

Prefixes and Suffixes Change Meanings

ILS 1A: I can analyze how prefixes and suffixes change meaning.

Prefix Addition

Choose a word from the Word Wall or a book you are reading to which you can add a prefix.

Original Word: _____

What it means: _____

Add a prefix. Word with the prefix added: _____

What does the word mean after you add the prefix?

Suffix Subtraction

Choose a word from the word wall or a book you are reading that has a suffix
Then subtract the suffix and see how it changes the meaning.

Word with suffix: _____

What it means with the suffix: _____

How you would spell it without the suffix: _____

What it would mean without the suffix: _____

BIG CHALLENGE

Now, change a word by adding a prefix AND a suffix.

prefix

word

suffix