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### Phonics - Doubling the Final Consonant

When a one syllable short-vowel word ends in a single consonant, double the consonant before adding a suffix that begins with a vowel.

Form a new word by putting each base word and suffix together.

Write the new word on the line.

1. slim + er = \_\_\_\_\_

2. bold + est = \_\_\_\_\_

3. grin + ed = \_\_\_\_\_

4. drip + ing = \_\_\_\_\_

5. swim + ing = \_\_\_\_\_

6. set + ing = \_\_\_\_\_

7. flat + er = \_\_\_\_\_

8. run + ing = \_\_\_\_\_

9. scrub + ed = \_\_\_\_\_

10. plot + ed = \_\_\_\_\_

11. hot + est = \_\_\_\_\_

12. hug + ed = \_\_\_\_\_

Complete each sentence with one of the new words you formed above.

13. Diane, an explorer, was \_\_\_\_\_ out of an exciting trip.

14. On the \_\_\_\_\_ day of the summer, she departed.

15. She had \_\_\_\_\_ her course on a map.

16. Diane would be \_\_\_\_\_ along trails part of the time.

17. She would move easily over the \_\_\_\_\_ terrain.

18. When she reached the river, she would do some \_\_\_\_\_.

19. Diane \_\_\_\_\_ her parents before leaving.

20. She \_\_\_\_\_ happily as she waved goodbye.