

SINGULAR / PLURAL

I. SINGULAR

A. Use “**A**” before words beginning with a consonant sound

a house a watch a cat a book
a car a belt a dog a pencil

B. Use “**AN**” before words beginning with a vowel sound

an engineer an earring an onion an apple
an uncle an umbrella an hour an idiot

II. PLURAL – Never use “**a**” or “**an**”!!!

a car ► cars an apple ► apples

A. Add **-S** to the end of most words

cars belts cats books
pencils earrings dogs onions

B. Add **-ES** to the end of words ending in **-s, -sh, -ch**

watches dishes dresses
matches wishes buses