

Spelling For ADULTS

UNIT 4

Decoding Words with the Prefixes
un-, *dis-*, *mis-*, *re-*, *pre-*.

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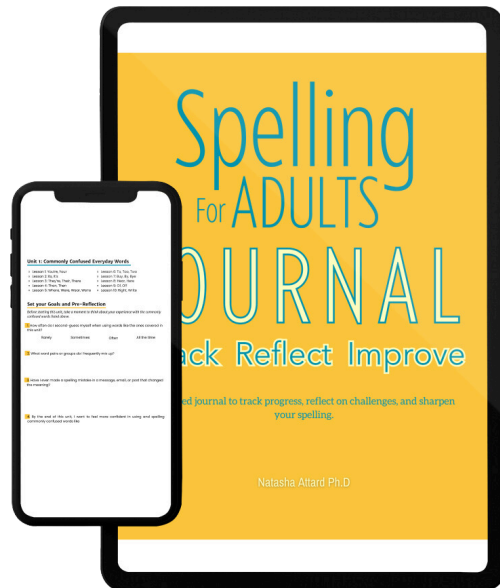
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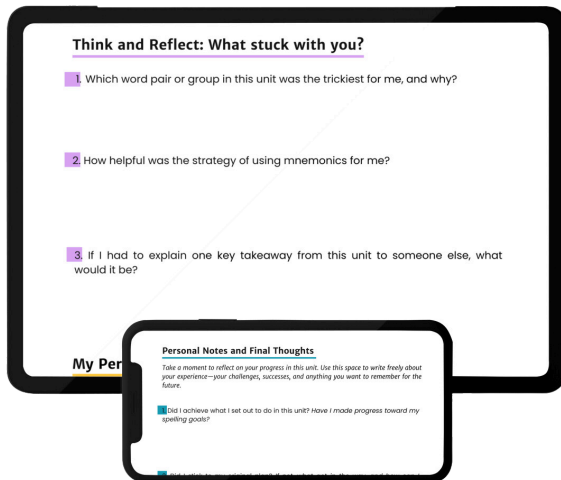
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Unit 4: Decoding Words with the Prefixes un-, dis-, mis-, re-, and pre-

SKILL FOCUS: Reinforcing the ability to select and apply the correct prefix (*un-*, *dis-*, *mis-*, *re-*, and *pre-*) to base words.

Name: _____

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Personal Message:

You're doing incredible work by taking on this additional practice! This worksheet reinforces the prefixes covered in Unit 4, helping you master their meanings and uses. Keep pushing forward!

Warm regards,
Natasha



Activity 4: For each base word, choose the correct prefix (*un-*, *dis-*, *mis-*, *re-*, *pre-*) to form its opposite or an alternative meaning. Then, match the newly formed word with the correct definition.

1. Base Word: fortune

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) un-
- b) mis-
- c) dis-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To create great fortune.
- b) To experience bad luck.
- c) To undo a previous fortune.

2. Base Word: advantage

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) un-
- b) mis-
- c) dis-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To lose an advantage.
- b) To misunderstand an advantage.
- c) To create multiple advantages.

3. Base Word: appealing

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) un-
- b) mis-
- c) re-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To appeal again.
- b) To appeal incorrectly.
- c) To make something less attractive.

4. Base Word: satisfied

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) dis-
- b) mis-
- c) re-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To satisfy incorrectly.
- b) To lack satisfaction.
- c) To undo satisfaction.

5. Base Word: intelligible

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) un-
- b) dis-
- c) mis-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To understand incorrectly.
- b) To make something unclear.
- c) To undo intelligibility.

6. Base Word: assemble

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) un-
- b) mis-
- c) dis-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To build incorrectly.
- b) To gather all the pieces.
- c) To take apart.

7. Base Word: aligned

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) un-
- b) mis-
- c) re-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To position something improperly.
- b) To make something disordered.
- c) To adjust something.

8. Base Word: paralleled

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) mis-
- b) re-
- c) un-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To create the similarity or comparison again.
- b) To remove the similarity or comparison between two things.
- c) To incorrectly compare or relate two things.

9. Base Word: manageable

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) mis-
- b) un-
- c) dis-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To make something difficult to handle or control.
- b) To manage something poorly or ineffectively.
- c) To handle something successfully and with ease.

10. Base Word: successful

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) un-
- b) mis-
- c) re-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To succeed in the wrong way.
- b) To lack success or achieve failure.
- c) To achieve success again.

11. Base Word: locate

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) dis-
- b) un-
- c) re-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To revisit a location.
- b) To find something in the wrong place.
- c) To move something to a new place.

12. Base Word: honest

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) mis-
- b) dis-
- c) un-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To lack integrity or truthfulness.
- b) To reject someone's opinion.
- c) To provide additional support for an argument.

13. Base Word: judge

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) mis-
- b) un-
- c) re-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To assess something again.
- b) To form an incorrect opinion or evaluation.
- c) To change a decision.

15. Base Word: consider

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) un-
- b) mis-
- c) re-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To think about something again.
- b) To incorrectly assess or misunderstand something.
- c) To reject or dismiss consideration.

14. Base Word: represent

Choose the Correct Prefix:

- a) dis-
- b) un-
- c) mis-

Answer in full: _____

Now Choose the Correct Definition:

- a) To portray something inaccurately.
- b) To portray something objectively.
- c) To revise an earlier representation.

Spelling Practice

Use this space to jot down words you find tricky and practice writing them.

Answer Key

1. Misfortune: To experience bad luck.
2. Disadvantage: To lose an advantage.
3. Unappealing: To make something less attractive.
4. Dissatisfied: To lack satisfaction.
5. Unintelligible: To make something unclear.
6. Disassemble: To take apart.
7. Misaligned: To position something improperly.
8. Unparalleled: To remove the similarity or comparison between two things.
9. Unmanageable: To make something difficult to handle or control.
10. Unsuccessful: To lack success or achieve failure.
11. Relocate: To move something to a new place.
12. Dishonest: To lack integrity or truthfulness.
13. Misjudge: To form an incorrect opinion or evaluation.
14. Misrepresent: To portray something inaccurately.
15. Reconsider: To think about something again.

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