

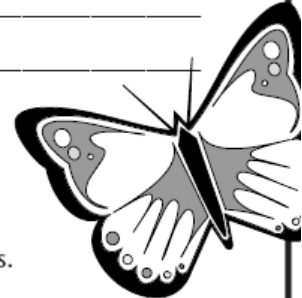
# Test 3



How do you grow new words? One way is to start with a sprout of a root word, then add a prefix.

**Directions:** Add the prefix given to the root word. Then, in the sentences below, fill in the correct word from the ones you wrote.

<u>Prefix</u>	<u>Root Word</u>	<u>New Word</u>
dis-opposite of	appear	_____
re-again	write	_____
mis-wrongly	understood	_____
multi-many	color	_____
mid-middle	day	_____
non-not	sense	_____
un-not	necessary	_____
inter-between	national	_____



1. The beautiful butterfly had \_\_\_\_\_ wings.
2. Sometimes I wish this mess in my room would just \_\_\_\_\_.
3. On a warm day it is \_\_\_\_\_ to bring a heavy coat.
4. He was mad because he \_\_\_\_\_ what I said.
5. The teacher made me \_\_\_\_\_ my essay.
6. By \_\_\_\_\_ the sun was high and we were hungry.
7. Olympic athletes enjoy \_\_\_\_\_ fame.
8. Dad thought my excuse was pure \_\_\_\_\_.

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

# Answers

**Disappear, rewrite, misunderstand, multicolour, midday, nonsense, unnecessary, international.**

1. The beautiful butterfly had **multi-coloured** wings.
2. Sometimes I wish this mess in my room would just **disappear**.
3. On a warm day it is **unnecessary** to bring a heavy coat.
4. He was mad because he **misunderstood** what I said.
5. The teacher made me **rewrite** my essay.
6. By **midday** the sun was high and we were hungry.
7. Olympic athletes enjoy **international** fame.
8. Dad thought my excuse was pure **nonsense**.