Suffixes

An informative PowerPoint about suffixes



What is a suffix?

A suffix is something that we add to the **end** of a word that changes its meaning.

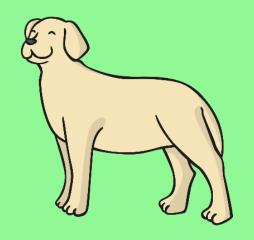


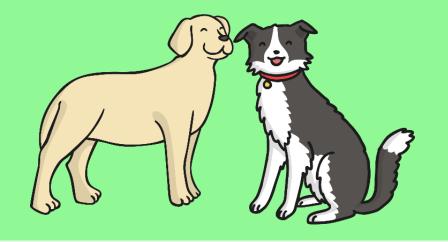


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can be added to nouns as a suffix.

This tells us that there is more than one noun.





one dog

two dogs

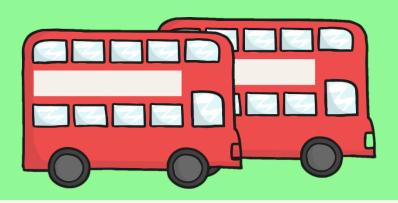


-es

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You can hear when a suffix is **-es** and not **-s** because the **-es** makes an extra syllable in the word.







bus<u>es</u>

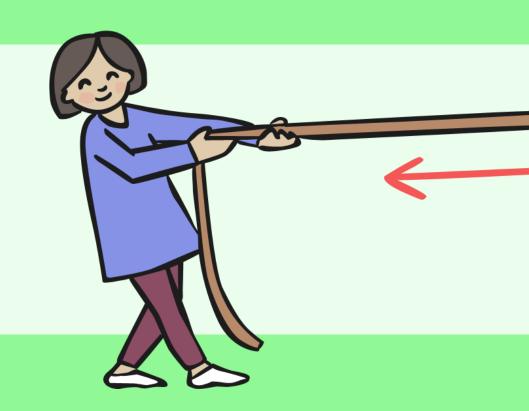


-ing, -ed and er

can be added to verbs as suffixes.

For example:

pull pull<u>ing</u> pull<u>ed</u> pull<u>er</u>





-er and -est

can be added to adjectives as suffixes.

These help us to compare.







fast

fast<u>er</u>

fast<u>est</u>

