

Find the secret suffix!

N S W E Z A G P I Y C H R Y E
U X X M V N O R K O Y M D B T
S M A K V X T A J T W X B R S
J I C Y I V G C C M B U A C E
V G M C T D H T E D L N Y I C
R J B I S I Z I H W Q A T F U
K N G F L N L C Z U O J I C R
E I G B T A P A I R O J L N I
V L Z I Z M R L N M G E A E T
R Z F S K D I I Y O C V R G Y
T S F Q I T Z T T R S W E U E
M J U X Y H D Y D Y I R N X V
Y T I L A N I G I R O N E Z D
Y T I L A G E L G M P U G P T
P O P U L A R I T Y V O J B Y

All of these words change to a different part of speech using the same suffix. Write each new word on the blank next to the word:

ORIGINAL _____

PERSONAL _____

POPULAR _____

SIMILAR _____

TRANQUIL _____

What is the secret suffix? What does it do?

Solution

+ + + + + + + P + + + + + + +
+ + + + + + + R + + + + + + T
S + + + + + + A + + + + + R S
+ I + Y + + + C + + + + A + E
+ + M + T + + T + + + N Y + C
+ + + I + I + I + + Q + T + U
+ + + + L + L C + U + + I + R
+ + + + + A + A I + + + L + I
+ + + + + + R L N + + + A + T
+ + + + + + I I + O + + R + Y
+ + + + + T + T T + S + E + +
+ + + + Y + + Y + Y + R N + +
Y T I L A N I G I R O + E + +
Y T I L A G E L + + + + G P +
P O P U L A R I T Y + + + + +

(Over, Down, Direction)
ORIGINALITY(11,13,W)
PERSONALITY(14,14,NW)
POPULARITY(1,15,E)
SIMILARITY(1,3,SE)
TRANQUILITY(15,2,SW)

Bonus Words
GENERALITY(13,14,N) (bonus)
LEGALITY(8,14,W) (bonus)
PRACTICALITY(8,1,S) (bonus)
SECURITY(15,3,S) (bonus)