

WORD WORK LESSON PLAN AND ACTIVITIES

Instructional Focus Based on the Words in the Book

Word Work

Tacky the Penguin
By: Helen Lester
Grade Level: 2 / Guided Reading Level: L

Instructional Focus:
Suffix -ly

Background:
The suffix -ly is added to the end of words. When -ly is added, it changes how someone acts or moves. For example, quiet becomes **quietly**. When introducing -ly, help students notice that the ending is added. A helpful question, "In what way?" It's also useful to point out that some words are **lovely**, **friendly**, or **manly**. In an adjective that tells about a quality. Finally, remind students that not every word ends in -ly—because the part before -ly is a prefix.

Examples:

neatly	kindly
quietly	oddly
bravely	frightfully

Materials and Preparation:

- A copy of *Tacky the Penguin*
- Chart paper and markers
- Base Word Cards (1 set for 4)
- Describe It Cards (1 set for 4)
- Suffix -ly Practice Page (1 p)
- Answer Key Describe It Card
- Optional: Word Detective Game
- Optional: Suffix -ly Action Game

Step 2: Connect Word Work to Reading (continued)

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Step 3: Guided Word Work Practice

Interactive Exploration

Describe It Cards
Interactive Activity

Base Word Cards
Interactive Activity

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List of words in the book that match the instructional focus

Step by Step Lesson Plan

Name: _____

Suffix -ly

Directions: Look at the list of words below. Add -ly to each word and match the words to the pictures on the right that best match the -ly word. Think about how someone does something or what something is like.

neat _____	•
friend _____	•
odd _____	•
quick _____	•
graceful _____	•
tight _____	•
love _____	•

Directions: Choose 2 of the -ly words from the activity above and write 2 sentences using your -ly words that help describe the pictures you matched them to. Remember to use a capital letter at the beginning of your sentences and a period at the end.

1. _____

2. _____

at the zoo.

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Independent Practice Page and Answer Key

Describe It Cards
Interactive Activity

Describe It Cards Answer Key
Interactive Activity

Base Word Cards
Interactive Activity

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Interactive Activity with Answer Key

Suffix -ly Action Game
Extend Engagement Activity

Directions:

- Have students sit at their desks.
- Tell students that they will read a **base word** and an **action**.
- Explain that their job is to change the base word into a word that ends with -ly.
- Then, students will **act out the action** in a way that shows the meaning of the -ly word.
- Remind students that this game is meant to be fun and helps us understand how -ly tells us how something is done.
- Model an example before beginning.

Example: bad + cooking → cooking **badly**

- mod...driving
- happy...cleaning
- sad...moving the grass
- quiet...playing guitar
- calm...rocking a baby
- quick...making a bed
- slow...running
- rough...shaking the teacher's hand
- nice...handing a friend a pencil
- graceful...dancing
- loud...catching a fish
- neat...marching
- cheerful...building a snowman
- strange...washing the car

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Optional Activity to Extend Engagement

Word Detective: Suffix -ly
Extension Activity

Directions:
Be a word detective!

Be on the lookout for **suffix -ly** while you read. Write the word that you find along with the title of the book where you found the word, the page, and the sentence with the word or phrase.

Word	Book Title	Page	Sentence

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Extension Activity