A prefix is a word part that comes at the beginning of a word. Prefixes can help us figure out the meanings of words we don’t know. For example, the prefix re- means “again.”

- Look at how re- changes the meaning of words in these sentences.

  He did his homework.
  He redid his homework.

  She wrote a story.
  She rewrote a story.

  The house was painted.
  The house was repainted.

- Change these sentences by adding the prefix re- to the underlined words. Rewrite the sentence.

  1. I wanted to open the book.

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  2. She told her story.

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- Write some sentences of your own using words that begin with re-. Use the back of this paper. Read your sentences out loud to your family.

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