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## Greensburg Goes Green

Prefixes *bi-*, *tri-*, *uni-*, *re-*, *semi-*

## Spelling Words

bisect	triangle	universal	semicircle	biceps
bilingual	tricycle	university	semifinal	uniform
bifocals	reunion	unison	semicolon	unicorn
semiprivate	triplicate	semisweet	semiannual	biplane

**Word Meanings** Write a list word that matches each description.

1. an airplane with two wings on each side 1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. a legendary creature with one horn 2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. a pedaled vehicle with three wheels 3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. a geometric figure with three angles 4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. a large college 5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. one of what a member of a special group wears 6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. half of a circle 7. \_\_\_\_\_
8. not entirely private 8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. lenses with two different focal lengths 9. \_\_\_\_\_

**Matching Statements** Match a list word with a statement. Write the list word on the line.

10. Grammar Teacher: "Use a \_\_\_ to show a separation that is not as complete as a period but more so than a comma." 10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. Math Teacher: "When you draw a line through the midpoint of another line, you \_\_\_ it." 11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. Choir Director: "It's almost time for our \_\_\_ concert." 12. \_\_\_\_\_
13. Cooking Instructor: "Now add a packet of \_\_\_ chocolate." 13. \_\_\_\_\_
14. Party Organizer: "I'm putting together our class \_\_\_." 14. \_\_\_\_\_
15. Football Coach: "It's important that we win this \_\_\_ game." 15. \_\_\_\_\_
16. Language Teacher: "When you finish my class you will be \_\_\_." 16. \_\_\_\_\_
17. Office Worker: "I must fill out these forms in \_\_\_." 17. \_\_\_\_\_
18. Fitness Instructor: "Today we will work on our \_\_\_." 18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. Science Teacher: "The rules of motion are \_\_\_." 19. \_\_\_\_\_
20. Cheerleading Coach: "You must make these moves in \_\_\_." 20. \_\_\_\_\_



**Home Activity** Your child wrote words with prefixes *bi-*, *tri-*, *uni-*, *re-*, and *semi-*. Ask your child to pick a list word and use it in a sentence.

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### Prefixes *bi-*, *tri-*, *uni-*, *re-*, *semi-*

**Proofread an Article** Circle five misspelled words. Write them correctly. Find a sentence with incorrect capitalization. Write it correctly on the line.

My class met to talk about our semifinal exams. We are preparing to go to a University in the fall. We sat in a semycircle so we could talk to each other. Our teacher remembered his bifocels so he could read the agenda. We made a unaversal decision to study together one night each week until the end of the semester. We agreed to have a semianual reunyon during our college years. In unison we wished each other luck.

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| 1. _____ | 2. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 4. _____ |
| 5. _____ |          |
| 6. _____ |          |

**Proofread Words** Circle the word that is spelled correctly. Write it on the line.

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| 7. bisect      | bisekt     | 7. _____  |
| 8. biseps      | biceps     | 8. _____  |
| 9. bilingual   | billingul  | 9. _____  |
| 10. tricycle   | trisycle   | 10. _____ |
| 11. triangul   | triangle   | 11. _____ |
| 12. semicolon  | semecolon  | 12. _____ |
| 13. unison     | uneson     | 13. _____ |
| 14. triplecate | triplicate | 14. _____ |
| 15. univecity  | university | 15. _____ |
| 16. unicorn    | unicorne   | 16. _____ |
| 17. uneform    | uniform    | 17. _____ |
| 18. univecity  | university | 18. _____ |

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**Frequently Misspelled Words**

doesn't  
which

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**Home Activity** Your child identified misspelled words with prefixes *bi-*, *tri-*, *uni-*, *re-*, and *semi-*. Have your child pick five list words and spell them.

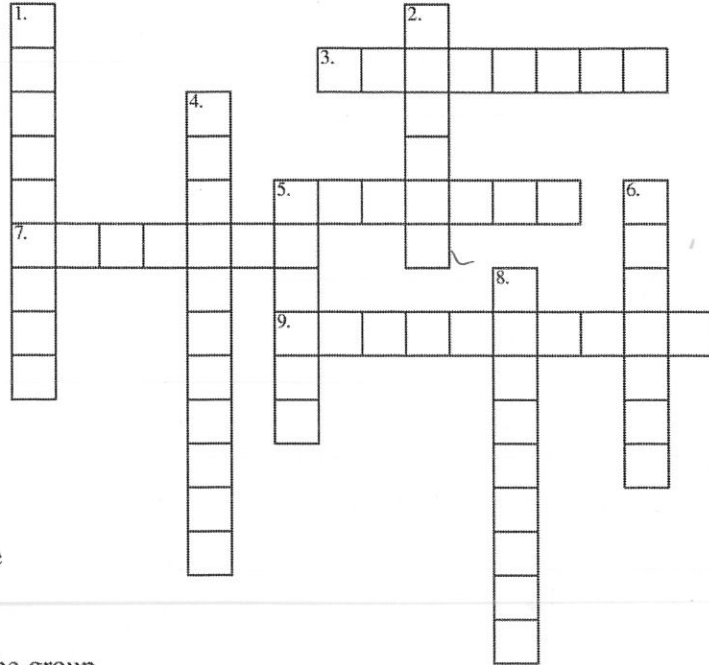
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**Crossword Puzzle** Use the clues to find the list words. Write each letter in a box.



**Across**

- 3. figure with three sides
- 5. make-believe creature
- 7. classmates' get-together
- 9. half circle

**Down**

- 1. exists everywhere
- 2. divide into two equal parts
- 4. partly private
- 5. as a group; together
- 6. airplane with two wings on each side
- 8. two languages

**Classify** Write the list word that fits in the group.

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|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 10. period, comma, _____             | 10. _____ |
| 11. forearms, elbows, _____          | 11. _____ |
| 12. elementary, high school, _____   | 12. _____ |
| 13. contacts, reading glasses, _____ | 13. _____ |
| 14. bitter, sweet, _____             | 14. _____ |
| 15. triple, trilogy, _____           | 15. _____ |
| 16. regional, quarterfinal, _____    | 16. _____ |
| 17. unicycle, bicycle, _____         | 17. _____ |
| 18. outfit, attire, _____            | 18. _____ |
| 19. biannual, half-yearly, _____     | 19. _____ |



**Home Activity** Your child has learned to spell words with prefixes *bi-*, *tri-*, *uni-*, *re-*, and *semi-*. Ask your child to choose a list word from Exercises 10–19 and tell a clue for the word that can be used for a crossword puzzle.