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### Suffixes Worksheet (Circling Part 1)

A suffix is a letter or group of letters that is added to the end of a word.

Directions: Circle the word with the suffix in each group of words below. Common suffixes include; **er, or, ness, ment, ion, ist, ance, or ence.**

*Example A: starving, starvation, starve*

*Answer: starvation*

1. roof            roofs            roofing
2. celebrates    cheer            celebration
3. artist           arts            art
4. brilliant        smart            brilliance
5. exciting        excited          excitable
6. absence        absent          tardy
7. big            bigger          large
8. fertile          fertilization    grow
9. back            straight        backward
10. telephone     phone          cell
11. move          movement      going