

Building New Words Review

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Phonics and Vocabulary

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Answer the questions about building new words.

1. The root word we started with is ____.

2. What does adding 'un-' to 'happy' mean?

- A. Not happy
- B. Very happy
- C. Super happy

3. Adding '-s' makes a word plural.

- True False

4. Match the word with its new form.

play

unhappy

happy

plays

5. When we add '-ed' to 'play', we get ____.

6. Prefixes go at the end of a word.

- True False

7. How does adding letters to a root word change its meaning?

8. Which prefix means 'not'? Circle the correct answer.

un-

re-

dis-

9. What do we call the basic part of a word?

- A. Prefix
- B. Root word
- C. Suffix

10. God helps us grow and learn step by ____.

Answer Key

1. happy 2. Not happy 3. True 4. unhappy 5. played 6. False 7. It makes a new word with a different meaning. 8. un- 9. Root word 10. step