Hidden Suffixes: One Who

One or more suffixes are hiding in the clues. Look for the word parts that are the same in the boldfaced examples.

1. This suffix means one who. An **inhabitant** is one who inhabits or lives in a place. 
   An **immigrant** is one who immigrates or comes from another place to live in a new place. 
   A **descendant** is one who descends from others in a family.

   A suffix that means one who is: _______ _______ _______.

2. These suffixes also mean one who. A **qualifier** is someone who qualifies or has the skills to advance to the next round. An **electioneer** is a person who works during an election to help a candidate get elected. A **financier** is someone who works with finances or money.

   Suffixes that mean one who are: _______ _______ and _______ _______.

3. This is another suffix that means one who. An **octogenarian** is someone who is between 80 and 90 years of age. A **humanitarian** is someone who works for the good of all people. 
   An **equestrian** is someone who rides horses.

   Suffixes that mean one who are: _______ _______ _______ _______ and _______ _______ _______ _______.

4. This suffix means one who practices or does. A **preservationist** is one who does work to preserve or save. An **accompanist** accompanies, or plays the piano for, singers or dancers. 
   A **philanthropist** does good works to benefit others.

   A suffix that means one who practices is: _______ _______ _______.

5. This suffix means one who works on or with. A **playwright** writes plays. A **shipwright** builds or works with ships. A **wheelwright** builds or repairs wheels.

   A suffix that means one who works on or with is: _______ _______ _______ _______ _______ _______.

List the suffixes in alphabetical order across the top row. Then, list the boldfaced words containing that suffix in alphabetical order under that suffix. The first one has been started for you.

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Cloze Call

Write the missing suffix to complete the unfinished word in each sentence.

1. The museum hired additional preservation_______s to repair tapestries damaged in the flood.

2. The Wild West show's stagecoach wheels were made by a wheel_______ who used tools from that era.

3. A financ_______ helped the partners raise money for their new business.

4. My great-grandparents were Polish immigr_______s who came to America in 1925.

5. The champion equest_______ easily cleared the fences on her two-year-old horse, Trigger.

Use an answer from above in a sentence of your own. Underline the word with the suffix in your sentence.

Draw a picture to illustrate your sentence.
Suffix Crossword Puzzle

Read the clues. Use the suffixes in the box below to complete the puzzle.

**SUFFIXES** -ant, -arian/-rian, -ier/-eer, -ist, -wright

**CLUES**

**ACROSS**

3. This person might donate a lot of money to a hospital or museum.

6. This person plays the piano at a dance class.

9. This runner won his heat. Now he is a ________ in the quarterfinal round.

10. A resident.

**DOWN**

1. From your great-great-grandmother, you are this.

2. This worker might hand out flyers that tell why you should vote for his candidate.

4. Someone who donates a lot of time and effort to helping people

5. My 84-year-old grandmother is this.

7. William Shakespeare may be the most famous one.

8. She designs and builds yachts.
Word Cards

- Complete the word cards.
- Cut them out and tape or staple them to index cards.
- On the back, illustrate one word for each suffix.
- Draw a picture of one or more words on the back of the card.

**SUFFIXES** -eer, -ier

Mean ________________

Words I know with -eer, -ier:
1. financier means ________________
2. electioneer means ________________
3. qualifier means ________________
4. Other words I know with -eer, -ier:

**SUFFIX** -ist

Means ________________

Words I know with -ist:
1. accompanist means ________________
2. preservationist means ________________
3. philanthropist means ________________
4. Other words I know with -ist:

**SUFFIX** -ant

Means ________________

Words I know with -ant:
1. descendant means ________________
2. inhabitant means ________________
3. immigrant means ________________
4. Other words I know with -ant:

**SUFFIX** -wright

Means ________________

Words I know with -wright:
1. shipwright means ________________
2. playwright means ________________
3. wheelwright means ________________
4. Other words I know with -wright:

**SUFFIXES** -arian, -rian

Mean ________________

Words I know with -arian, -rian:
1. octogenarian means ________________
2. humanitarian means ________________
3. equestrian means ________________
4. Other words I know with -arian, -rian:
Unit 1

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1. uni-, 2. mon-/mono-, 3. di-, 4. tri-, 5. quadri-/quadru-

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Down: 1. quadriiceps, 4. unison, 5. dichotomy, 6. trilogy, 7. triathlete

Unit 2

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1. -ant, 2. -eer/-ier, 3. -arian/-rian, 4. -ist, 5. -wright

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4. humanitarian, 5. octogenarian, 7. playwright, 8. shipwright

Unit 3

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Unit 4

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