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CCSS 2.L.4.b Determine the meaning of the new word formed when a known prefix is

## Prefixes

Prefixes are added to the beginning of root or base words. When you add a prefix to a base word, you change the word's meaning.

Some common prefixes and their meanings:

**re--**again, back

**dis--**not

**pre--**before

**un--**not, opposite

**mis--**wrong

**under--**below

→ Directions: Draw a box around the prefix in each problem. Underline the root or base word in each problem. Example: unhappy

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| return    | preschool | untied     |
| dishonest | misbehave | underwater |
| replay    | preheat   | unable     |
| dismount  | mismatch  | underage   |
| redo      | preview   | unlocked   |