

Christ Church School

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STD: 4 A B C D E F G

Notes: Collective Nouns pages- 8, 9, 10

A. Match these nouns with the current collective nouns.

A	B
1. soldiers	a. shoal
2. flowers	b. crowd
3. flies	c. galaxy
4. cards	d. bouquet
5. stars	e. army
6. fish	f. fleet
7. people	g. swarm
8. ships	h. pack

1. e 2. d 3. g 4. h 5. c 6. a 7. b 8. f

B. Complete this puzzle with the correct collective nouns.

Across

1. a cluster of diamonds
2. a pride of lions
3. a nest of mice
4. an army of soldiers
5. a grove of trees
6. a line of kings

Down

1. a company of actors
7. a fleet of ships
8. a range of mountains

C. Complete the sentence with the correct collective nouns from the box.

herd bouquet swarm heap troop
pack album nest pile crew

1. The troop of soldiers marched quickly across the square.
2. I have bought this lovely bouquet of flowers for my mother.
3. Aziz needs to arrange the pile of clothes in his wardrobes.
4. A hungry pack of wolves waited near the forest.
5. My sister has an album of stamps in the cupboard.
6. A swarm of bees entered through the window.
7. We must clear the heap of leaves from the field before we play cricket.
8. A ship had a crew of sailors.
9. It takes a long time to milk a herd of cows.
10. A nest of mice live in the attic.

D. Tick (✓) the correct options to complete these sentences.

1. A gang / group / band of people were waiting at the entrance
2. A crew / troupe / staff of teachers were present for the meeting.
3. A bunch / board / caravan of crooks broke into the store.
4. A shoal / cloud / bevy of locusts attacked the crops.
5. The monk has a kindle / string / nest of beads in his hands.

6. A brood / team / catch of chickens were running in the farm.

7. Do you see the bunch / cluster / row of houses over there? Ours is the third one.

8. We gifted a batch / basket / heap of fruits to my grandmother.

9. The Andamans are a very beautiful group / string / range of islands.

10. He collected a heap / stack / bunch of stones from the river-bed.

E. Complete the passage using collective nouns from the box.

bunch litter heap family class packet
team constellation

Rima was alone at home that day¹ family had gone out to see a film. Rima stayed back because she wanted to prepare for the Inter School Quiz Competition. She and Karan had been selected to represent their school. Rima knew that they made a good² team. Since she had been prepared for long, she decided to take a break. Rima took the³ bunch of keys from the table and locked the house. She felt very happy to think that her⁴ class from school would be there to cheer for them at the quiz competition. She started walking towards the park, while trying to find the⁵ constellation in the sky that she had learnt about in school. At the park, she noticed a⁶ litter of kittens sitting near a⁷ heap of trash. Luckily, Rima had a⁸ packet of biscuits. The kittens ate up the biscuits hungrily.



Children should complete lesson 7 Digging for Gold
page 18 from their comprehension books.