

Spelling For ADULTS

UNIT 6

Spelling Words with the Suffixes
-ar, -er, -or, -ary, -ery, -ory.

EXTRA PRACTICE
WORKSHEETS

Answer Key Included

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Unit 6: Spelling Words with the Suffixes -ar, -er, -or, -ary, -ery, -ory

SKILL FOCUS: Reinforce correct suffix selection based on meaning and function for words ending in -ar, -er, -or, -ary, -ery, -ory.

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Personal Message:

You've made it to the end of Unit 6, and I just want to take a moment to say—well done! Spelling words with tricky vowel suffixes isn't easy, but every time you work through these patterns, you're training your brain to recognize them more naturally. Keep at it, and soon enough, you'll be spelling these words without a second thought!

I also want to ask—are you keeping a Spelling Journal? If not, this might be the perfect time to start! My Spelling for Adults Journal is designed to align with each unit in this program. It helps you set goals, reflect on challenges, and track your progress in a way that keeps you motivated. You can use it however works best for you—type directly into it, write with an e-pen, or print it out if you prefer a physical copy.

If you'd like to start using the journal, you can download it [here](#).

Warm regards,
Natasha



Activity 6: The sentences below are designed to help you repeatedly apply the patterns discussed in the lessons. This repetition strengthens recognition and retention of suffix patterns. Complete each sentence by adding the correct suffix (-ar, -er, -or, -ary, -ery, -ory) to the base word.

1. The police arrested the **abduct**_____ after an extensive search.
2. The orchestra's **conduct**_____ led the musicians through a flawless performance.
3. The company signed a new **contract**_____ for the upcoming project.
4. The scientist adjusted the **reflect**_____ in the lab to focus the light.
5. The **dictat**_____ ruled with absolute power.
6. The university hired an experienced **educat**_____ to lead the training program.
7. The insurance company sent an **estim**_____ to assess the storm damage.
8. The debate was led by a neutral **moder**_____ who ensured fairness.
9. The chef used a **grat**_____ to shred the cheese for the pasta.
10. We spent the afternoon at the **skat**_____ park practicing new tricks.
11. The new law acted as an **inhibit**_____ on corporate fraud.
12. Before applying for the loan, she checked her **credit**_____ score.
13. The journalist was a skilled **elicit**_____, drawing out insights from even the most reserved interviewees.
14. The map included a clear **delimit**_____ marking the boundaries between the two territories.
15. Despite the challenges, she refused to be a **quit**_____ and kept pushing forward.

16. The company hired a skilled **advertis**_____ to create a compelling marketing campaign.
17. The hotel provides top-rated **cater**_____ services for large events.
18. The castle's **garden**_____ has won awards for its stunning flower arrangements.
19. The military officer was a respected **lead**_____ in his division.
20. The carpenter used a **shred**_____ to cut the wood into thin strips.
21. He hopes to become a professional **train**_____ in workplace safety.
22. The famous architect was the **build**_____ of several landmark structures.
23. The army general was appointed as the **command**_____ of the special forces.
24. The **impound**_____ towed illegally parked cars from the restricted zone every morning.
25. The protestors were accused of being social **disrupt**_____.
26. The technician installed a power **convert**_____ to adjust the voltage for the new equipment.
27. On cold winter mornings, she relied on the car's **defrost**_____ to clear the windshield.
28. The priest was a respected **preach**_____ in the local community.
29. The street **sketch**_____ quickly captured the likeness of passersby with just a few pencil strokes.
30. He grabbed the fire **extinguish**_____ and quickly put out the small kitchen fire.
31. The poker player was known as an excellent **bluff**_____.

32. The bartender used a **fill**_____ to pour the beer into the glass smoothly.
33. She pressed the **buzz**_____ to let the delivery driver know the gate was open.
34. The officer arrested the **trespass**_____ for illegally entering the building.
35. The mechanic used a **compress**_____ to fix the air conditioning system.
36. The famous pianist was also a skilled **compose**_____ of classical music.
37. The artisan was a master **weav**_____ known for intricate fabric designs.

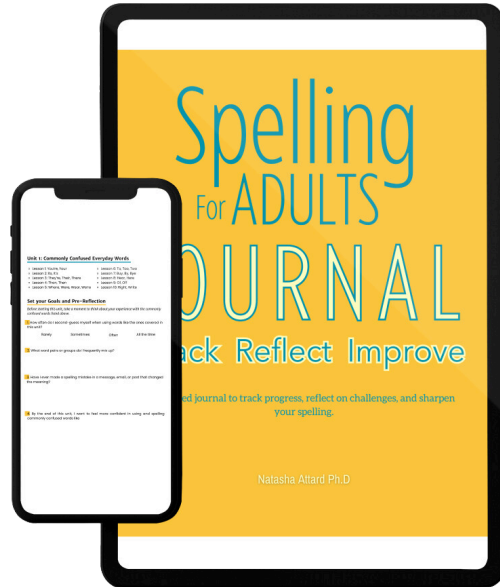
Spelling Practice

Use this space to jot down words you find tricky and practice writing them.

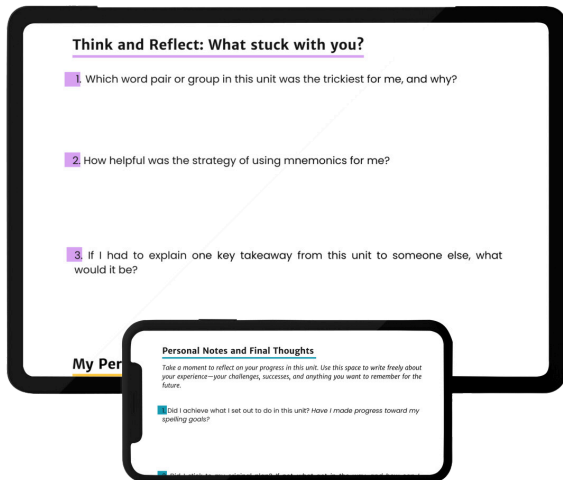
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Answer Key

1. abductor
2. conductor
3. contractor
4. reflector
5. dictator
6. educator
7. estimator
8. moderator
9. grater
10. skater
11. inhibitor
12. creditor
13. elicitor
14. delimiter
15. quitter
16. advertiser
17. caterer
18. gardener
19. leader
20. shredder
21. trainer
22. builder
23. commander
24. impounder
25. disruptor
26. converter
27. defroster
28. preacher
29. sketcher
30. extinguisher
31. bluffer
32. filler
33. buzzer
34. trespasser
35. compressor
36. composer
37. weaver