



Suffixes



- ⓐ -able/-ible: means capable of doing something > **capable**: able to be carried
- ⓑ -ful: means filled with > **cheerful**: filled with cheer
- ⓒ -ness: the state of being something > **goodness**: the state of being good.
- ⓓ -less: means without > **cloudless**: without cloud
- ⓔ -ous: means full of > **humorous**: full of humor
- ⓕ -er/-or: means the person who > **teacher**: the person who teaches



A) Fill in the chart with the correct suffixes.

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| 1) Beauty | <input type="text"/> | 17) Direct | <input type="text"/> |
| 2) Religion | <input type="text"/> | 18) Success | <input type="text"/> |
| 3) Harm | <input type="text"/> | 19) Freeze | <input type="text"/> |
| 4) Nutrition | <input type="text"/> | 20) Sleep | <input type="text"/> |
| 5) Hope | <input type="text"/> | 21) Use | <input type="text"/> |
| 6) Forgive | <input type="text"/> | 22) Danger | <input type="text"/> |
| 7) Engine | <input type="text"/> | 23) Employ | <input type="text"/> |
| 8) Pain | <input type="text"/> | 24) Aim | <input type="text"/> |
| 9) Sad | <input type="text"/> | 25) Purchase | <input type="text"/> |
| 10) Admire | <input type="text"/> | 26) Taste | <input type="text"/> |
| 11) Respect | <input type="text"/> | 27) Ambition | <input type="text"/> |
| 12) Envy | <input type="text"/> | 28) Laugh | <input type="text"/> |
| 13) Kind | <input type="text"/> | 29) Wonder | <input type="text"/> |
| 14) Break | <input type="text"/> | 30) Consume | <input type="text"/> |
| 15) Happy | <input type="text"/> | 31) Hazard | <input type="text"/> |
| 16) Fame | <input type="text"/> | 32) Quiet | <input type="text"/> |

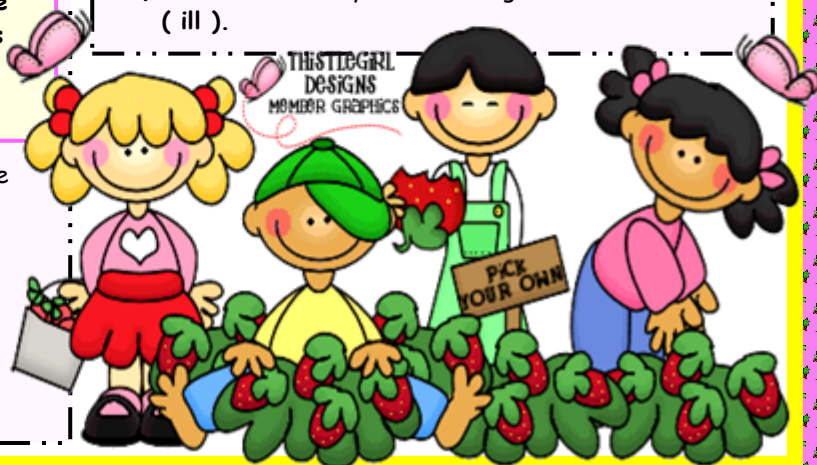
C) Fill in the blanks with the correct suffixes

- 1) This dress is so ----- . Look at these colors. (**color**)
- 2) Sam is a ----- driver. He always has accidents. (**care**)
- 3) Wow! This ring is so ----- . (**value**)
- 4) I don't understand ----- topics. (**religion**)
- 5) My uncle is a ----- . (**command**)
- 6) She'll be appreciated because of her ----- . (**kind**)
- 7) I want to quit. I don't want to work in this ----- office. (**stress**)
- 8) We won't be able to reach there. This way must be ----- . (**end**)
- 9) My mother is a well-known ----- . (**write**)
- 10) Don't afraid of it. It is ----- . (**harm**)
- 11) His behaviors aren't ----- . (**tolerate**)
- 12) Hmm. This cake looks so ----- . (**delicacy**)
- 13) Martin is a ----- boy. He can lift everything he wants. (**power**)
- 14) The ----- will paint the fences. (**paint**)
- 15) My grandmother is an ----- woman. (**ambition**)
- 16) Sarah is the most ----- person I have ever known. (**rely**)
- 17) Is Harry a ----- man? (**response**)
- 18) I can't see anything in the ----- . (**dark**)
- 19) What a ----- situation! (**shame**)
- 20) What's the reason of her -----? What's wrong with her? (**sad**)
- 21) Sue is so ----- . She is crying. (**hope**)
- 22) Be careful! It is ----- to go there. (**danger**)
- 23) He is always telling ----- stories. (**unbelief**)
- 24) She has difficulty in recovering from this ----- (**ill**).

B) Match

- 1) This snake could be ----- . So we must be careful.
- 2) Arthur suffers from ----- . He is a lonely man.
- 3) As a ----- , I want to buy products.
- 4) Karla stayed ----- underwater for an hour.
- 5) This operation could be ----- . But the pains will be ----- .
- 6) Mesut is a ----- boy. He doesn't afraid of even the most ----- stories.
- 7) Don't be afraid of that cat. It is ----- .
- 8) My teacher is ----- .
- 9) Sam's father is an ----- .
- 10) You have to work on something ----- . You have your head in the clouds.
- 11) You project is fine. It is ----- .
- 12) Mrs. Honey is very ----- . She wants to learn everything about her neighbors.
- 13) You can buy all of them. It is ----- .
- 14) In this party I have to wear something ----- .

- a) painful
- b) horrible
- c) achievable
- d) riskless
- e) harmless
- f) curious
- g) fashionable
- h) customer
- i) poisonous
- j) wonderful
- k) breathless
- l) bearable
- m) agreeable
- n) loneliness
- o) fearless
- p) engineer



Suffixes Of Adjectives



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1. Remember these suffixes of adjectives!

2. Form adjectives using the correct the correct suffix:

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| 1. enjoy | 15. chill |
| 2. sun | 16. harm |
| 3. home | 17. form |
| 4. use | 18. act |
| 5. music | 19. snow |
| 6. wind | 20. rely |
| 7. change | 21. nation |
| 8. beauty | 22. dust |
| 9. end | 23. count |

3. Underline the correct word:

- This coffee is not **drinkable/drinkless**.
- Paul is a **lucky/lukiful** man.
- There rules are **formaly/formal**.
- My sofa is very **comfortless/ comfortable**.
- The situation on the roads is **dangerous/dangerable**.
- It is a **national/nationful** holiday.
- Do you know all the **musicly/musical** instruments?
- My granny is a very **careful/carely** person.
- I think this film is **endly/endless**.
- Your actions are **harmful/harmly**.
- My attempts were use **usely/useless**.

4. Fill in the correct words with suffixes:

- Look! This armchair is very _____ (comfort).
- Tom is a very _____ (create) person.
- My friend is a _____ (beauty) girl.
- Your report was _____ (success).
- The injection was _____ (pain).
- Be _____ (care)! It is slippery here.
- The situation was rather _____ (danger).
- Ben is _____ (friend) and sociable.
- This rule is very _____ (use).
- These prices are _____ (reason).



