



Fluency

suffix -ate



Do this

Read the passage three times: carefully, smoothly, like talking. Tick a box each time. Read the words over each scoop together.

The Team Activates the Shed

- 1 The service team decided to repair the garden shed behind the church. Before anyone lifted a hammer, we had to separate the supplies. Nails went in one tray, screws in another, and broken boards in a discard pile. Then we could activate the plan.
- 2 The suffix -ate often means make, act, or become. We saw it in create, separate, activate, and donate. Each word named something real in the work. We created a shelf plan. We separated safe tools from damaged ones. A neighbor donated paint. Together, those actions changed a cluttered shed into a useful place.
- 3 I worked with Ava to calculate how many boards would fit across one wall. Mateo demonstrated how to hold the level steady before marking a line. No one did every job, but every job helped.
- 4 My response said, "Service becomes stronger when people cooperate, communicate, and act with care."

Reading Tracker

Read 1:

Read it carefully.

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Listener:

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Read 2:

Read it smoothly.

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A word I practised:

Read 3:

Read it like talking.

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