



Collective Nouns

A number of **sheep** together is called a **flock**.

A number of **tools** together is called a **set**.

a bunch of grapes

a chest of drawers

a crowd of people

a flight of steps

a flock of birds

a herd of cattle

a pack of wolves

a pair of shoes

a suit of clothes

a shoal of fish

A. Write the missing words. You will find them in the list on the left.

1. a _____ of people
2. a _____ of wolves
3. a _____ of grapes
4. a _____ of shoes
5. a _____ of clothes
6. a flight of _____
7. a chest of _____
8. a shoal of _____
9. a herd of _____
10. a flock of _____

B. Rewrite each sentence and fill in the missing word.

1. A _____ of steps led to the door of the log cabin.
2. A large _____ of starlings flew over the town.
3. A pack of _____ went hunting in the dense forest.
4. Our milk comes from a _____ of cows at Streamvale Farm.
5. A _____ of fish swam past our boat.
6. A _____ of people gathered to welcome the President.
7. The clothes were kept in an old _____ of drawers.
8. She bought a new _____ of shoes for the wedding.
9. Dad gave his old _____ of clothes to the charity shop.
10. When my aunt was in hospital I brought her a _____ of grapes.

C. Extension! Find out the missing collective nouns for these groups.

1. a _____ of elephants
2. a _____ of whales
3. a _____ of books
4. a _____ of flowers