

Suffixes (able, er, or & less)

List Words

available
believable
considerable
durable
inflammable
follower
publisher
owner
viewer
traveler
director
professor
conductor
sailor
actor
bottomless
careless
spotless
meaningless
harmless

Suffixes are added to the end of root words base words. When you add a suffix to a base word, you change the base word's meaning.

Some common suffixes and their meanings:

able - can be done

er – more or one who

or – one who

less - without

Add the correct suffix to the end of each base word.

spot _____	without spot
direct _____	one who directs
avail _____	ready or able to do
bottom _____	without bottom
conduct _____	one who conducts
travel _____	one who travels
harm _____	without harm
act _____	one who acts
publish _____	one who publishes
believe _____	able to be believed

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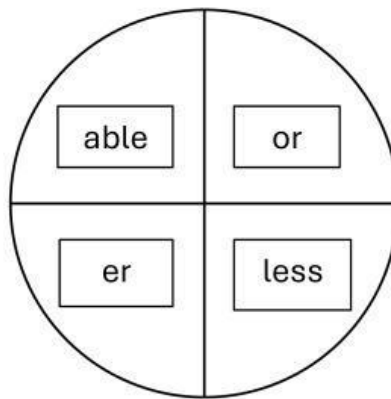
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Find the right suffixes for each word listed. Some of them you may have multiple applicable suffixes so write as many as you can.



cash _____

work _____

run _____

enjoy _____

learn _____

odor _____

wash _____

use _____

slow _____

operate_____