

Name _____

Prefix Builders Answer Key

1. unwrap or rewrap
2. unlucky
3. reheat
4. unload
5. reread or misread
6. redraw or misdraw
7. unpack or repack
8. preview or review
9. untie or retie
10. misguess

(Teacher note: Accept any correct prefix-root combination that forms a real Grade-level word.)

Teacher's Guide

- Review the meaning of each prefix first and provide examples in simple sentences to build clarity.
- Remind students that prefixes change the meaning of the root word, so they should check whether their new word makes sense.
- For differentiation, highlight **one prefix at a time** for students who benefit from focused practice, while advanced learners can write sentences using two different prefix words.
- Use word cards in small groups so students can physically attach prefixes to roots, supporting hands-on learning.
- As an engagement activity, play a quick round of Prefix Match where students race to pair prefixes with root words written on the board.
- For extension, challenge students to come up with three additional root words from class texts and add at least two different prefixes to each.