

Spelling list: List 20 adding a suffix to words ending in -fer.

Know when to double the final consonant when adding a suffix to a word ending in -fer.

refer	I will refer your complaint to my boss.
referred	The matter was referred to the head teacher.
referring	I was referring to the text in my answer.
referral	He needed a referral for his new job.
defer	The doctor has decided to defer my appointment until next week.
deferred	She deferred starting university for a year.
deferring	He is considering deferring the holiday to later in the year.
deferral	The deferral of the project has caused big delays in progress.
prefer	I would prefer to stay in tonight.
preferred	She preferred the pink dress to the blue one.
transfer	Transfer of pollen from one plant to another.
transferred	The money was transferred into the account electronically.
offer	Tom was selfish not to offer me a lift.
offered	The shop offered a wide range of food.
offering	The shop was offering a deal.
chauffeur	The chauffeur drove us around town.
chauffeured	The gentleman chauffeured the Queen.
chauffeuring	The lady was chauffeuring us around London.