

This week, we have been learning to add the suffixes **-ed** and **-ing** to words ending in **y**.



Level 6

## Adding **-ed** to words ending in **y**

When we add the **-ed** suffix to a word, it means the action has already happened.

Look at the letter before the **y**. Add **-ed** when it is a vowel before the **y**.

**stay** → **stayed**

**annoy** → **annoyed**

Replace the **y** with an **i** when there is a consonant before the **y**.

**hurry** → **hurried**

**copy** → **copied**

## Adding **-ing** to words ending in **y**

When we add the **-ing** suffix to a verb, it is talking about the action being done. Add **-ing** to the root word.

**carry** → **carrying**

**study** → **studying**

## Common Exception Words

We have been learning to spell the common exception words **talk** and **two**.



## Focus Words

copied

worried

annoyed

studied

copying

worrying

annoying

studying

## Grammar



This week we have been learning about changing the tense of verbs by adding a suffix.

- A **verb** is a type of word that shows an action.

copy      play      annoy      cry

- When we add the suffix **-ed** this changes the verb's tense, which tells us when the action is happening. Adding **-ed** changes the verb to past tense to tell us that it has already happened.

**copied**    **played**    **annoyed**    **cried**

- When we add the **-ing** suffix to a verb, it is talking about the action being done. It can be happening now.

she is **copying**

we are **playing**

they are **annoying**

I am **crying**



## Adding **-ed** and **-ing** to words ending in **y**

Root word	Add <b>-ed</b>	Add <b>-ing</b>
<b>fry</b>	fried	frying
<b>stay</b>		
<b>carry</b>		
<b>tidy</b>		
<b>play</b>		
<b>hurry</b>		
<b>copy</b>		

Write your own sentence. Use words containing the **-ed** and **-ing** suffixes.

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