

EXACT TEKS WORDING (FROM TEA)

“identify the meaning of and use words with affixes such as im- (into), non-, dis-, in- (not, non), pre-, -ness, -y, and -ful”

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN TO ME?

Big words are built from smaller parts. Each part carries meaning.

When I find a prefix, suffix, or root, I can use it to figure out a word I do not know.

I check my meaning in the sentence to be sure it makes sense.

THIS WEEK’S FOCUS

SUFFIX -IST

The suffix **-ist** means “a person who does or makes”. A suffix is a word part added to the end of a base word. It changes what the word means or how the word is used.

from “**Carmen Lomas Garza**”

This week we move across five thinking levels: **NOTICE** → **CHOOSE** → **SHOW** → **OWN** → **DEFEND**.

TODAY'S THINKING JOB

NOTICE

I can notice word parts.

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Notice the suffix.

Read this sentence from the passage. Find the word with the suffix -ist.

“Carmen Lomas Garza is a Mexican-American artist who is well known for creating paintings that show everyday life in Mexican-American families.”

I CAN I can find a word with the suffix -ist in our reading.

TODAY'S THINKING JOB

CHOOSE

I can choose the meaning of a word part.

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Choose what -ist means.

The word artist has the suffix -ist. What does -ist mean?

artist = art + ist

A. a person who does or makes B. full of C. without

I CAN I can choose the meaning of the suffix -ist.

TODAY'S THINKING JOB

SHOW

I can break a word into parts.

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Show how the parts build the word.

Break the word artists into parts. What does it mean in this sentence?

“Like many artists, she experimented with different ideas before developing her own style.”

artists = ____ + ____

I CAN I can break a word into parts and build its meaning.

TODAY'S THINKING JOB

OWN

I can build and use new words.

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Own it. Build and use your own word.

Build a word with the suffix -ist. Use your new word in a sentence.

cycle + ist = ? • piano + ist = ? • violin + ist = ?

Build one word. Use it in a sentence.

I CAN I can build new words with the suffix -ist and use them correctly.

TODAY'S THINKING JOB

DEFEND

I can defend a word's meaning.

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Defend the meaning.

How do the suffix and the sentence prove what artists means?

“Today, Carmen Lomas Garza is recognized as one of the most important Mexican-American artists in the United States.”

Use the word part AND the sentence to explain.

I CAN I can use a word part and the sentence to prove what a word means.

Your turn. Find more word parts.

Go back to the passage. Find another word with the suffix -ist or another word part you know. Break it apart and explain it.

Go back to the reading.

Find one more word with a word part.

Write the word, break it into parts, and tell what it means.

I CAN I can break a new word into parts and explain its meaning.

Answers across the five thinking levels.

NOTICE Artist. It has the suffix -ist: art + ist.

CHOOSE A. a person who does or makes. Artist means a person who makes art.

SHOW Art + ist. In this sentence, artists means people who make art.

OWN cyclist, pianist, violinist. Answers vary. Example: The pianist played a song at our school concert.

DEFEND The suffix -ist means a person who does or makes something, so artists make art. The sentence says she is one of the most important ones.

YOUR TURN Answers vary. One example: paintings (paint + ing), which means pictures made with paint.

READ THIS SENTENCE FROM THE PASSAGE.

Like many artists, she experimented with different ideas before developing her own style.

The suffix -ist shows that the word artists refers to what?

- A** people who make art
- B** pictures that hang on walls
- C** the act of making art again
- D** ideas that are different

The answer is A.

- A** **people who make art**
Correct. The suffix -ist names a person who does or makes something.
- B** **pictures that hang on walls**
Pictures are what artists make, not the artists.
- C** **the act of making art again**
Again is the meaning of re-, and -ist names a person.
- D** **ideas that are different**
Different ideas are nearby, but they do not define artists.