

# Harcourt Trophies Theme 1

## Task 1: Prefixes, Suffixes & Root Words

### Story: Yang the Eldest and His Odd Jobs

#### Content Standards:

- Apply word analysis and vocabulary skills to comprehend selections.
- Apply reading strategies to improve understanding and fluency.
- Identify prefixes, suffixes and root words for selected story.

**Task:** When reading the story, Yang the Eldest and His Odd Jobs, create a chart to help you identify 5 words and their page number within the story that have prefixes and/or suffixes. Be sure to include the root word for each of the words. Also, some words may not have both a prefix and suffix. Remember that you must turn in a neat and organized chart. A sample chart is shown for you below.

Story Word & Page Number	Prefix	Root	Suffix

**Rubric:**

	<b>Excellent:</b> 5 points	<b>Average:</b> 3 points	<b>Poor:</b> 1 point
<b>Story Words</b>	All 5 words have been correctly identified with having a prefix, suffix and root word.	Only 4 or 3 words have been correctly identified with having a prefix, suffix and root word.  (1 point for each correctly identified word)	Only 2 or 1 word(s) have been correctly identified with having a prefix, suffix and root word.  (1 point for each correctly identified word)
<b>Page Numbers</b>	All 5 words have been selected from the story and have a page number to prove that the word is from the story.		Some or no words have been selected from the story and a page number is not given for all words.
<b>Organization</b>	Chart is neatly done with legible handwriting and the columns and rows are straight.		Chart is not neatly done. Handwriting is not legible and/or columns and rows are not straight.