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Collective Nouns Worksheets 1

Type the missing collective noun.



A _____ of diamonds



A _____ of rags



A _____ of china



A _____ mob (in a riot)



A _____ of worshipers



An _____ at a concert)



A _____ of bells



A _____ of flower-pots



A _____ of papers



A _____ of stars



A _____ of kittens



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A _____ of pups



An _____ of soldiers



A _____ of beads

Type the collective nouns needed to complete these sentences.

- a) The police are searching for a _____ of car thieves.
- b) The match was watched by a huge _____ of spectators.
- c) Mom wore a _____ of beads on her arm.
- d) She found a _____ of papers in the cupboard.
- e) There are millions of stars in a _____.
- f) I need a _____ of rags to clean the dirty windows.
- g) Jake was a soldier in the _____.
- h) Jill hung a _____ of bells over her doorway.

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Match the noun to its number. Drag and drop the collective noun next to the phrase.

SORT ELEMENTS

nest shock herd mob company tribe field pack chest brood

a _____ of people (in riot)	
a _____ of wolves	
a _____ of cattle	
a _____ of actors	
a _____ of drawers	
a _____ of chickens	
a _____ of goats	
a _____ of wheat	
a _____ of runners	
a _____ of mice	

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Match the word or phrase to the correct collective noun. Drag the collective noun and drop it next to the word or phrase.

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crowd	congregation	team	tribe	army or squadron
bouquet	class	board	brood	

flowers in a bundle

worshippers in a church

horses pulling a cart

natives of a country

Chickens born at the same time

Large group of people

A group of directors for a company

a number students or pupils

a number of solders

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Match the group of words with its collective noun. Drag the collective noun to the group of words you want to match.

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flock	school	rope	staff	plague	herd
Stack	chest	gaggle	litter		

a number of birds	
a number of cattle	
teachers in a school	
a number of whales	
a number of locust	
a number of pups	
peals	
hay	
drawers	
a number of geese	

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Type in the space provided a suitable collective noun for each sentence.



a. The _____ was thrilled with the performance of the artistes at the concert.



b. After the _____ of singers had sung, there was absolute silence followed by deafening applause.



c. A _____ of wolves roamed through the forest.

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d. He was greeted in the fields by a _____ of friends.



e. William gave his mother a _____ of flowers for her birthday.



f. A _____ of matches is useful for lighting a fire.

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Use the pictures to help you fill in the gaps. Commit these collective nouns to memory as well. You may use a dictionary for this exercise.



a box of _____



a crowd of _____



a set of _____



a herd of _____



a flock of _____



a clump of _____



a pack of _____



a bunch of _____



a swarm of _____



a choir of _____



a crew of _____



a hail of _____

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Complete the following sentences. Type your answers in the space provided.

The builder has a _____ of tools in the shop.

The loggers cleared a _____ of trees within a week.

Shuffle the _____ of cards.

A _____ of bees chased the bear.

I bought a _____ of chocolate at the grocery store.

The ship has a small _____ of sailors

The shepherd looks after his _____ of sheep.

You can hear a _____ of elephants come.

The _____ (of people) stood in the street.

Put the _____ of flowers in the vase.

The _____ (of singers) sang beautifully.

A _____ of fire spew from the volcano.