

The endings –ist, -an, -ian

The endings –ist, -an, -ian are also used for the person associated with certain things and places.

eg violin→violinist

Rome→Roman

magic→magician

Add the endings –ist, -an, -ian

motor→ motorist

piano→pianist

machine→machinist

bicycle→bicyclist

music→ musician

tobacco→ tobacconist

tour→ tourist

Christ→ Christian

electric→electrician

mathematics→mathematician

history→historian

archaeology→archaeologist

botany→botanist

politics→politician

Paris→ Parisian

terror→ terrorist

apology→apologist=υπέρμαχος, υπερασπιστής

accompany →accompanist=μουσικός που συνοδεύει τον τραγουδιστή

Italy→Italian

cartoon→ cartoonist

theology→theologian

science→scientist

art→ artist

Communism→Communist

Argentina→Argentinian

psychiatry→psychiatrist

economics→economist

NOTES:

apologist: a person who supports a particular belief or political system, especially an unpopular one, and speaks or writes in defence of it:
eg Communism and its apologists.

There are few apologists for the old system.

machinist: a person whose job is operating a machine.

tobacconist: a person who is in charge of a shop where tobacco, cigarettes, etc. are sold