

## Mrs Clay's SPaG Task: 14<sup>th</sup> May

### Converting nouns & adjectives to verbs using suffixes.

*Remember: prefixes are the little bits we add on at the start of a root word (e.g. un-, dis-, mis- etc); suffixes are the little bits we add on at the end of a root word (e.g. -ate, -ise, -en, -ify).*

*Nouns and adjectives can be changed into verbs by adding the suffixes **ate**, **ise**, **en** and **ify**.*

terminal becomes termin**ate**  
special becomes special**ise**  
fast becomes fast**en**  
test becomes test**ify**

*The usual spelling rules for adding suffixes apply for most words. There are some exceptions to the rules; some words change their spelling slightly.*

### Task:

1. Read Chapter 4 (p110 of the PDF, starts 'Well done, Cornelius...') for the next part of the story.
2. Complete the **Green** Magicians sheet (p112). Remember to have a go at the extension on the bottom of the sheet if you complete your work with time to spare!
3. Mark your work using the answers on p147 (under the heading 'Chapter 4') of the Y5 SPaG PDF file.