The meaning of a word can be changed by adding letters to the end of the main word. SUF comes from the Latin for *after*.

The observant observer observes a lioness hunting in the wilderness.

The priest of a military unit is usually called chaplain.

There seems to be a lack of tolerance in those countries.

The process of modifying something is called treatment.

Teachers are used to writing on the blackboard.

Aphrodite is the goddess of love and beauty.

His teacher seems to be a woman with endless patience.

We feel safe because we live in a Neighbourhood Watch Area.

Napoleon was interested in mathematics, geography and history.

Do you feel nervous before a dentist's appointment?

Why does my friend always criticize me and correct everything I do?

Communism aims for a classless and stateless society.

In a close relationship he behaves unbearable.

Why does a microscope magnify?

She lost her valuable bracelet.

My convertible waits in the garage.

Our bakery is the place where bread is baked for many people.

This part of the country is still backward; there are no railways or motorways.

Are you prepared for the examination for the Certificate of Proficiency in English?



SUFFIXES	MEANINGS	EXAMPLES	in your language	FURTHER EXAMPLES
-able, -ible	capable of	suitable		
-ain, -an	connected to	politician		
-ance, -ence	in a state of	existence		
-ment	action	punishment		
-ness	quality	darkness	tenebre-oscuridad-sötétség- kegelapan- duisternis	wilderness, happiness
-er, -eer, -ier	someone who	engineer		
-ess	female	lioness		
-fy	to make	purify		
-less	without	timeless		
-hood	order, quality	brotherhood		
-ful	full of	beautiful		
-ory	a place for	factory		
-ous	full of	monstruous		
-ize, -ise	to make	realise		
-ism	belief	socialism		
-ship	state of being	friendship		
-age	collection	baggage		
-cy	quality	efficiency		
-ery	a place to	surgery		
-ward	direction	inward		