# WORD FAMILIES

You can create word families by adding a prefix, a suffix, or both to a root word.

Directions: Use the prefixes, root words and suffixes to create new words.  Write your new words in the section provided.

## Prefixes

| | |
|---|---|
| un- | dis- |
| anti- | non- |
| pre- | en- |
| co- | mis- |
| re- | trans- |
| tri- | bi- |

## Root Words

| | |
|---|---|
| write | thank |
| play | cycle |
| read | child |
| agree | hand |
| joy | stop |
| like | fix |

## Suffixes

| | |
|---|---|
| -ment | -ness |
| -like | -less |
| -ous | -ish |
| -er | -able |
| -ed | -age |
| -ly | -ful |

## New Words Created

example: unplayful

You can use the back of this sheet if you run out of space.