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Learning Objective: To understand how prefixes and suffixes change root words.

Learning Outcome: I can change the meaning of root words by adding prefixes and suffixes.

A **prefix** is a string of letters which can be added to the **beginning** of a word to change its meaning.

A **suffix** is a string of letters which can be added to the **end** of the word to change its meaning.

Prefixes		Suffixes	
re- again  reread	un- not  unhappy	-ful full of  colorful	-less without  fearless
pre- before  prewrite	mis- wrong They They misspell	-ed already happened  jumped	-ing happening now  sitting
over- too much  oversleep	dis- not  disagree	-ly how it is done  slowly	-able able to  growable
im- not  impossible	non- not  nonsensical	-er more  taller	-est most  biggest

Add a prefix or a suffix to these words to make a new word. Check that you have applied any spelling rules! Can you make some new words by adding a prefix and a suffix?

cover agree order expect love fortunate
 luck trust connect predict proper success
 comfort reason honour usual event design

Match the prefixes using a colour	
de	mature
re	understood
mis	legible
im	frast
il	do

Match the suffixes using a colour	
comfort	ful
emotion	able
joy	less
small	ly
rapid	er