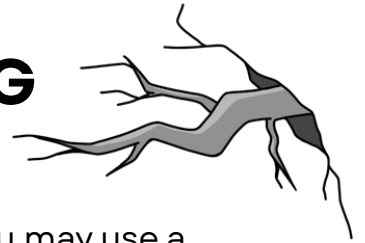


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ROOT WORD BUILDING



ACTIVITY 1:

Directions: Fill in the chart below for each vocabulary word. You may use a dictionary to help you.

Word	Root	Root Meaning	Prefix	Suffix	Word Meaning
exertion	sert	to bind together	ex	ion	the act of putting forth effort
retreated	treat				
trembling	tremble				
grimaced	grimace				
emphasis	phas				
hesitation	hesitate				
clamoring	clamor				

ROOT WORD BUILDING

ACTIVITY 2:



Directions: Pick **three** vocabulary words from the previous page. For each word, create as many related words as you can by changing the prefix or suffix. Try to make at least 3 words in each family!

WORD FAMILY: _____



Related words:

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

WORD FAMILY: _____



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ACTIVITY 3:

The root "tract" or "treat" means "to pull or draw"

Circle the root "tract" or "treat" in the words below, then write three of the words and what the words mean in the space provided below:

distract attract contract retract tractor extract

1. _____ means _____

2. _____ means _____

3. _____ means _____