



Root Words

A root word is a word that works as a base for creating new words. When you add letters to the front of a root word, the added letters are called a prefix. When you add letters to the back of a root word, the added letters are called a suffix.

DIRECTIONS: Find the root word in each word and write it on the line.

1. maker

2. dislike

3. bells

4. boxes

5. trees

6. preschool

7. unhappy

8. licked

9. careful

10. lifted
