

# Words Ending In -ic And -ical

Some adjectives end in -ic and some end in -ical. Since there is no rule, it is not easy to find out which form is correct in a particular case.

1. She is interested in learning ..... languages.

classic  
classical

2. She had a ..... expression on her face.

comic  
comical

3. I enjoy watching ..... movies.

comic  
comical

4. A lot of people believe that the government's ..... policy is in the ruins.

economic  
economical

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5. I want to buy an ..... car.

economic  
economical

6. He is doing masters in .....  
engineering.

electric  
electrical

7. It was a ..... occasion whose  
importance was not realized at that time.

historic  
historical

8. Do you enjoy reading ..... novels?

historic  
historical

9. If only we could solve all the problems of the

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world with the flick of a ..... wand.

magic  
magical

10. It is not ..... to take another loan now.

politic  
political

11. That scandal destroyed his .....  
career.

politic  
political

12. The experience was purely .....

magic  
magical

## Answers

1. She is interested in learning classical languages.

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2. She had a comical expression on her face.
3. I enjoy watching comic movies.
4. A lot of people believe that the government's economic policy is in the ruins.
5. I want to buy an economical car.
6. He is doing masters in electrical engineering.
7. It was a historic occasion whose importance was not realized at that time.
8. Do you enjoy reading historical novels?
9. If only we could solve all the problems of the world with the flick of a magic wand.
10. It is not politic to take another loan now.
11. That scandal destroyed his political career.
12. The experience was purely magical.