

**Word Study: Unit 28**  
**spelling – suffixes *ful, ly* and *er***

This week we will be studying words made up of a base words and a suffix. A suffix is a word part added to the end of a base word. It adds meaning to the base word. The suffix *-ful* can mean “full of” or “having”. The suffix *-ly* can mean “in a way that is.” The suffix *-er* can mean “a person who.”

joy + ful = joyful

loud + ly = loudly

sing + er = singer

1. singer
2. loudly
3. joyful
4. teacher
5. gladly
6. fighter
7. closely
8. powerful
9. farmer

10. quickly
11. careful
12. friendly
13. speaker
14. fearful
15. hopeful
16. safely
17. listener
18. calmly