

# EL SUSTANTIVO

## SUFIJOS

Un sufijo es una letra o letras que se añaden al final de una palabra para convertirla en una palabra nueva o para cambiar la función gramatical de la palabra.

### Sufijos de sustantivos

SUFFIX	MEANING	EXAMPLE
-acy	State or quality	Privacy
-al	Act or process of	Refusal
-ance, -ence	State or quality of	Maintenance, performance
-dom	Place or state of being	Freedom
-er, -or	One who	Programmer, protector
-ist	One who	Analyst
-ian	One who	electrician
-ism	Condition, state	Magnetism
-ity, -ty	Quality of	Inactivity
-ment	Condition of	Measurement
-ness	State of being	Readiness
-ship	Position held	Internship, fellowship
-sion, -tion	State of being	Transition, concession
-ing	activity	programming

## **PRACTICE**

**Underline the nouns in the following sentences.**

- 1- Are the operators in the computer room?
- 2- The scanner is part of the computer system.
- 3- Peripheral devices are additional elements.
- 4- This is the method used in our programming activities.
- 5- A simple end-user application for managing task lists and executing process tasks.
- 6- A home page is the main web page of a website. The term may also refer to the start page shown in a web browser when the application first opens.
- 7- Those text files are in the queue command.

**Highlight the relative pronouns. Analyze the underline words.**

- 1- This is the information that we give the machine to process.
- 2- This is the pen drive which contains the data he prepares every day.
- 3- The students are in the room where the course is taking place.
- 4- Alan Turing was a mathematician who is considered the father of modern computers.
- 5- The executable instructions are the ones that tell the assembler what to do.
- 6- The scanner is a computer input device that uses a light beam to scan codes, text, or graphic images directly into a computer or computer system.

## **PRONOUNS**

**Underline the pronouns and identify their antecedents in the following sentences.**

- 1- Mary decided that she will buy a new desktop computer for her office.
- 2- Chelsey, Tom, and Manny finished their presentation five minutes early.
- 3- Anna wrote a paper for her university project. It is 20 pages long.
- 4- Ann brought her books and put them on the desk.

## **INDEFINITE PRONOUNS**

**Underline the indefinite pronouns in the following sentences.**

- 1- The computer has got some viruses.
- 2- Is there anything I can do?
- 3- "Have you got any spare CDs?" "No, I haven't got any"
- 4- No one can enter while we are arranging the office activities.
- 5- None of the students could solve the algebraic problems.
- 6- Anyone can do this task.