

Understanding Common Suffixes

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Review your learning about -ful, -less, and -tion

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Answer the following questions based on what you learned about common suffixes.

1. What does the suffix -ful mean?

- A. Without
- B. Full of
- C. Action

2. A word like 'fearless' means '___ of fear.'

3. Name one word that ends with -tion and explain what it means.

4. Which of the following is an example of a word with the suffix -less?

- A. Beautiful
- B. Hopeless
- C. Celebration

5. Match the suffix to its meaning.

-ful	
-less	
-tion	

Action or state
Without
Full of

6. The word 'celebration' shows an action or state of ___.

7. How do suffixes help us understand words better?

8. Which word means 'full of thanks'?

- A. Thankful
- B. Thankless
- C. Action

9. When you add -tion to 'create', the new word is '___'.

10. Why is it important to learn about suffixes?

Answer Key

1. Full of 2. without 3. Creation means the act of making something. 4. Hopeless 5. Action or state 6. celebrating 7. Suffixes change the meanings of root words, helping us know what they mean. 8. Thankful 9. creation 10. Learning about suffixes helps us build new words and understand their meanings.

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