# Suffixes *-ian, -ant, -ent, -ist*

| Spelling Words | | | | | |
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| musician | politician | occupant | custodian | motorist | merchant |
| tenant | student | novelist | scientist | descendant | |
| vegetarian | soloist | specialist | resident | historian | |

**Word Clues** Write the list word that identifies the speaker of each statement below.

1. "I belive a healthy diet is one that does not include meat." 1. _____
2. "I love driving to work." 2. _____
3. "I clean up at night after everyone else has gone home." 3. _____
4. "I sell a wide variety of things in my shop." 4. _____
5. "My new apartment is much bigger than the last one." 5. _____
6. "I practice on my instrument an hour every day." 6. _____
7. "I belive I can win this election." 7. _____
8. "School starts next week." 8. _____
9. "I have been working on this book for two years." 9. _____

**Word Meaning** Write the list word that matches each definition.

1. a person born of a certain family or group 1. _____
2. a person who writes about history 2. _____
3. a person who sings or plays an instrument alone 3. _____
4. a person who has expert knowledge of some branch of science 4. _____
5. a person who lives in a certain area 5. _____
6. a person who is an expert in a particular subject 6. _____
7. a person who takes up a certain space 7. _____

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