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Worksheet – Root Words

A **root** word is a word or word part from which other words grow, usually through the addition of prefixes and suffixes.

Some root words are: **dress, happy, polite**

Match the root word to the word that as a prefix or suffix added.

happy	educational
fiction	normalcy
take	unknown
wrap	fictional
art	undress
normal	unhappy
salt	almighty
might	bakery
appear	artisan
bake	salty
education	mistake
dress	unwrap
know	disappear

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Circle the root in the following words.

1. unfriend

6. overwork

2. misspell

7. semicircle

3. disappoint

8. homeless

4. misplace

9. drinkable

5. impossible

10. revisit

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