# **Phonics**

#### **Morpheme Structures**

Base Word Sort

## **Objective**

The student will blend base words with affixes and inflections.



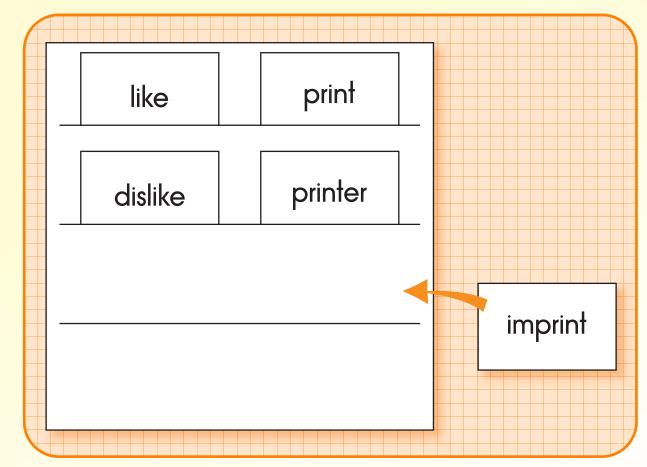
#### Materials

- Pocket chart
- ► Word cards

# Activity

#### Students identify word components by doing a sort.

- 1. Place pocket chart at the center. Scatter word cards face up on a flat surface.
- 2. Taking turns, students read the words and decide which are the base words.
- 3. Place in top row of pocket chart.
- 4. Read and place remaining word cards under the corresponding base word. Say the base and affix and/or inflection.
- 5. Peer evaluation



## Extensions and Adaptations

- Sort by number of graphemes or phonemes.
- Sort by morphemes.

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P. 043	Base Word Sort
print	printer
imprint	reprint
printable	like
dislike	likable
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Base Word Sort

likely agree disagree agreed disagreement agreeing possible possibly

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P. 043 Base Word Sort		
impossible	possibility	
possibilities	manage	
manager	management	
manageable	unmanageable	

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