

Spelling list: Change f to ve

When we add s to most words ending in a single f we change the f to ve .

half **Half** of sixteen is eight.

halves Both **halves** of the game were exciting.

leaf The maple **leaf** is a symbol of Canada.

leaves Beech trees drop their **leaves**.

loaf I love the smell of a freshly baked **loaf**.

loaves I baked six **loaves** yesterday.

knife The **knife** is made of stainless steel.

knives Fishermen's **knives** need to be very sharp.

life The birth of our baby was the happiest day of my **life**.

lives The **lives** of refugees can be hard.

shelf The higher **shelf** is out of my reach.

shelves We need four new **shelves** for the books.

thief A **thief** seized my mother's purse.

thieves All my disks were taken by the **thieves**.

wife He gave his **wife** a gold brooch.

wives King Henry VIII had six **wives**.

wolf The hikers heard a **wolf** howling in the night.

wolves A pack of **wolves** surrounded them,.

yourself Be careful not to burn **yourself** on the candle.

yourselves Please will you all help **yourselves** to the food.