



What is a suffix? A suffix is one or more letters you can put at the end of a word to change it's meaning. For example, using the root word "walk"...

Growl + suffix of "ed" = growled

Growl + suffix of "ing" = growling

Sometimes when you add a suffix to the end of the word, you might have to change the spelling for it to work (e.g. happy + suffix of "er" = happier).

Watch the bbc bitesize link (<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-ks2-wonderful-words-suffixes-part-1/zdnd7nb>) to recap how to add suffixes to a word and pay special attention to the rules about when to change the spelling when adding a suffix!

	-er	-ing	-est	-ed
laugh				
short				
tall				
help				
hop				
slip				
shop				
chat				
shine				
joke				