

Suffixes *-er, -or, -ess, -ist*

Spelling Words

dentist	editor	artist	hostess	actress
swimmer	seller	tutor	tourist	organist
lioness	shipper	chemist	investor	conductor

Proofread a Program Nick wrote the program for the school musical. Circle four misspelled words. Write them correctly. Add the missing punctuation mark.

The Cast

Mad chemist....Don Perlas
 The **dentest**.....Julie Blake
 The tourist.....Kate Hanson
 Music **conductor**...Steve Carr
 Scenery artist....Ann Morgan
 We extend special thanks to
 the **editer** of the *Daily Press*,
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Frequently Misspelled Words

once
 who
 one

1. **dentist** _____
2. **conductor** _____
3. **editor** _____
4. **who** _____

Proofread Words Circle the word that is spelled correctly. Write the word.

5. Jake was a ticket **seller** sellor. 5. **seller** _____
6. A **tudor** **tutor** helps Don with math. 6. **tutor** _____
7. Jean is a fast **swimmer** swimer. 7. **swimmer** _____
8. The **organist** organest played softly. 8. **organist** _____
9. We thanked our **hostes** **hostess**. 9. **hostess** _____
10. The **lioness** liones paced back and forth. 10. **lioness** _____

