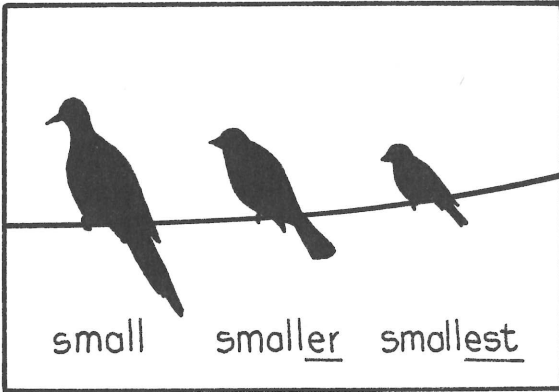


# The End

Name \_\_\_\_\_



**Suffixes** are endings to words. Some examples are **-er**, **-est**, **-ed**, and **-ing**. Some simple rules will help you know how to add suffixes to all kinds of words.

including	liked	bigger	funniest
deciding	runner	driest	beginning
wanted	trickier	smallest	stopping
tried	quicker	finest	begged

Write the list words that apply to the rules below.

- When a suffix (-ed) is added to a word ending in a vowel and consonant (hop), a like consonant (p) is added before the suffix. (hop + p + ed = hopped) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- When a suffix (-ing) is added to a word ending in a consonant plus silent e (write), the e is dropped before the suffix is added. (write - e + ing = writing) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- When a suffix (-er) is added to a word ending in y (happy), the y is changed to i before the suffix is added. (happy - y + i + er = happier) \_\_\_\_\_
- If a word ends in a double consonant (jump), the suffix (-ed) is simply added to the end. (jump + ed = jumped) \_\_\_\_\_

Make as many words as you can using the root words and suffixes below.

**root words**

include	begin	like
beg	quick	step
tricky	dry	decide

**suffixes**  
-er, -est, -ed, -ing

**TRICKIEST**



_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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Add the suffix **-ly** to three words. Write a rule about how to use it.