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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