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# Spelling

## Focus

- A prefix changes the meaning of the base word it comes before. The prefix **re-** means “again.” It can be added to a word that begins with a consonant or vowel.
- Understanding and identifying **Greek roots** and their meanings can help you spell difficult and unfamiliar words. Here are some of the Greek roots in the spelling words and their meanings:  
**therm** = heat; **chron** = time; **meter** = measure; **ology** = the study of

## Practice

diameter	reformulate	regenerate	chronological
reintroduce	barometer	reinforce	

**On the line, write the spelling word from the box that is related to each group of words below.**

1. generation      generator      \_\_\_\_\_
2. formula          format              \_\_\_\_\_
3. force              enforce              \_\_\_\_\_
4. introduction      introducing        \_\_\_\_\_

**Choose the word in parentheses that best completes the sentence. Then, write the correctly spelled word on the line.**

5. The (barometer, thermometer) reading showed us that a storm was likely to come.  
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6. We measured the (chronicle, diameter) of the circular table in order to buy the correctly sized tablecloth. \_\_\_\_\_
7. If we put the events in (chronological, regenerate) order, World War II took place before the Korean War. \_\_\_\_\_