

EXACT TEKS WORDING (FROM TEA)

“determine the meaning of and use words with affixes such as mis-, sub-, -ment, and -ity/ty and roots such as auto, graph, and meter”

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 -LY

The suffix **-ly** means “in a certain way; like”. 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 **“The Roads Between Us”**

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 -ly.

“Or baskets carefully formed and made.”

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

TODAY'S THINKING JOB

CHOOSE

I can choose the meaning of a word part.

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Choose what -ly means.

The word carefully has the suffix -ly. What does -ly mean?

carefully = careful + ly

A. in a certain way; like B. full of C. without

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

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 friendly into parts. What does it mean in this sentence?

“Not every meeting opens a friendly door.”

friendly = _____ + _____

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 -ly. Use your new word in a sentence.

love + ly = ? • week + ly = ? • gentle + ly = ?

Build one word. Use it in a sentence.

I CAN I can build new words with the suffix -ly 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 carefully means?

“Or baskets carefully formed and made.”

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 -ly 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 Carefully. It has the suffix -ly: careful + ly.

CHOOSE A. in a certain way; like. Carefully means in a careful way.

SHOW Friend + ly. In this sentence, friendly means like a friend; kind and welcoming.

OWN lovely, weekly, gently. Answers vary. Example: We have a weekly spelling test on Friday.

DEFEND The suffix -ly means in a certain way, so carefully means in a careful way. The baskets were formed and made for trade, so people took care making them.

YOUR TURN Answers vary. One example: friendly (friend + ly), which means like a friend.

READ THIS SENTENCE FROM THE PASSAGE.

Not every meeting opens a friendly door.

What does the word friendly mean in this line of the poem?

- A** kind and welcoming, like a friend
- B** without any friends or kindness
- C** becoming friends once again later
- D** a person who makes new friends

The answer is A.

- A** **kind and welcoming, like a friend**
Correct. The suffix -ly can mean like. The next lines say some meetings brought harm.
- B** **without any friends or kindness**
Without is the meaning of -less, not -ly.
- C** **becoming friends once again later**
Once again is the meaning of re-, not -ly.
- D** **a person who makes new friends**
The suffix -ly does not name a person. It means like or in a way.