

Suffixes **-y, -ish, -hood, -ment**

Directions Combine the base word and suffix. Write the new word on the line.

1. pay + -ment = _____
2. cloud + -y = _____
3. self + -ish = _____
4. boy + -hood = _____
5. storm + -y = _____
6. excite + -ment = _____
7. false + -hood = _____
8. baby + -ish = _____

Directions Add **-y, -ish, -hood, or -ment** to the base word in () to best complete each sentence. Use the word box for help. Write the new word on the line.

childhood entertainment foolish frosty
movement neighborhood snowy

- _____ 9. During my (child) we moved often.
- _____ 10. We moved to a (neighbor) with woods and a pond nearby.
- _____ 11. Playing outdoors provided plenty of (entertain).
- _____ 12. One (snow) day, my brother and I decided to go skating.
- _____ 13. We were scared by (move) along the edge of the pond.
- _____ 14. How (fool) we felt when we saw it was Ben, our new neighbor.
- _____ 15. We thought it was a (frost) snowman come to life.



Home Activity Your child added the suffixes **-y, -ish, -hood, and -ment** to base words to form new words. Work together to form other words with these suffixes, such as *thirsty, childish, and shipment*. Have your child write sentences using the new words.

Suffixes

Spelling Words

rocky	foolish	rainy	childhood	selfish
treatment	movement	neighborhood	childish	parenthood
crunchy	bumpy	payment	sleepy	shipment

Opposites Write the missing list word. It will be the **opposite** of the underlined word.

1. This lizard's skin is smooth. 1. _____
2. Do you think tomorrow will be sunny? 2. _____
3. I was alert the entire trip. 3. _____
4. The salesman was generous with his time. 4. _____
5. There's a lot of stillness in the wasp nest. 5. _____
6. Our guide seemed wise to me. 6. _____
7. My brother acts pretty grown up. 7. _____
8. Dad collected coins throughout his adulthood. 8. _____

Context Clues A word is missing from each of the opinions below. Write the missing word.

9. Jelly with _____ peanut butter tastes best.
10. Anyone would like to get a _____ of gifts.
11. I should get a _____ for washing dishes.
12. My _____ is the friendliest.
13. A _____ beach is not much fun.
14. There's nothing easy about _____.
15. The best _____ for a cold is to rest.



Home Activity Your child spelled words with the suffixes -y, -ish, -hood, and -ment. Have your child try spelling the base word and the suffix separately.

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Proofread an Order Form Greg is selling snack bars for his team. Circle four spelling errors and one capitalization error. Write the words correctly.

Order Form		
Item	How Many?	Cost
rocky road bars	3	\$ 3.00
crunchie bars	2	\$ 2.00
		Total: \$ 5.00
Deliver to: 1413 Sleepy Hollow Road Notes: Deliver on saturday. Leave the box on the vary top step unless it is rainey. The paymant has been made.		

Frequently Misspelled Words

different
very

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____
4. _____ 5. _____

Proofread Words Circle the word that is spelled correctly.

6. The **shipmint** **shipment** should arrive soon.
 7. This ride is **bumpy** **bumpie**.
 8. Don't be **selfist** **selfish** with the markers.
 9. We are having a **nieghborhood** **neighborhood** picnic.
 10. He spent his **childhood** **childood** in Cleveland.



Home Activity Your child identified misspelled words with the suffixes -y, -ish, -hood, and -ment. Have your child underline the suffixes in the list words.