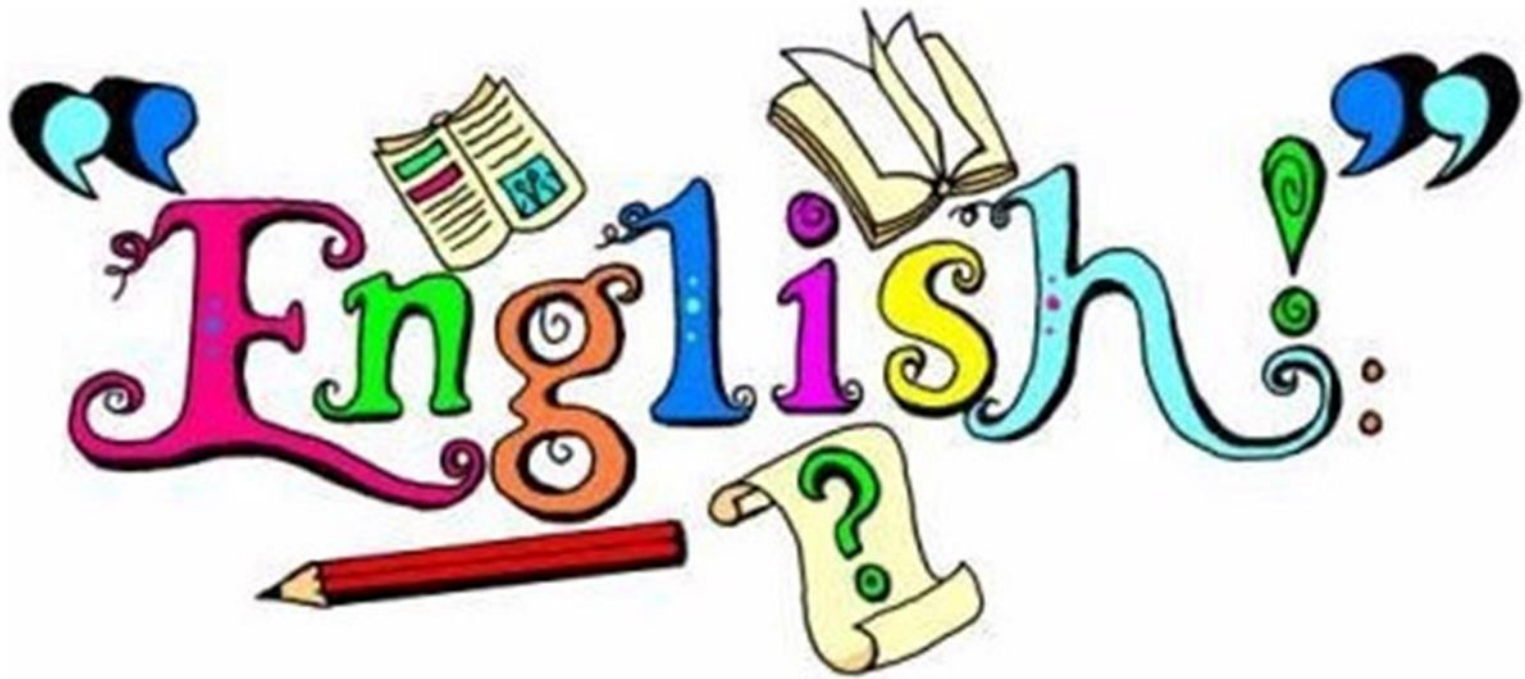
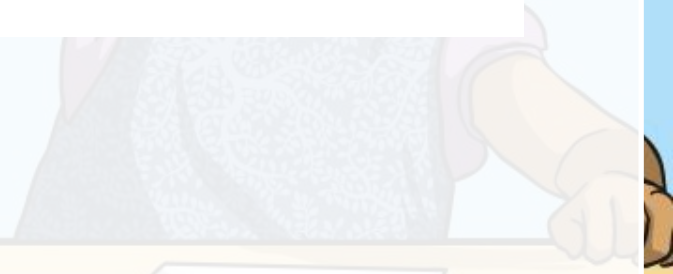


English!

The word 'English!' is written in a colorful, bubbly, and decorative font. Each letter is a different color: 'E' is pink, 'n' is green, 'g' is orange, 'l' is blue, 'i' is purple, 's' is yellow, and 'h' is light blue. The exclamation point is green. Surrounding the text are several educational icons: a blue speech bubble above the 'E', a newspaper above the 'n', an open book above the 'l', a scroll with a question mark below the 'i', a red pencil below the 'g', and another blue speech bubble above the 'h'. The entire graphic is set against a white background.

# Root words



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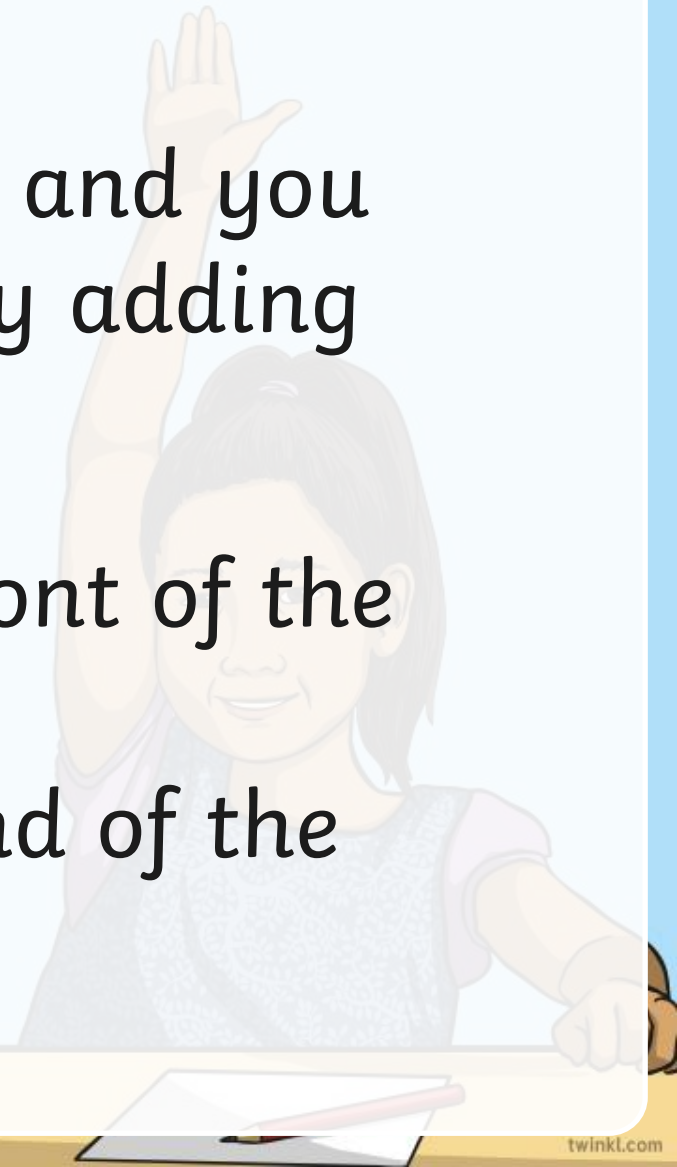
What are they?

A root word is a real word and you make new words from it by adding prefixes and suffixes.

Prefixes are stuck to the front of the word.

Suffixes are stuck at the end of the word.

There are no spaces.



# Root words

Can you think of some prefixes and suffixes?

Top tip:

Think about our spellings from last week and this week.



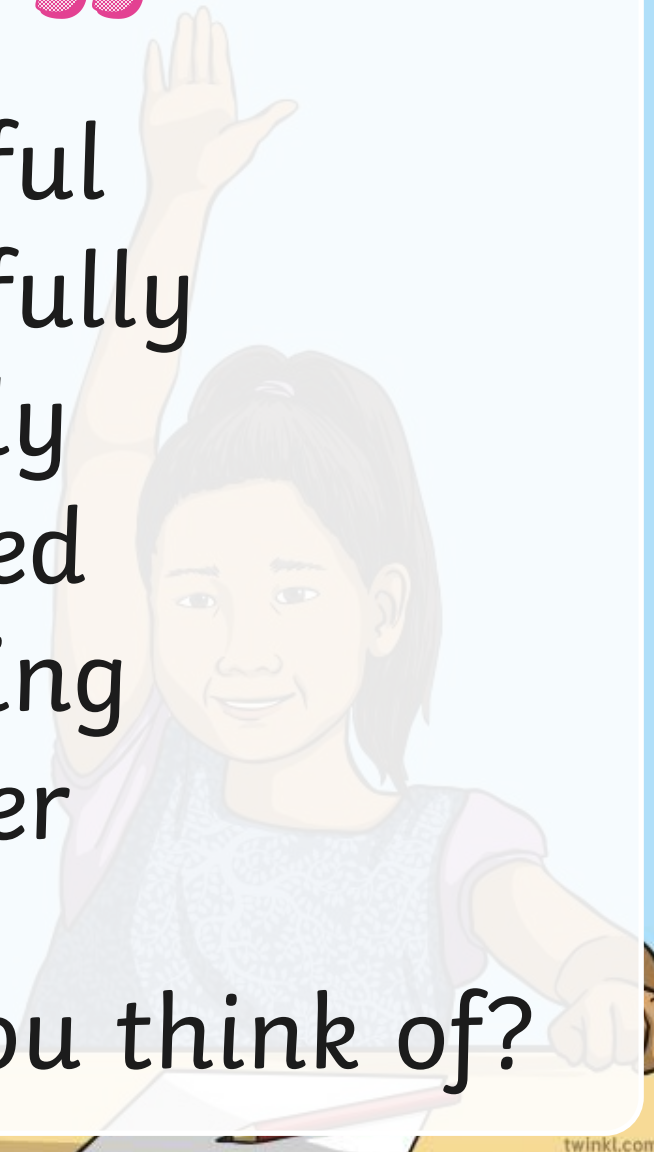
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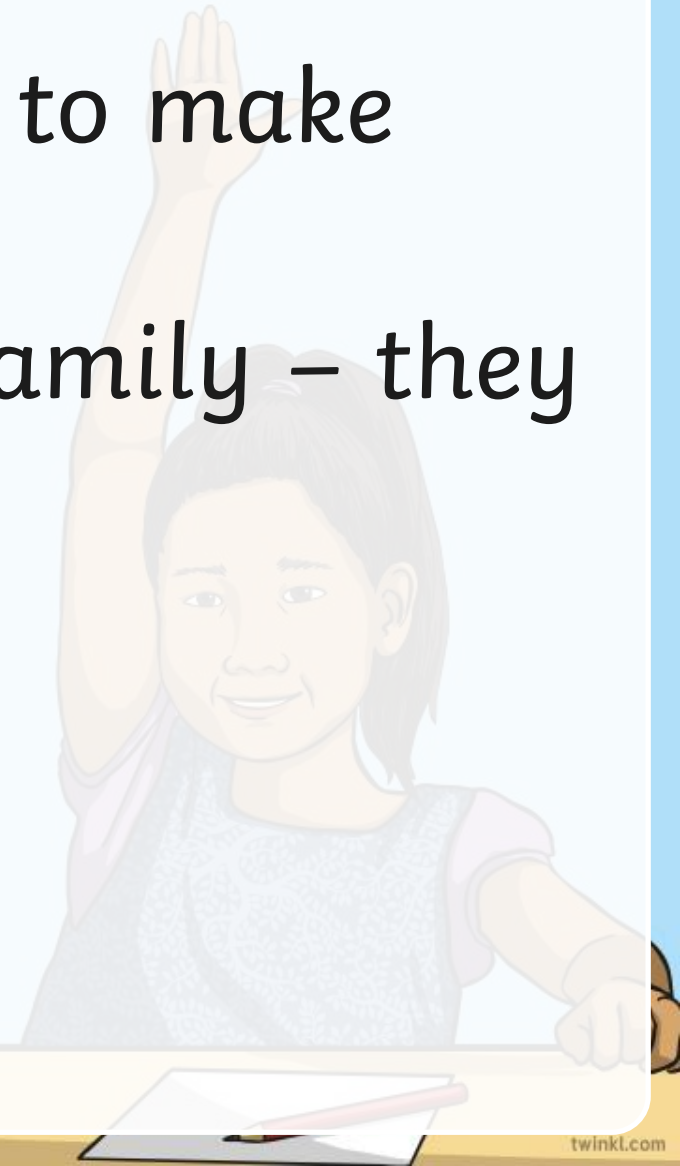
How many more did you think of?



# Root words

Root words can be used to make word families.

They're a bit like your family – they have things in common.



# What Do We Have In Common?

Look at all of the words in this family.

What do they have in common? What should the family name be?

writer

written

writing

underwrite

rewrite

writes



The \_\_\_\_\_ Family

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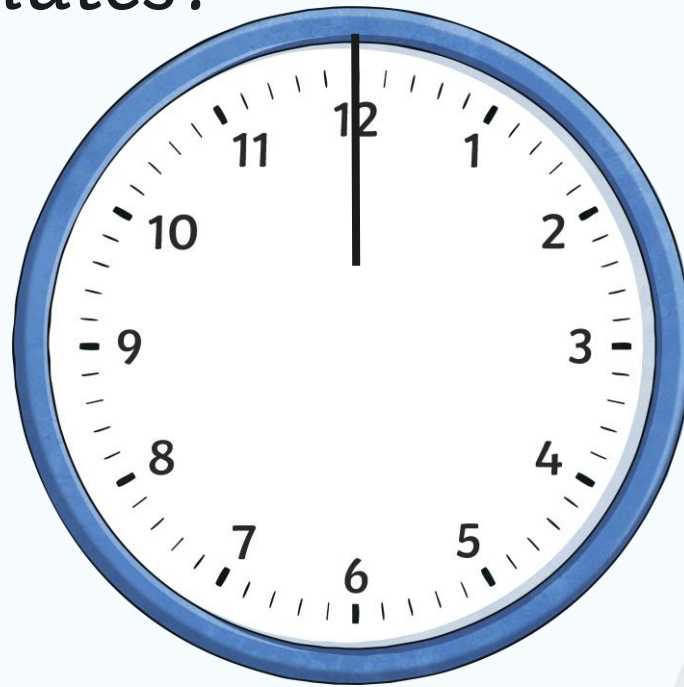


The **Help** Family



# The Struct Family

Let's explore the root 'struct'. Working with a partner, how many words containing 'struct' can you think of in the next two minutes?



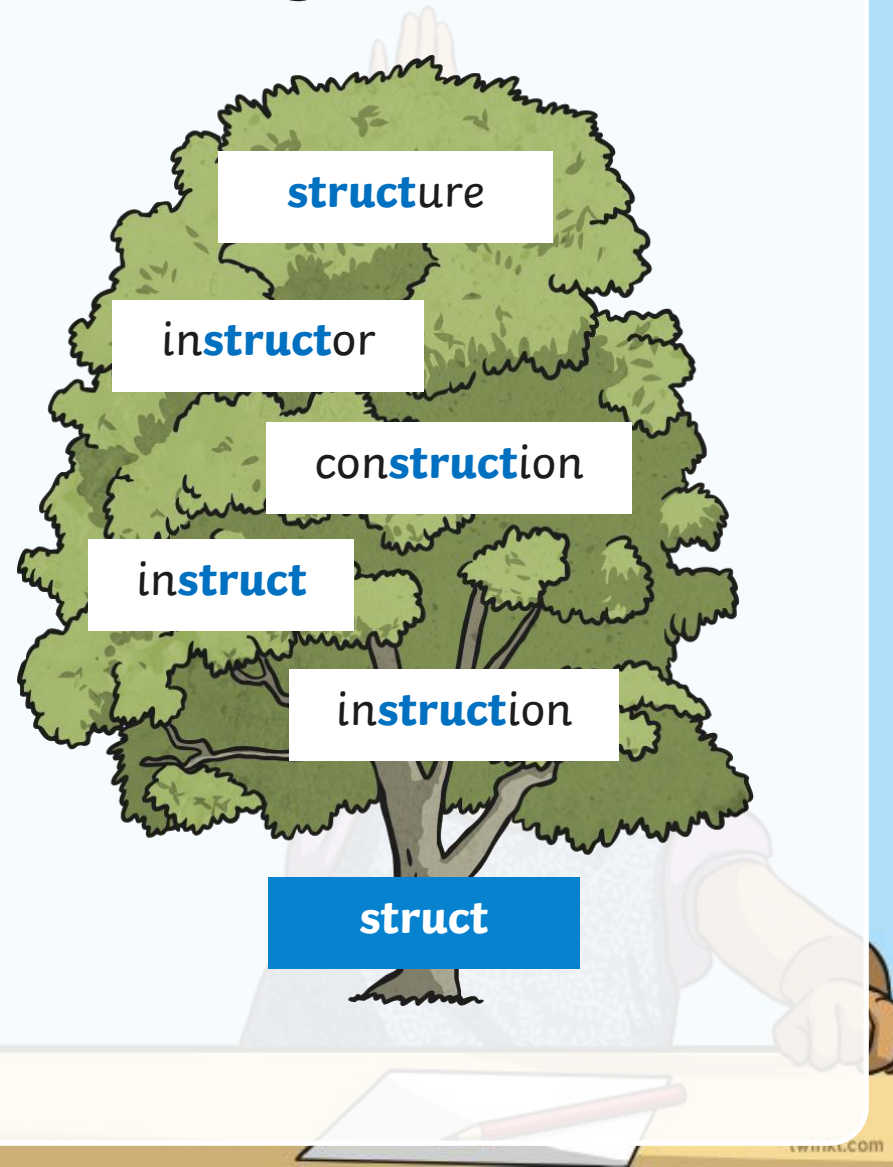
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# The Struct Family

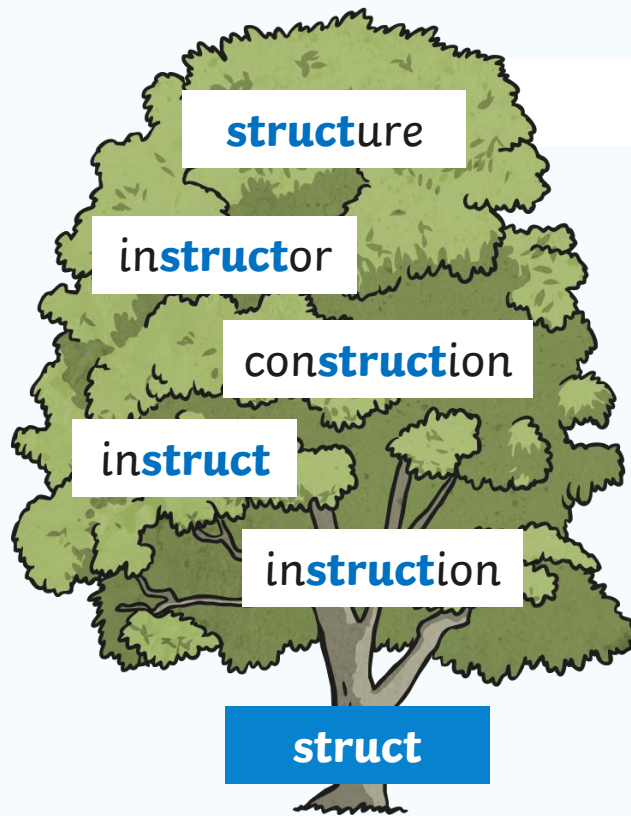
Did you think of any different words?

What sort of meaning do all of these words have in common?



# The Struct Family

Lots of different words that we use every day come from the root 'struct', such as...



A building or other object put together of several different parts.

A person who teaches or demonstrates something.

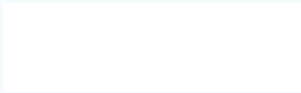
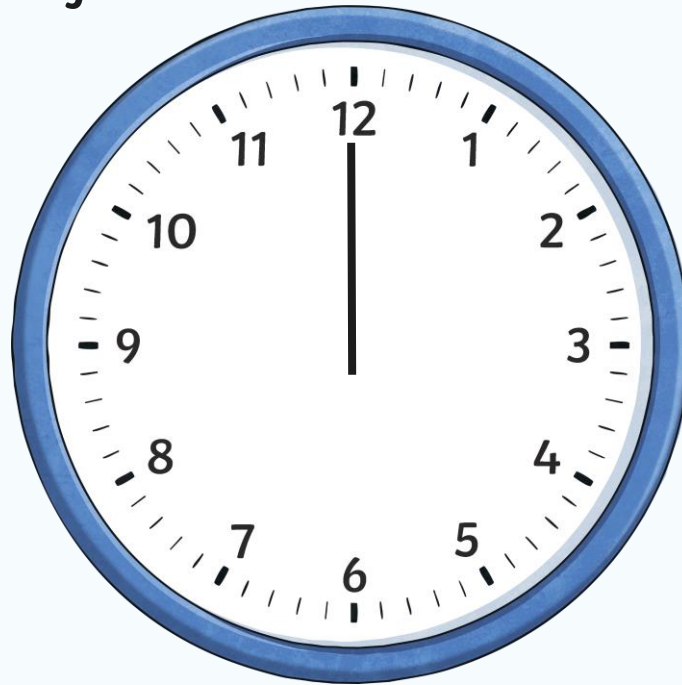
The act of building something, often a large structure.

To tell or order somebody to do something (often how to make something) in a particular order

The words which tell or order somebody to do something (often how to make something) in a particular order.

# The Spect Family

This time, explore the root 'spect' with a partner. How many words containing 'spect' can you think of in the next two minutes?



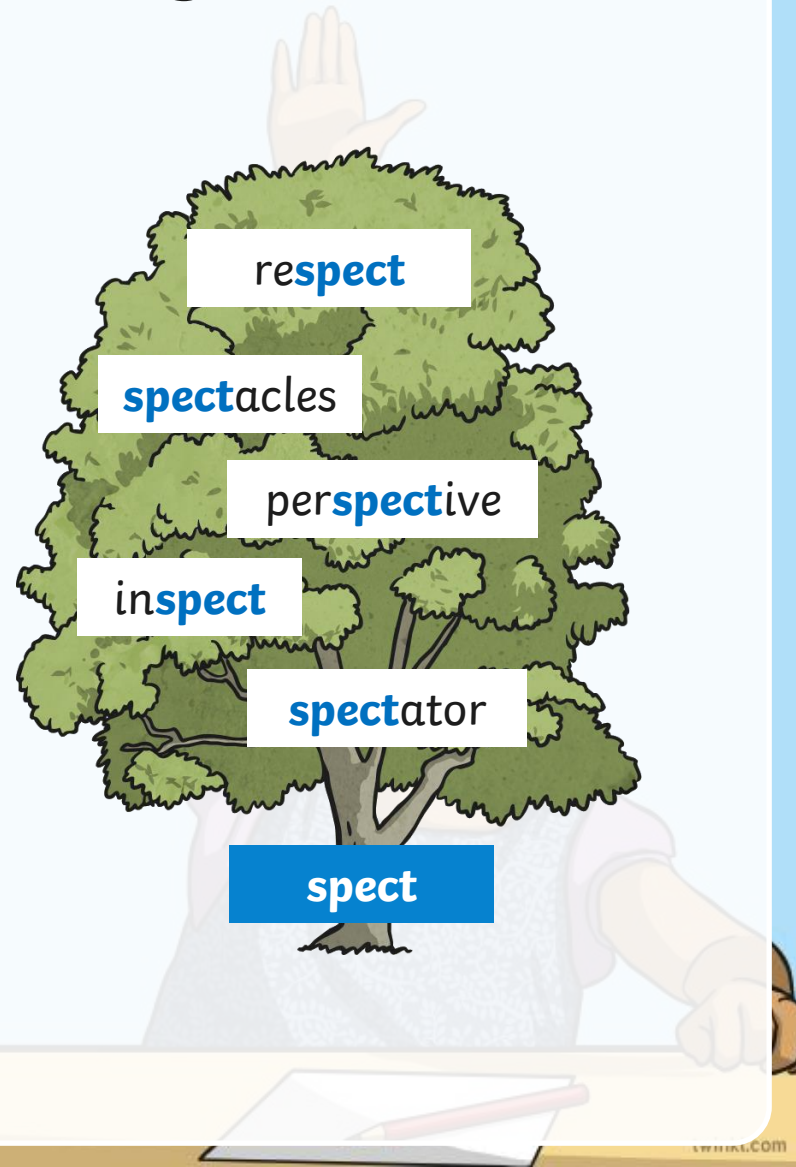
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# The Spect Family

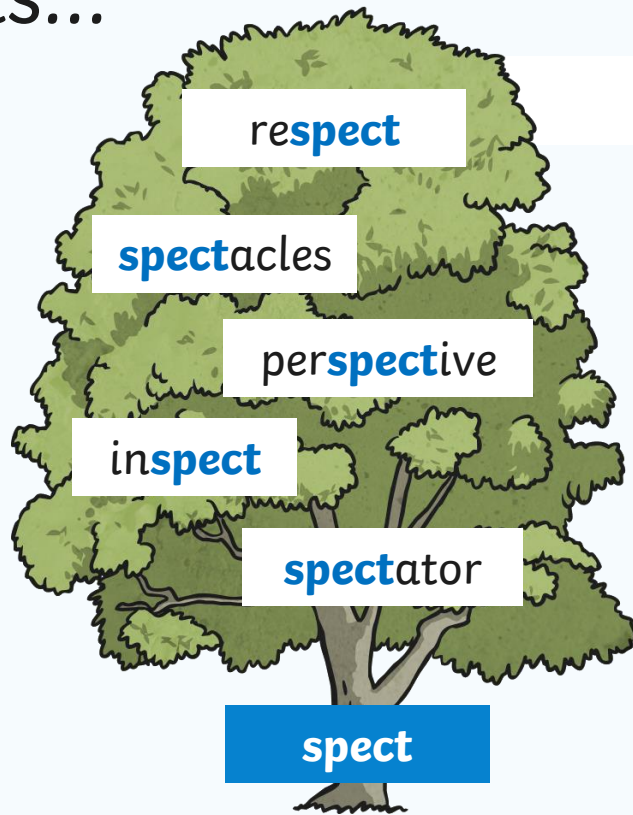
Did you think of any different words?

What sort of meaning do all of these words have in common?



# The Spect Family

Again, lots of different words that we use every day come from the root 'spect', such as...



A feeling of admiration for someone because of abilities or qualities that you have seen.

Glasses used for seeing.

A particular point of view about something.

To closely examine something.

A person who watches a show, game or other event.



# Jumbled Up

Look at all of the words below. How many different word families are mixed up here? What root words do they belong to?

venture	unison	uncover	ventilate
reunion	unique	rediscover	coverage
adventure	graph	covering	autograph
united	event	graphic	community
	convention	biography	

# Jumbled Up answers

Look at all of the words below. How many different word families are mixed up here? What root words do they belong to?

The 'vent'  
family

adventure

event

convention

venture

ventilate

The 'cover'  
family

covering

coverage

rediscover

uncover

The 'uni'  
family

united

community

unique

reunion

unison

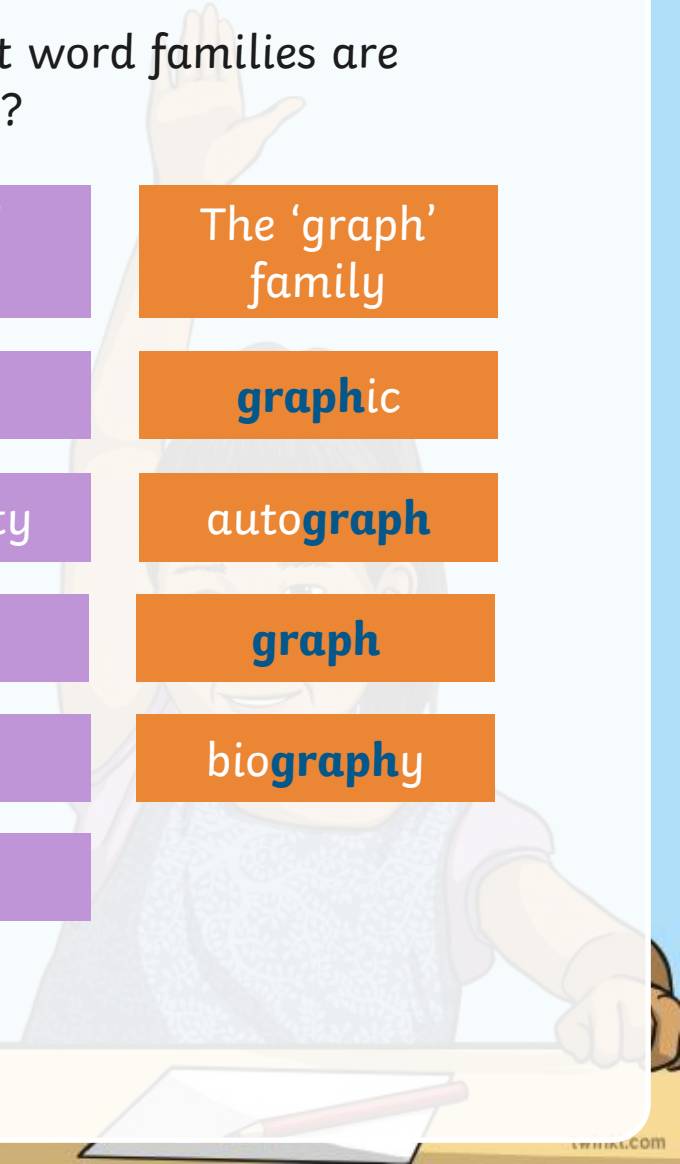
The 'graph'  
family

graphic

autograph

graph

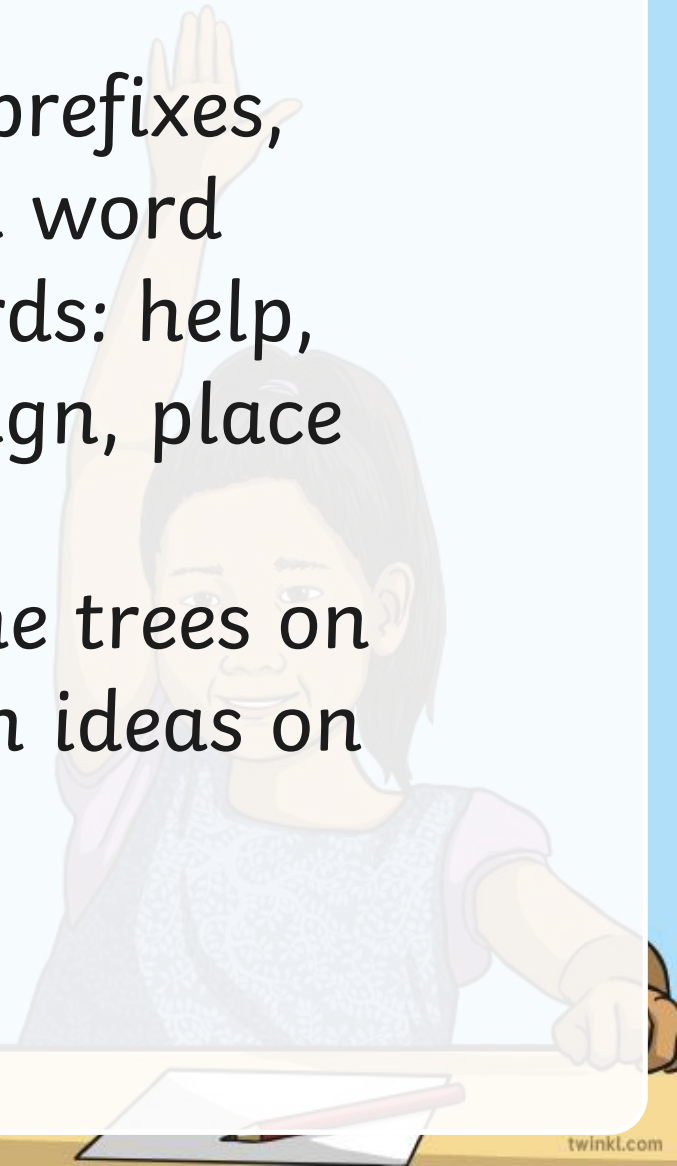
biography



# Root words

Using what you know about prefixes, suffixes and root words, build word families for the following words: help, care, use, friend, cover, act, sign, place

You could make it look like the trees on the next slide or use your own ideas on how to present your work.



## Root Words

