Suffix -y with No Change, e-Drop, and Doubling

Base words can change in three ways when suffix -y is added:

**Most base words**

*No change*

- mist + y = **misty**
- rain + y = **rainy**

The **misty** day turned into a **rainy** day very quickly.

**Base words with silent e**

*Drop final e*

- ease - e + y = **easy**
- breeze - e + y = **breezy**

It is **easy** to fly a kite on a **breezy** day.

**One-syllable base words with a short vowel**

*Double final consonant*

- fog + g + y = **foggy**
- sun + n + y = **sunny**

The **foggy** morning turned into a **sunny** afternoon.