keys.
9. A ..... of ants.
10. A ..... of pupils.

pack      ~~flock~~      warren      pride      colony      herd  
bunch      shoal      swarm      class

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Just for fun!



Please invent collective nouns for...

apes                  bats                  giraffes                  hippopotamuses  
kangaroos          tigers                  owls                  peacocks

Please remember to photograph your child's work and send it to your class teacher using Class DOJO.