Prefixes

Grade 3 Spelling Worksheet - Building Confidence

Name _____ Date _____

Circle the answer.

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like dis ike

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unspell respell misspell

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until unsafe unit

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obey dis bey

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