



Root words, prefixes and suffixes

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ANSWERS

1	What is the grammatical term for the underlined part of the word below?	
	teach <u>er</u>	
	(a) suffix	1 mark

Add a prefix to the word <u>understood</u> in the sentence below to show that Anna's understanding of the question was wrong.
Although she tried her best, Anna had <u>mis</u> understood the question.

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3 Add a **prefix** to the underlined word to make its **antonym**.

Write the whole word in the box.

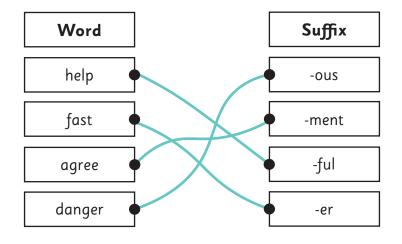
To Amrit, the whole event was important.

unimportant

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Draw a line to match each word to a **suffix** to make four different words.

Use each suffix only once.



1 mark



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5	Add a different prefix to each word to form its antonym .	
	reliable	
	visible	
	dislike	
	(also accept un to form the adjective unlike) 1 m	mark
6	Complete each sentence with a word from the same word family as <u>brave</u> .	
	At the dentist, Mum showed real <u>bravery</u> .	
	The knight strode <u>bravely</u> into the cave where he knew the lion was	
	hiding. brave	mark

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What does the prefix re- mean in the words rewrite, return, and rerun? Tick **one.**



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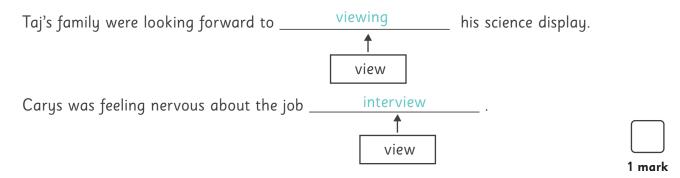




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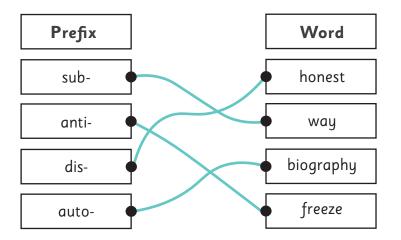
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8 Complete the sentence by writing a word formed from the **root word** <u>view</u> on each line.



Draw a line to match each word to a **prefix** to form a new word.

Use each **prefix** only once.



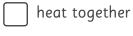


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The **prefix** <u>pre-</u> can be added to the root word <u>heat</u> to make the word <u>preheat</u>. What is the meaning of <u>preheat</u>?

Tick **one.**



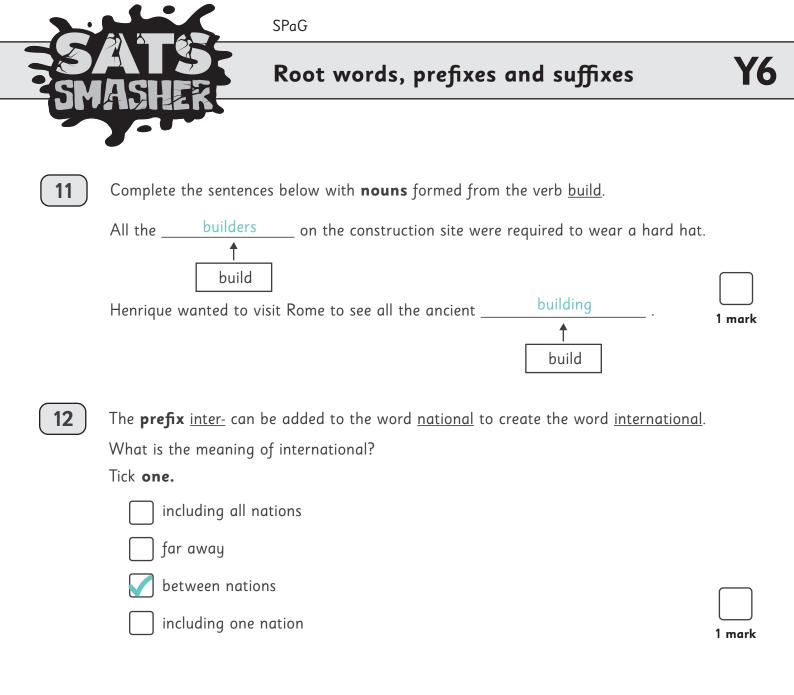
heat later



heat before



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Which one **prefix** can be added to all three of the words below to make their **antonyms**?

Write the prefix in the box.

advantage

connect

belief



1 mark





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Mum said that she had **misplaced** her key.

This means that _______ . Accept an answer which demonstrates understanding that Mum had lost her key. Mum said that she had **replaced** her key.

This means that _____

Accept an answer which demonstrates understanding that Mum had got a new key.

Add a different suffix to each word to make adjectives.

cloud <u>y/less/ed</u> friend <u>ly/less</u> thought <u>ful/less</u>

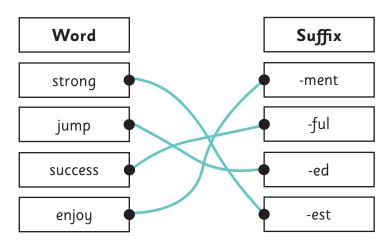
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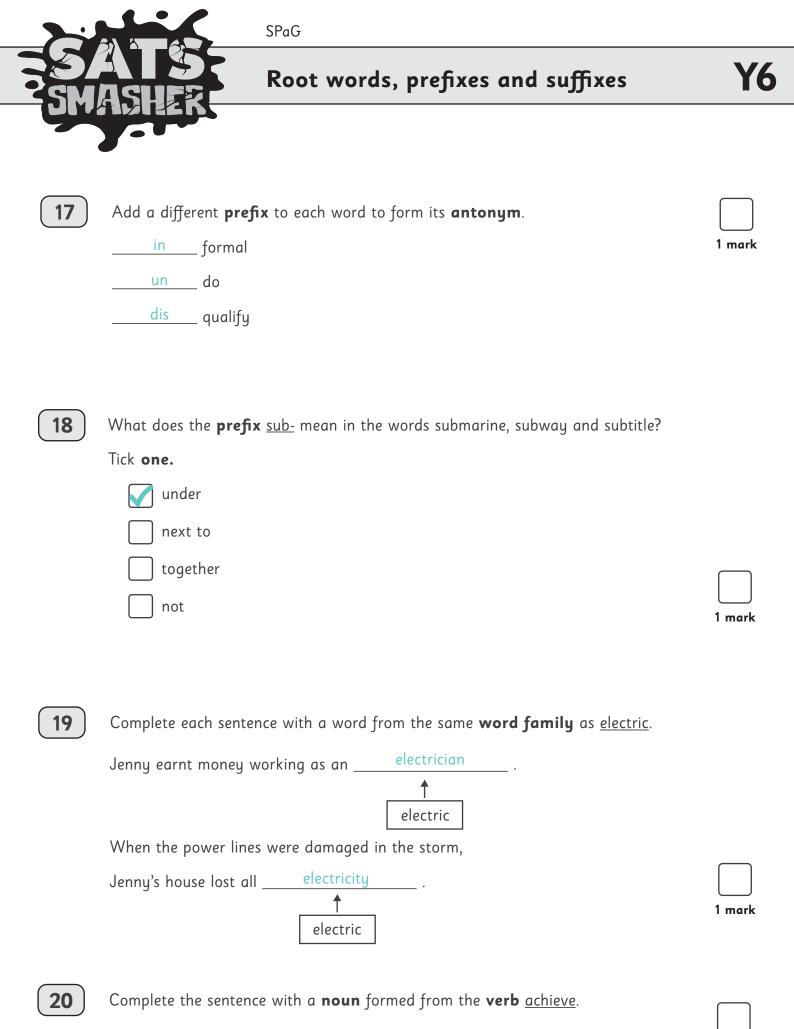


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Draw a line to match each word to its correct **suffix**.







Mum and Dad were so proud of my ______achievement(s)



