Collective Nouns

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Instructions

1. A collective noun is one word that names a whole group of people, animals, or things.
2. Team, class, flock, and herd are collective nouns.
3. Read each sentence.
4. Circle the word that names the group.

Example

Mr. Ruiz carried a **stack** / **pod** of folders to the office.

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1. A **flock** / **pod** of geese landed on the pond behind our school.
2. Kayla picked a **flock** / **bunch** of daisies and gave them to her mom.
3. Our neighbor's dog has a **flock** / **litter** of six wiggly puppies.
4. The second-grade **class** / **pod** made a big thank-you card for the nurse.
5. Our cat sleeps beside her **litter** / **band** of gray kittens.
6. On the plate sat a tall **pod** / **stack** of warm pancakes.
7. The whole **herd** / **class** clapped when Omar finished his poem.
8. The **flock** / **crew** building the new library starts work at seven.
9. Grandpa watched a **swarm** / **herd** of cows walk slowly across the wet field.
10. After the game, our baseball **pile** / **team** shared oranges, grapes, and cold water.
11. Under the dock, a **band** / **school** of fish darted past my feet.
12. Deep in the woods, a **pack** / **choir** of wolves howled at the moon.