Advanced Grammar: Suffixes #2

A **suffix** is added to a root word to change the meaning of the word.

Draw a line from the **suffix** to its **meaning**. **Hint:** If you're stuck, think of a word you know that ends with that suffix.

\sim	1. 2.	-ment -ist	characterized by/inclined to believes or does
	3.	-у	characteristic or way of being
	4.	-able	without
	5.	-est	worthy of, able to
	6.	-ful or -full	more than
	7.	-ness	is like
	8.	-ly	action or state
	9.	-less	full of
	10.	-er	the most

Add a suffix to each root word so that is matches the new definition below.

		Root	t words		Suffixes	
	part	real	bicycle	hurt	-ist -ful -ly	
A	person who	o rides	a bike		extremely	
S	omething sa	aid in a	inger is		almost as much	

Circle words with suffixes from the list above.

On the warmest day of the year, a friendly artist brought excitement to our school. She asked our teachers to gather us in a comfortable area, like the library. She had a softness in her voice when she told us about her wonderful paintings. It made me so interested! My favorite painting showed a fearless hero looking up at a tall building. He was shorter than all the other heroes in the painting, but he didn't look scared. Another painting I liked showed an oily car engine. It was full of detail.