

Notes to know about masculine, feminine, singular and plural rules in the food unit.

A. FEMININE/MASCULINE

-FEMININE: If a word ends in an "a" it is usually feminine.

Examples: la zanahoria, la berenjena and la manzana



-MASCULINE: If a word ends in an "o" or any other letter it is usually masculine.

Examples: el pan, el guineo, el arroz and el cereal



90% of the time if you follow this rule you will be correct!

BUT sometimes there are trick words!

The article (el, la, los and las) will **always** tell you the correct gender of the word.

Examples:

1. La leche (Word looks masculine, but the article says the word is feminine.)
2. La moto
3. La mano
4. La foto
5. Las luces

These are all trick words!