

Prefixes

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Prefixes

- Groups of letters that help us learn!
We'll be better readers and spellers!



Prefixes

- Add a prefix to the beginning of a word.
- Prefixes change the spelling.
do redo
- Prefixes usually add a syllable.
do re-do
- Prefixes change the meaning.
redo means do again.



- **re** means





again



Prefix: re

redo, retry, reframe,
rewrite, rename, reword,
rework, rearrange, recall,
reclaim, reconsider, recycle,
refill, replant, refit,
refresh, reread



○ in, un means



no, not



Prefix: un

unimportant, unable,
unacceptable, unaware,
unbelievable, unbreakable,
unbroken, uncertain, uncommon,
uncomfortable, unconscious,
uncover



Prefix: in

inappropriate, inaccurate,
inadequate, incoherent,
incompatible, incompetent,
incomplete, inconsiderate,
incorrect, incurable, independent,
indestructible, indirect, inefficient,
inexpensive, inexperience



Let's Play a Game!

○ Re

○ Un, In

Print slides for the prefixes -re, -un, and -in. Read a word from one of the lists without the prefix. Have your child identify the correct prefix for that word.