

Application and Reasoning

Step 4: Using Suffixes

National Curriculum Objectives:

English Year 4: Spell words with endings sounding like /ʒə/ or /tʃə/, /ʒən/ and /ʃən/ spelt –tion, –sion, –ssion, –cian

English Year 4: Spell using the suffixes –ation, –ous and –ly

English Year 4: Add suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words of more than one syllable

English Year 4: Use further prefixes and suffixes and understand how to add them - see English appendix

Differentiation:

Questions 1, 4 and 7 (Application)

Developing Select the correct spelling to complete the sentence. Using the suffixes ‘-sure’, ‘-ture’, ‘-cher’, ‘-tion’ and ‘-cian’.

Expected Select the correct spellings to complete the sentence. Using the above suffixes, in addition to ‘-ly’ and ‘-ous’.

Greater Depth Select the correct spellings to complete the sentence. Using the above suffixes, in addition to exceptions to the usual rules or where a prefix has also been added.

Questions 2, 5 and 8 (Application)

Developing Rewrite the sentence using the correct spellings. Using the suffixes ‘-sure’, ‘-ture’, ‘-cher’, ‘-tion’ and ‘-cian’. The number of errors is identified.

Expected Rewrite the sentence using the correct spellings. Using the above suffixes, in addition to ‘-ly’ and ‘-ous’. The number of errors is identified.

Greater Depth Rewrite the sentence using the correct spellings. Using the above suffixes, in addition to exceptions to the usual rules or where a prefix has also been added. The number of errors is not specified.

Questions 3, 6 and 9 (Reasoning)

Developing Explain which given statement is correct. Using the suffixes ‘-sure’, ‘-ture’, ‘-cher’, ‘-tion’ and ‘-cian’.

Expected Explain which given statement is correct when comparing the use of two suffixes. Using the above suffixes, in addition to ‘-ly’ and ‘-ous’.

Greater Depth Explain which given statement is correct when comparing the use of two suffixes. Using the above suffixes, in addition to exceptions to the usual rules or where a prefix has also been added.

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Using Suffixes

1a. Complete the sentence below using the correct word from the word bank.

The crowd watched the _____ with great admiration.

magician

magition



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Using Suffixes

1b. Complete the sentence below using the correct word from the word bank.

The _____ fixed the broken television.

electrition

electrician



A

2a. Tobias has written the sentence below. Underline the two words which are not spelt correctly.

He used a metre stick to measher the distance between his current posision and the wall.

Rewrite the sentence using the correct spellings.



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2b. Florence has written the sentence below. Underline the two words which are not spelt correctly.

The buture sliced the meats in preparatian for the lunch time rush.

Rewrite the sentence using the correct spellings.



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3a. Rubina and Nathan have included a suffix in their sentences.

Rubina wrote:

The picher frame is made from plastic.

Nathan wrote:

A picture paints a thousand words.

Who has used the suffix correctly? Explain your answer.



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3b. Jimmy and Sarah have included a suffix in their sentences.

Jimmy wrote:

The argument caused a division.

Sarah wrote:

I solved the divition problem.

Who has used the suffix correctly? Explain your answer.



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Using Suffixes

4a. Complete the sentence below using the correct words from the word bank.

He gave the _____ an _____ to stun it.

creature

creacher

injection

injecson



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Using Suffixes

4b. Complete the sentence below using the correct words from the word bank.

Without _____, the bandits hunted for the hidden _____.

treasher

hesitation

treasure

hesitacian



A

5a. Scarlett has written the sentence below. Underline the two words which are not spelt correctly.

The polittion needed to order furnicher for his new office immediately.

Rewrite the sentence using the correct spellings.



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5b. Kalid has written the sentence below. Underline the two words which are not spelt correctly.

Having an advencher in a mountainus region is not a decision to be taken lightly.

Rewrite the sentence using the correct spellings.



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6a. Benjamin and Ruby have included a suffix in their sentences.

Benjamin wrote:

Many famous artists live in New York.

Ruby wrote:

I asked the artist for his signacher.

Who has used a suffix correctly? Explain your answer.



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6b. Alicia and David have included a suffix in their sentences.

Alicia wrote:

We finaly arrived at our holiday home.

David wrote:

The car journey was horrenous.

Who has used a suffix correctly? Explain your answer.



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Using Suffixes

7a. Complete the sentence below using the correct words from the word bank.

He received a _____ as his tremendous efforts were _____ noted.

commendacion

duely

duly

commendation



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Using Suffixes

7b. Complete the sentence below using the correct words from the word bank.

She had every _____ of completing her reading _____ test accurately.

comprehention

intension

intention

comprehension



A

8a. Sunita has written the sentence below. Underline any words which are not spelt correctly.

The **courageus** knights supported us **noblely** during the **invation** from the **attacking** warriors.

Rewrite the sentence using the correct spellings.



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8b. Andrew has written the sentence below. Underline any words which are not spelt correctly.

The **mathematition** **franticaly** searched for an answer to his **tricky** **equasion**.

Rewrite the sentence using the correct spellings.



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9a. Maisie and Alexander have included a suffix in their sentences.

Maisie wrote:

He tried to reassure her but it was no use.

Alexander wrote:

She looked at him with trepidacion.

Who has used a suffix correctly? Explain your answer.



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9b. Owen and Meghan have included a suffix in their sentences.

Owen wrote:

Bradley impatently held the door open for his parents.

Meghan wrote:

He couldn't wait for the magition to arrive.

Who has used a suffix correctly? Explain your answer.



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Developing

- 1a. **magician**
- 2a. He used a metre stick to measure the distance between his current position and the wall.
- 3a. Nathan because the correct spelling of '-ture' has been used.

Expected

- 4a. **creature and injection**
- 5a. The politician needed to order furniture for his new office immediately.
- 6a. Benjamin because the correct spelling is 'famous'. Ruby should have written 'signature'.

Greater Depth

- 7a. **commendation and duly**
- 8a. The courageous knights supported us nobly during the invasion from the attacking warriors.
- 9a. Maisie because the correct spelling is 'reassure'. Alexander should have written 'trepidation'.

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Developing

- 1b. **electrician**
- 2b. The butcher sliced the meats in preparation for the lunch time rush.
- 3b. Jimmy because the correct spelling of '-sion' has been used.

Expected

- 4b. **hesitation and treasure**
- 5b. Having an adventure in a mountainous region is not a decision to be taken lightly.
- 6b. David because the correct spelling is 'horrendous'. Alicia should have written 'finally'.

Greater Depth

- 7b. **intention and comprehension**
- 8b. The mathematician frantically searched for an answer to his tricky equation.
- 9b. Owen because the correct spelling is 'impatiently'. Meghan should have written 'magician'.