Word Formation

Forming abstract nouns	Forming adjectives from noun
-ance	-ous
disappear	fame
resist	nerve
perform	danger
-(e)ry	-al
brave	magic
trick	nation
deliver	environment
-f added to verbs ending in -ve	-ish
relieve	scot
grieve	self
disbelieve	book
-ion/-ation	-ic
act	artist
operate	academi
inform	class
-ment	-у
agree	health
develop	luck
entertain	rain
-ness	-ive
forgive	mass
weak	respect
kind	product

-ful	adjective ending in -y → y -ily
play	busy
thought	messy
success	angry
-less	Irregular forms
fear	good
care	fast
use	hard
	late
-able	early
comfort	
change	
fashion	
Forming adverbs from adjectives	
adjective + -ly cheerful	
polite	
adjective ending in -ic + ally	
frantic	
basic	
dramatic	
adjective ending in -le → e -y sensible	
possible	
horrible	