## Spelling list: ive suffix

active My grandpa is very **active** despite his age.

massive That footballer is paid a **massive** amount of money.

expensive My very **expensive** new saucepan was advertised as being non-stick.

competitive The parent race on Sports Day is very **competitive**.

positive Jean is very negative about his work but Tom is more **positive**.

A narrative tells the story of a series of events, usually in a short story or

novel.

narrative

decorative The wallpaper had a very **decorative** pattern.

sensitive A **sensitive** person can be easily upset.

exclusive They were honoured to be invited to attend the **exclusive** party.

explosive There was a large blast from the **explosive** .

effective The animal mask was an **effective** disguise.

offensive He was a very rude and **offensive** person.

corrosive Acid is **corrosive** to metal.

conclusive The evidence was **conclusive** and so the judge sent him to jail.

comprehensive It was a **comprehensive** reading list.

oppressive The dictator was very **oppressive** .

excessive Excessive eating causes bad health.

inquisitive An **inquisitive** child asks many questions.