

## SUFFIXES

A **suffix** is a syllable added to the end of a word. Adding a suffix to a word changes the meaning of the word.

Use the words in the box to complete each sentence. **Be sure to spell the words correctly.**

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| homeless | fearless | kindness | hopeless | fullness | helpless |
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1. Babies are \_\_\_\_\_, they can do nothing for themselves.
2. During the holidays, my school collects food for the \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ I felt in my stomach after eating too much made me very uncomfortable.
4. Superheroes often seem to be \_\_\_\_\_, nothing scares them!
5. I show \_\_\_\_\_ to my classmates by helping those in need.
6. When I first sat down to start my book report, it felt \_\_\_\_\_.  
There was no way I could ever finish on time.

Write a single word with *-ful* or *-less* to complete each sentence. **Be sure to spell the words correctly.**

1. I am \_\_\_\_\_ to have such a loving family.  
(full of thanks)
2. Will saw a \_\_\_\_\_ puppy wandering around town.  
(without a home)
3. This broken toy is a \_\_\_\_\_ piece of junk.  
(without worth)
4. Carla, you look \_\_\_\_\_ in that dress.  
(full of beauty)
5. Did you see the \_\_\_\_\_ rainbow in the sky?  
(full of colour)
6. The squirrels in the backyard are \_\_\_\_\_.  
(without harm)