

Find the Missing Word

This week, we are looking at adding '-es' to nouns and verbs that end in '-y'.

Choose the right spelling pattern to finish these sentences.

1. We are going on holiday with two other _____ in the summer.

families	family
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2. Hot air _____ your hair.

dry	dries
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3. An elephant can _____ up to 9000kg on its back.

carries	carry
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4. "Make sure nobody _____ your work," my teacher said.

copies	copy
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5. Sam _____ Jamie in the summer and their daughter will be bridesmaid.

marry	marries
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6. A swallow can _____ 200 miles a day.

flies	fly
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7. If everybody _____ to pick up their own rubbish, school will look a lot smarter.

try	tries
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Challenge Task

Which 'ies' words have not been used? Write them here then change the ending so they all end in-y. Choose one to write in a sentence.

Find the Missing Word Answers

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Choose the right spelling pattern to finish these sentences.

1. We are going on holiday with two other families in the summer.

families	
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2. Hot air dries your hair.

	dries
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3. An elephant can carry up to 9000kg on its back.

	carry
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4. "Make sure nobody copies your work," my teacher said.

copies	
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5. Sam marries Jamie in the summer and their daughter will be bridesmaid.

	marries
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6. A swallow can flies 200 miles a day.

flies	
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7. If everybody tries to pick up their own rubbish, school will look a lot smarter.

	tries
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Which 'ies' words have not been used? Write them here then change the ending so they all end in-y. Choose one to write in a sentence.

replies - reply

cries - cry

babies - baby

"I still need one more reply!" cries Joe.