

Test 4



Always remember to ask yourself: What is the base word? If you do that you will not have any problems with the activity below.

Directions: A base word is a word from which other words are made. Write the base of each word on the line.

Example:
shortest short

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| 1. teacher _____ | 11. flowers _____ | 21. friendly _____ |
| 2. helpful _____ | 12. branches _____ | 22. foolish _____ |
| 3. clues _____ | 13. braver _____ | 23. repay _____ |
| 4. artist _____ | 14. numbers _____ | 24. owner _____ |
| 5. arrived _____ | 15. unkind _____ | 25. lowest _____ |
| 6. laughed _____ | 16. missed _____ | 26. replace _____ |
| 7. building _____ | 17. trees _____ | 27. tables _____ |
| 8. longest _____ | 18. smaller _____ | 28. started _____ |
| 9. asks _____ | 19. voices _____ | 29. shorter _____ |
| 10. farmer _____ | 20. churches _____ | 30. sleepy _____ |

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Answers

1. teacher — teach;

2. helpful — help;

3. clues — clue;

4. artist — art;

5. arrived — arrive;

6. laughed — laugh;

7. building — build;

8. longest — long;

9. asks — ask;

10. farmer — farm;

11. flowers — flower;

12. branches — branch;

13. braver — brave;

14. numbers — number;

15. unkind — kind;

16. missed — miss;

17. trees — tree;

18. smaller — small;

19. voices — voice;

20. churches — church;

21. friendly — friend;

22. foolish — fool;

23. repay — pay;

24. owner — own;

25. lowest — low;

26. replace — place;

27. tables — table;

28. started — start;

29. shorter — short;

30. sleepy — sleep.