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# Suffixes

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Add the affix to the root word, then write the new word on the line.

### Reference

<b>-ful</b>	full of	e.g. helpful
<b>-less</b>	without	e.g. fearless
<b>-er</b>	one who	e.g. teacher
<b>-ness</b>	state of	e.g. kindness
<b>-ly</b>	in the way	e.g. quickly
<b>-ing</b>	doing	e.g. running

1. Add -ing to play = \_\_\_\_\_

2. Add -ness to happy = \_\_\_\_\_

3. Add -less to read = \_\_\_\_\_

4. Add -ing to kind = \_\_\_\_\_

5. Add -less to think = \_\_\_\_\_

6. Add -ness to trust = \_\_\_\_\_

7. Add -ing to harm = \_\_\_\_\_

8. Add -er to quick = \_\_\_\_\_

9. Add -less to helpful = \_\_\_\_\_

10. Add -er to agree = \_\_\_\_\_

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## Suffixes - Answer Key

1. Add -ing to play =  
> **playing**
2. Add -ness to happy =  
> **happyness**
3. Add -less to read =  
> **readless**
4. Add -ing to kind =  
> **kinding**
5. Add -less to think =  
> **thoughtless**
6. Add -ness to trust =  
> **trustness**
7. Add -ing to harm =  
> **harming**
8. Add -er to quick =  
> **quicker**
9. Add -less to helpful =  
> **helpfulless**
10. Add -er to agree =  
> **agreeer**