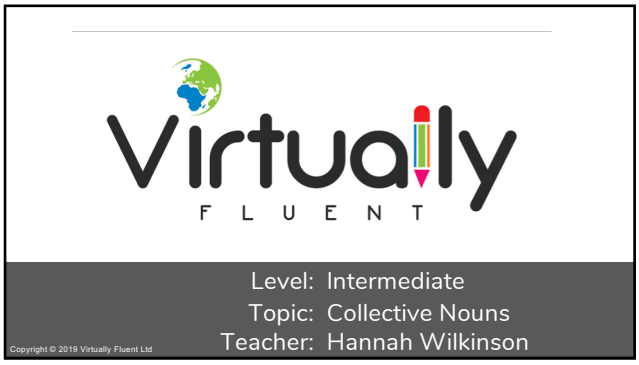

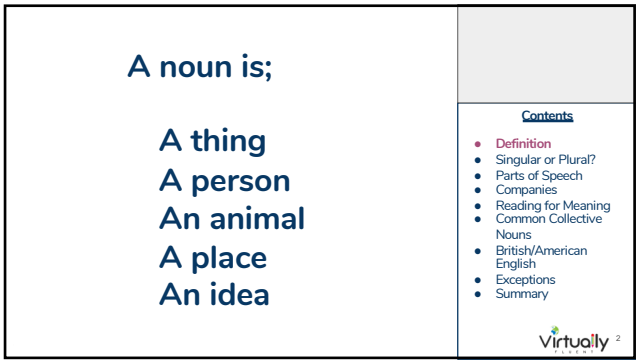

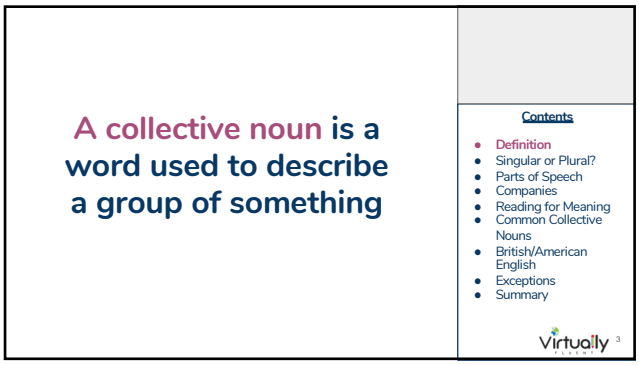

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singular
1 unit

plural

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The team attends a meeting

singular
1 unit

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The choir sings every Monday

singular
1 unit

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team

singular
1 unit

plural
individual

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The team do their tasks

plural
individual

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The class wait for their teacher

plural
individual

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team

singular
1 unit

plural
individual

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The team attends a meeting. It came up with some good ideas.

The team do their tasks. They are busy at work.

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Overview

The United Nations is an international organization founded in 1945. It is currently made up of 193 Member States. The mission and work of the United Nations are guided by the purposes and principles contained in its founding Charter.

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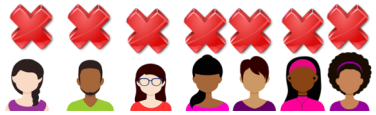
The committee disagrees



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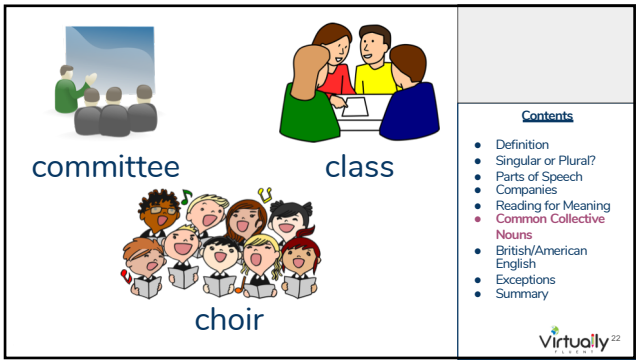

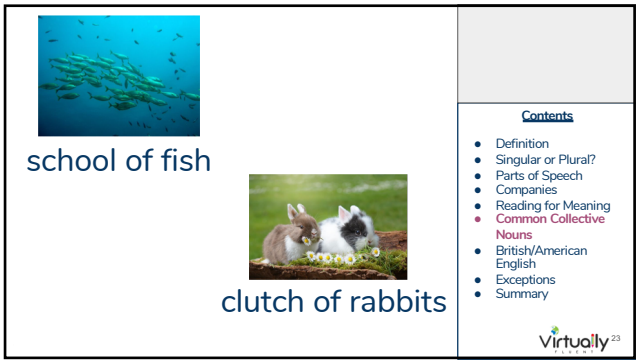

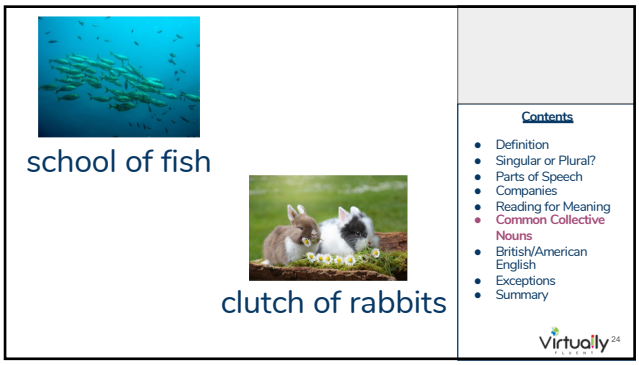

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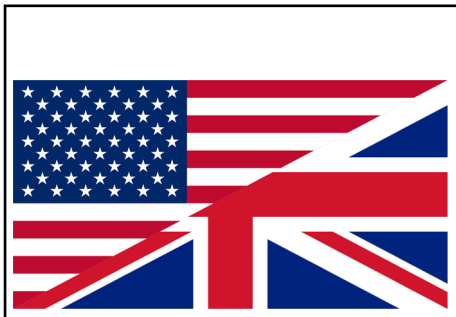

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Singular Form

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American English
My family is from New York

British English
My family are from London

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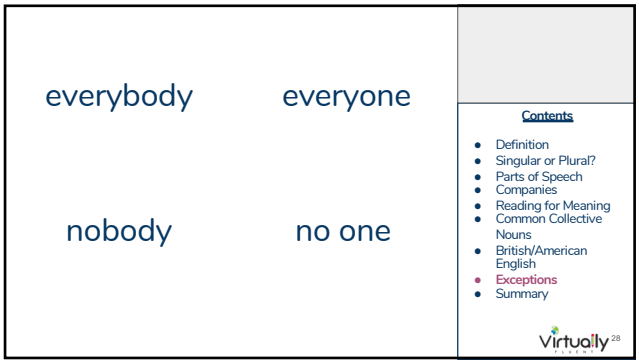

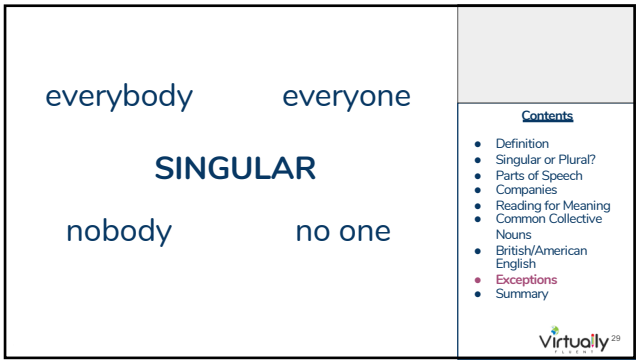

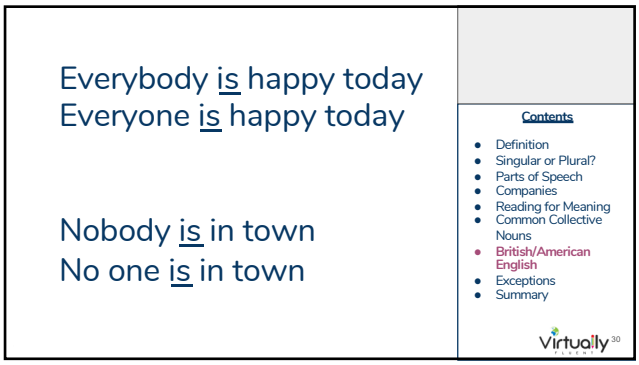

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- Collective nouns are words describing a group of something
- Singular for 1 unit
- Plural for individual people
- American English → singular
- British English → plural
- Everybody, everyone, nobody, no one → always singular

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