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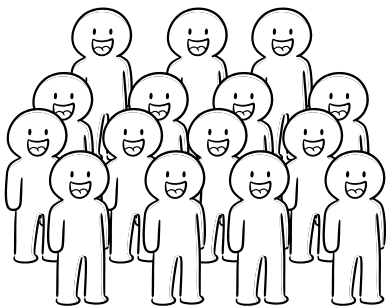
COLLECTIVE NOUNS

What is a collective noun?

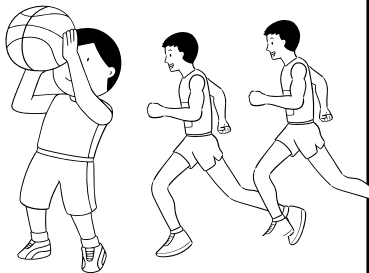
A **collective noun** names a group of people, animals, or things.

We often use collective nouns when we are talking about 4 or more things.

People



crowd



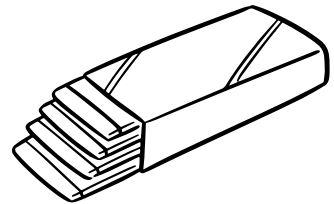
team

Animals

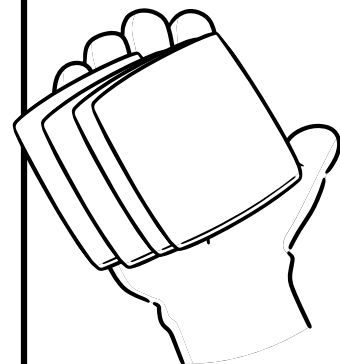


school of fish

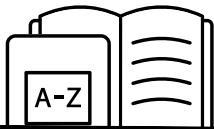
Things



pack of gum



deck of cards



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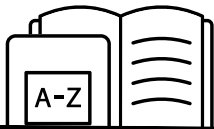
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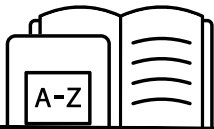
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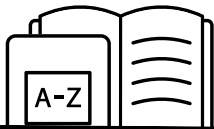
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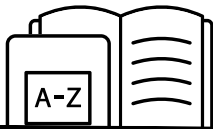
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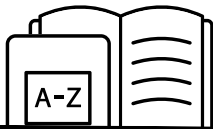
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