Language Conventions: The Prefix in-

Australian Curriculum

This lesson plan could be used to support the teaching and learning of the following Content Descriptions from the Australian Curriculum:

Yr 5: Literacy, Creating Texts

Plan, draft and publish imaginative, informative and persuasive print and multimodal texts, choosing text structures, language features, images and sound appropriate to purpose and audience (ACELY1704)

Yr 5: Language, Phonics and Word Knowledge

Understand how to use knowledge of known words, base words, prefixes and suffixes, word origins, letter patterns and spelling generalisations to spell new words (ACELA1513)

Aim: To know more prefixes I can add the prefix in- to root words to create new words.	Prior Learning: It will be helpful if children are familiar with the term 'prefix'.	Resources: Liesson Pack Individual whiteboards and pens Dictionaries
Success Criteria: I can explain what a prefix is.	Key/New Words: Prefix, root word.	Preparation: Applying Spelling Rules When Adding the Prefix in- Activity Sheet - 1 per child Bouncing Anagrams Activity Sheet
I can explain how adding the prefix in-changes the meaning of words.		
I can explain spelling rules which I need to follow when adding the prefix in		-1 per child Mini Test - 1 per child
I can create and spell new words using the prefix in		Application Activity - 1 per child as required



Introductory Activity: Spelling Rules

Explain what the word prefix means. Focus on the prefix in- explaining that today they are going to learn new words where the prefix means 'not'. Use the Lesson Presentation to introduce spelling rules for adding the prefix in-. Ask the children to explain how adding the prefix in- has changed the meaning of the words shown.

Can the children explain what a prefix is?

Can the children explain how adding the prefix in- changes the meaning of words?

Can the children explain spelling rules which need to followed when adding the prefix -in?



Independent Focused Activity: Applying Spelling Rules When Adding the Prefix in-

Children complete the differentiated Applying Spelling Rules When Adding the Prefix in- Activity Sheet.

Can the children explain spelling rules which need to be followed when adding the prefix -in?



Review Activity: Bouncing Anagrams

Recap the spelling rules using the Lesson Presentation. Children complete the differentiated Bouncing Anagrams Activity Sheet.

Can the children explain how adding the prefixes super, anti and auto changes the meaning of words? Can the children spell new words using the prefix in-?



Consolidation Activity: Root Word Sort

Match the root words with the spelling rule which needs applying when adding the prefix in-. Children could draw the table out onto their individual whiteboards and place the root words into the correct column.



Assessment: Adding Suffixes Beginning with Vowel Letters

The children complete The Prefix in- Mini Test in order to test their understanding. The children complete the Application Activity as required.

