

# *Word formation*

## *Spotlight-7*

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We can use ~~-able~~, ~~-ible~~, ~~-ent~~ to form adjectives from verbs.

~~able~~ Enjoy

Insist

Differ

Consider

Believe

Sense





We use *un-*, *in-*, *il-*, *in-*, *ir-* to form opposite adjectives.

logical

*in*

*un*

responsible

believable

*im*

*un*

possible

active

*un*

*il*

balanced

forgettable

*ir*



Noun + **-ful** = quality a person/thing has.  
*helpful advice*

Noun + **-less** = quality a person/thing  
doesn't have.  
*useless speech*

Successful      Success

Careful              Care              Careless

Thoughtful        Thought        Thoughtless

Speech              Speechless

Beautiful            Beauty

Fill the gaps in words:      **ful**      **less**

1. If you have your own business - you are success **ful**
2. Tony is a care**ful** with his work. He rarely makes a mistakes.
3. My sister is very care**less** . She is always breaking things.
4. It was thought**less** of you to ask Sue about her exam, because she failed it.
5. It was thought **ful** of you to ask him how he was feeling.
6. John was speech**less** when he hard the news.
7. Sofia is the most beauti**ful** person I know.



We can use **-en** at the end of some adjectives to form verbs.

*dark - darken*

Black**en**

Short**en**

Wide**n**

Red**en**



Find the suffix:

1. The sky blackened as the dark clouds blocked out the sun.
2. His face reddened in anger.
3. This road is too narrow. They should widen it!
4. Can you shorten my dress, please?



We use **-ive**, **-ative** to form adjectives from some verbs.

Impress	→	Impress <b>ive</b>
Inform	→	Inform <b>ative</b>
Protect	→	Protect <b>ive</b>
Create	→	Creat <b>ive</b>
Attract	→	Attract <b>ive</b>
Imagine	→	Imagin <b>ative</b>

Complete the sentences: **informative creative**  
**imaginative attractive impressive protective**

1. From the outside, the results look very
2. The student's book was very
3. Despite the                      helmet, his upper jaw  
and nose were broken.
4. Intellectual aspects are infused  
with                      energy and crowned with success.
5. She was quite an                      woman with her  
pretty auburn hair.
6. So I have a particular                      approach to  
visual work.



*Thank you for your attention*

