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Suffixes

A suffix is a letter or a group of letters added to the end of a word to form a new word.

This week we are looking at the suffix 'ment'.

You can add 'ment' to the end of each of these words to make a new word.

e.g. judge + ment = judgement

achieve

excite

commit

pay

agree

amuse

govern

engage

punish

Use a dictionary or the internet to look up the meanings of some of these words.

Can you find any other words with the suffix 'ment'?

Now we would like you choose which suffix can be added to the root word. Some words may be able to have more than one suffix added to make a new word. The first one has been done for you.

Root word	suffix					
	ment	ness	less	ly	ing	ful
good		✓				
agree						
quick						
sink						
rest						
jump						
pay						
harm						
slow						
kind						
proud						
sing						
play						
help						
care						

Choose at least 3 of the words and use them in a sentence.

e.g. Fruit and vegetables are full of goodness.

