

TIP

A **prefix** is a word part added to the beginning of a base word. It changes the base word's meaning. The prefixes **dis** and **un** mean not or the opposite, as in unseen and dislike. Think about the meaning of each **list word**.

LIST WORDS

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|---------------|------------------|
| 1. unseen | <i>unseen</i> |
| 2. unable | <i>unable</i> |
| 3. discover | <i>discover</i> |
| 4. unload | <i>unload</i> |
| 5. unclean | <i>unclean</i> |
| 6. unsure | <i>unsure</i> |
| 7. uneven | <i>uneven</i> |
| 8. dislike | <i>dislike</i> |
| 9. displease | <i>displease</i> |
| 10. distrust | <i>distrust</i> |
| 11. unwrap | <i>unwrap</i> |
| 12. untrue | <i>untrue</i> |
| 13. unlucky | <i>unlucky</i> |
| 14. unchanged | <i>unchanged</i> |
| 15. untouched | <i>untouched</i> |
| 16. disobey | <i>disobey</i> |
| 17. disorder | <i>disorder</i> |
| 18. unbutton | <i>unbutton</i> |
| 19. unpaid | <i>unpaid</i> |
| 20. disappear | <i>disappear</i> |

Spelling Practice



Words with Prefixes

Write each **list word** under the correct heading.

words with the prefix **dis**

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| 1. _____ | 2. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 4. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 6. _____ |
| 7. _____ | |

words with the prefix **un**

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|-----------|-----------|
| 8. _____ | 9. _____ |
| 10. _____ | 11. _____ |
| 12. _____ | 13. _____ |
| 14. _____ | 15. _____ |
| 16. _____ | 17. _____ |
| 18. _____ | 19. _____ |
| 20. _____ | |

Synonyms

Write the **list word** that means the same as the word given.

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|-----------|-------|--------------|-------|
| 1. find | _____ | 2. hate | _____ |
| 3. false | _____ | 4. dirty | _____ |
| 5. mess | _____ | 6. annoy | _____ |
| 7. vanish | _____ | 8. uncertain | _____ |

Scrambled Letters

Unscramble the letters to spell each base word. Then, add the prefix **un** or **dis** to make a **list word**.

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|------------|-------|------------|-------|
| 1. douthc | _____ | 15. retu | _____ |
| 2. aldo | _____ | 16. dorer | _____ |
| 3. praw | _____ | 17. leapse | _____ |
| 4. hangced | _____ | 18. rapepa | _____ |
| 5. boye | _____ | 19. ruse | _____ |
| 6. neev | _____ | 20. eikl | _____ |
| 7. surtt | _____ | | |
| 8. tunobt | _____ | | |
| 9. nese | _____ | | |
| 10. apid | _____ | | |
| 11. culky | _____ | | |
| 12. bale | _____ | | |
| 13. nalec | _____ | | |
| 14. rocev | _____ | | |



Spelling and Writing

Proofreading

This diary entry has nine mistakes. Use the proofreading marks to fix the mistakes. Write the misspelled **list words** correctly on the lines.

April 4

last night, I was unabel to sleep so I got up and watched the stars. Suddenly, I saw something streak through the sky and then disapeer. I was surprised and a little unshure of what Id seen. So, I listened to the news this morning hoping to diskover the answer. sure enough, the news reported the sighting of a meteor last night. what a relief! Now I know I wasnt seeing things.

Proofreading Marks

-  spelling mistake
-  capital letter
-  add apostrophe



1. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 4. _____