Objective
The student will produce the meaning of words with affixes.

Materials
- Game board (Activity Master V.013.AM1a - V.013.AM1b)
  Copy, mount, and laminate.
- Work board (Activity Master V.013.AM2)
  Laminated.
- Number cube (Activity Master V.013.AM3)
- Dictionary
- Vis-à-Vis® markers
- Game pieces (e.g., counters)

Activity
Students make words and use them in a sentence to show meaning by playing an affix game.
1. Place game board, number cube, work board, game pieces, and dictionary on a flat surface.
   Provide each student with Vis-a-Vis® marker.
2. Taking turns, students roll the number cube and move game piece the number of spaces shown.
3. Read affix, identify as a prefix or suffix, and state the meaning. Say a word with the affix and use
   in a sentence. For example, “Ful is a suffix that means full of. A word with the affix is helpful.
   I like to be helpful and do chores around the house.”
4. If correct, leave game piece on the space and write word under the corresponding row on the
   work board. Note: Students may only use a word once. Use dictionary, as needed.
5. If incorrect, return game piece back to the previous space.
6. Continue until both students reach the end.
7. Peer evaluation

“The suffix ‘ful’ means ‘full of.’ A word with the affix is ‘helpful.’ I like to be helpful and do chores
around the house.”

Extensions and Adaptations
- Record affix, affix meaning, and a sentence using a word with the affix
  (Activity Master V.013.SS).
- Make other games using other affixes or roots (Activity Master V.013.AM4a - V.013.AM4b).
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Vocabulary

Affix Game

V.013.AM2
1. Cut along solid line
2. Fold along dotted lines
3. Glue or velcro flaps together.

number cube
Vocabulary

Affix Game

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Affix Game

choice

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