

Suffixes: -ful and -less

The suffix -ful means full of.



Liz takes her time and paints with care.
Liz is a **careful** painter.

The suffix -less means without.



Dave paints without caring.
Dave is a **careless** painter.

Drag a single word with -ful or -less to complete each sentence.

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

harmless

thankful

colorful

worthless

beautiful

homeless