

Pupil Workbook

Level 6 Week 9

Name: _____

Focus: adding -er to words ending in 'y'

1. Write the common exception words.

Which is the tricky part of the word? Why is that part tricky? Colour the tricky part in a different colour. Write the word two more times.

poor

great

2. Spell the missing words.



lazy

The dog was _____ than his owner.



sunny

Today is _____ than yesterday.

3. Answer the questions.

Read these silly questions and answer them by circling 'yes' or 'no'.

Would an ice cream make you happier? yes no

Is a table funnier than a clown? yes no

Is snow chillier than a hot dog? yes no

-er

-est

1. Read and match.

Read the clues and draw a line to match the clue to the correct picture.

Clue 1

I have the furriest and softest coat. I am happiest when I am stroked.

What am I?

Clue 2

I have a softer body than you might think. My spines are the prickliest and spikiest things you have ever seen. I eat the slimiest slugs and snails.

What am I?

Clue 3

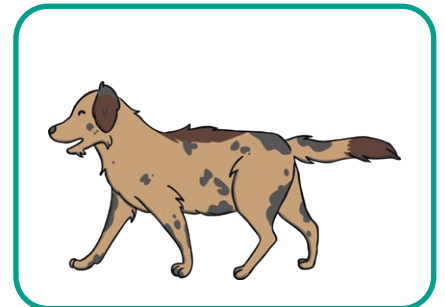
I look like the scruffiest pet you have ever seen. I am happiest running in the mud. I am muddier than a pair of wellington boots.

What am I?

Clue 4

I am the yummiest treat. I am icier when I come out of the freezer but gooier when I am melting. I am the tastiest food to eat on the sunniest of days.

What am I?



Focus: adding **-er** and **-est** to words ending in 'y'

1. Read the story.

Highlight all of the words that contain the **-er** and **-est** suffixes.

-er -est

Rover was the scruffiest but happiest dog in the town. There wasn't a dog that was hairier than him. He had the shaggiest and muddiest fur and eyes that sparkled with fun. On lots of days, he ran to the woods and played in the stream and mud. It was easier to go on his own as his friends were much lazier than him and took a long time to get there.

The cloudiest and rainiest days were his favourite as it meant that there would be even more lovely, sticky mud. When it was sunnier and drier, Rover stayed close to the stream and the muddy bank. So if you ever see a trail of muddy paw prints coming out of a wood, you might well have just missed Rover, the muckiest and cheekiest dog around.

2. Write the root word and add the suffixes.

Root word	+ the suffix -er	+ the suffix -est
scruffy	scruffier	scruffiest

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1. Write the common exception words.

Which is the tricky part of the word?

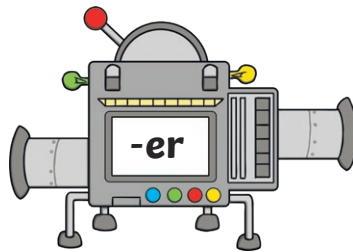
poor

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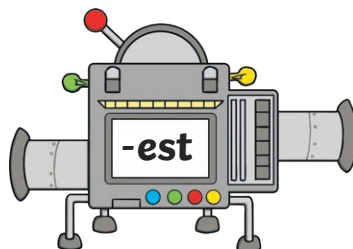
2. Add the suffixes to the root word.

Add the -er and the -est suffixes to the root words and write the words in the table.

sunny
hungry
tidy



sunny
hungry
tidy



-er

-est

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1. Write the sentence your teacher says.

Think carefully about which graphemes to use to spell the words and how to add the suffixes.





















How confident do you feel?



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1. Write your own silly sentence.

Use words containing the -er and -est suffixes.

y  fly	dge  bridge	ge  fringe	gn  gnome	kn  knife
wr  wrist	le  table	eer  deer	ture  picture	mb  thumb
al  walk	a  walnut	o  glove	ey  monkey	war  warm
wor  world	s  treasure	wa  watch	qua  squash	tion  station

Focus: adding **-er** and **-est** to words ending in 'y'

2. Practise spelling the focus words.

Look and Say	Look, Say and Write	Cover and Write	Check
happier			
happiest			
easier			
easiest			
funnier			
funniest			
luckier			
luckiest			
poor			
great			