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Princess Prefix



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Focus Question

What is a prefix, and what can it do?



Princess Prefix likes to change things. Oh, the changes she brings!



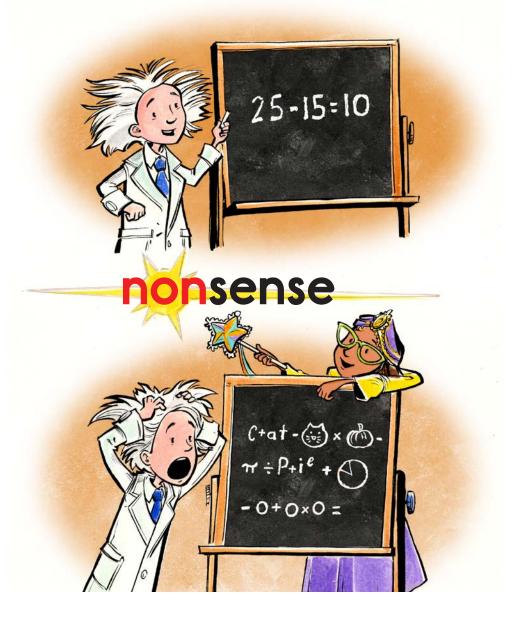
Add a prefix, change a meaning.

Careful, though!

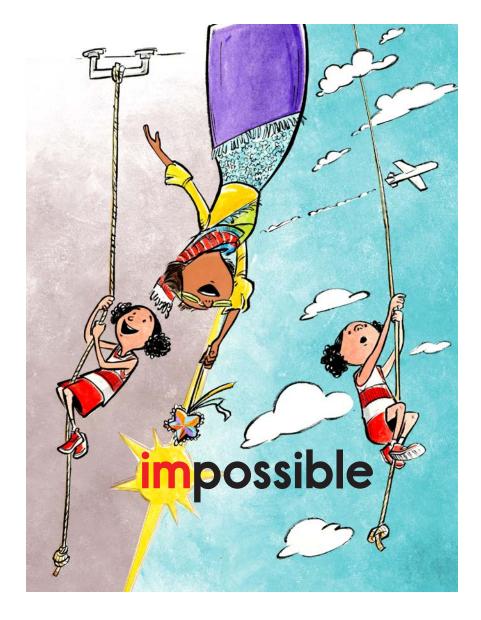
She may confuse things.



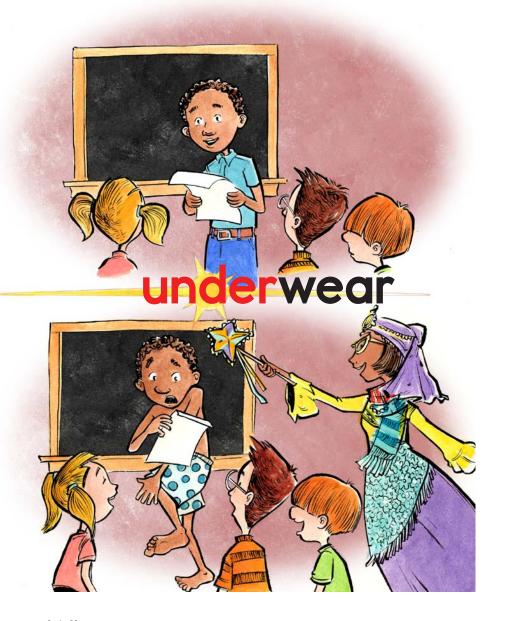
Your load becomes an overload.
Oh, Princess.



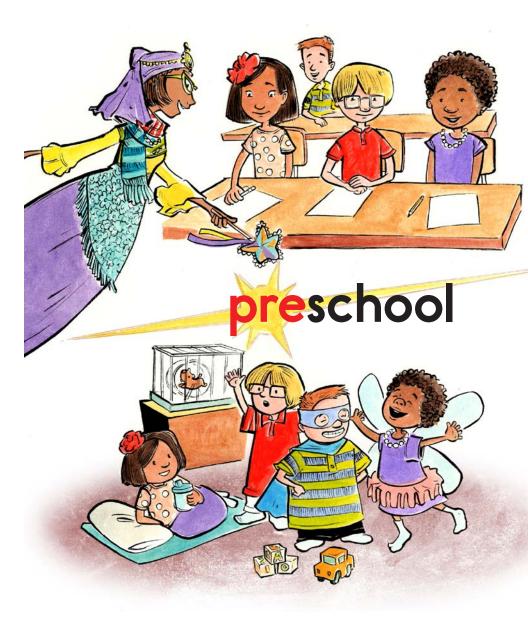
What makes sense becomes nonsense. Oh, Princess.



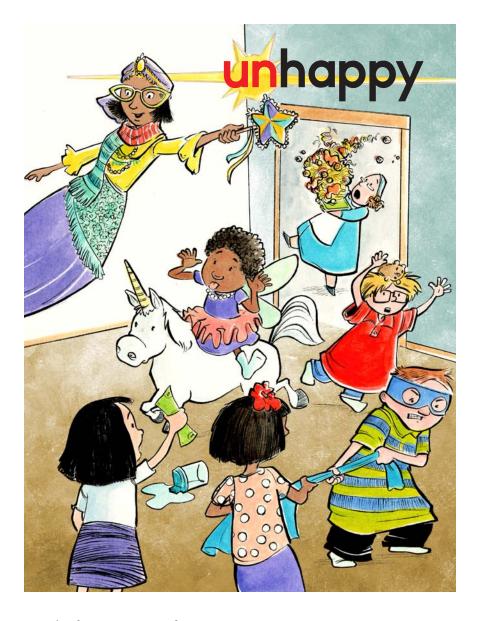
The possible becomes impossible. Oh, Princess.



What you wear becomes underwear. Oh, Princess!



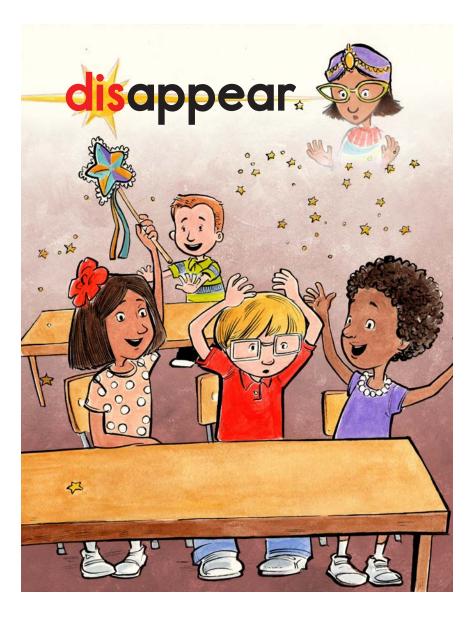
Your school becomes a preschool. Oh, Princess.



A happy day becomes unhappy. Oh, Princess.



Yes, Princess Prefix has great power. But so do you, at any hour.



If she makes trouble, have no fear! You can make her disappear.

Words to Know

confuse nonsense

disappear overload

impossible prefix

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Connections

Writing

Pick a prefix from the book.

Add the prefix to a new word.

Write a sentence using the word.

Math

Make a list of words that begin with the prefix *pre-*.

Compare your list with a partner's.

Who has more words?



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