



### WORKSHEET - WHAT IS IT?

Fill in the blanks with the answer you feel is correct. Use the song lyrics for clues.  
(To be used with RRR song "Prefixes, Suffixes, and Roots")

- 1.- 2. Most words begin with a word root. Name two other word forms that might be attached to the word root to create larger words with different meanings?

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3. A suffix is generally attached to the \_\_\_\_\_ of a word.

4. A prefix is generally attached to the \_\_\_\_\_ of a word.

5. - 7. An English word, is usually made up of what three parts? \_\_\_\_\_

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8. - 9. Based on previous answers, which do you think is probably going to be the only form that could change a word from an adjective to an adverb?

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Why? \_\_\_\_\_

10. We know from the song that 'pre' means before and 'fix' means attached. Using that same kind of thinking, what do you think 'suf' might mean, and is there a similar prefix (that is not mentioned in the song), that have a similar meaning.

\_\_\_\_\_ A similar prefix might be \_\_\_\_\_

- 11.-23. In the following, draw a vertical line between the prefix and/or suffix and the rest of the word. Example: *pre*release

homicide	criticism	indiscreetly	genocide
reactor	amiable	teacher	antigravity
transporter	biology	pretender	transaction
pseudonym			

- 24-25. Circle the two words have both a prefix and a suffix.