

Prefixes (un-)

Rule:

A prefix is a word part added to the beginning of a word.
Prefixes change the meaning of the base word.

The prefix un- makes the word mean the opposite of the base word.

Example: untie = the opposite of tie

Add a prefix to the base word to make it match the meaning.

	Base word	New word	Meaning
1	lock		The opposite of lock
2	pack		The opposite of pack
3	dress		The opposite of dress
4	wrap		The opposite of wrap

Choose the correct word to complete each sentence.

5. A hot pot is _____.

6. I was _____ that I got burnt.

7. I wish I could _____ what I did.



unhappy

undo

unsafe