

# Word Families Based on Root Words 'press' and 'vent'



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This week, we are looking at spellings that belong to two more word families.

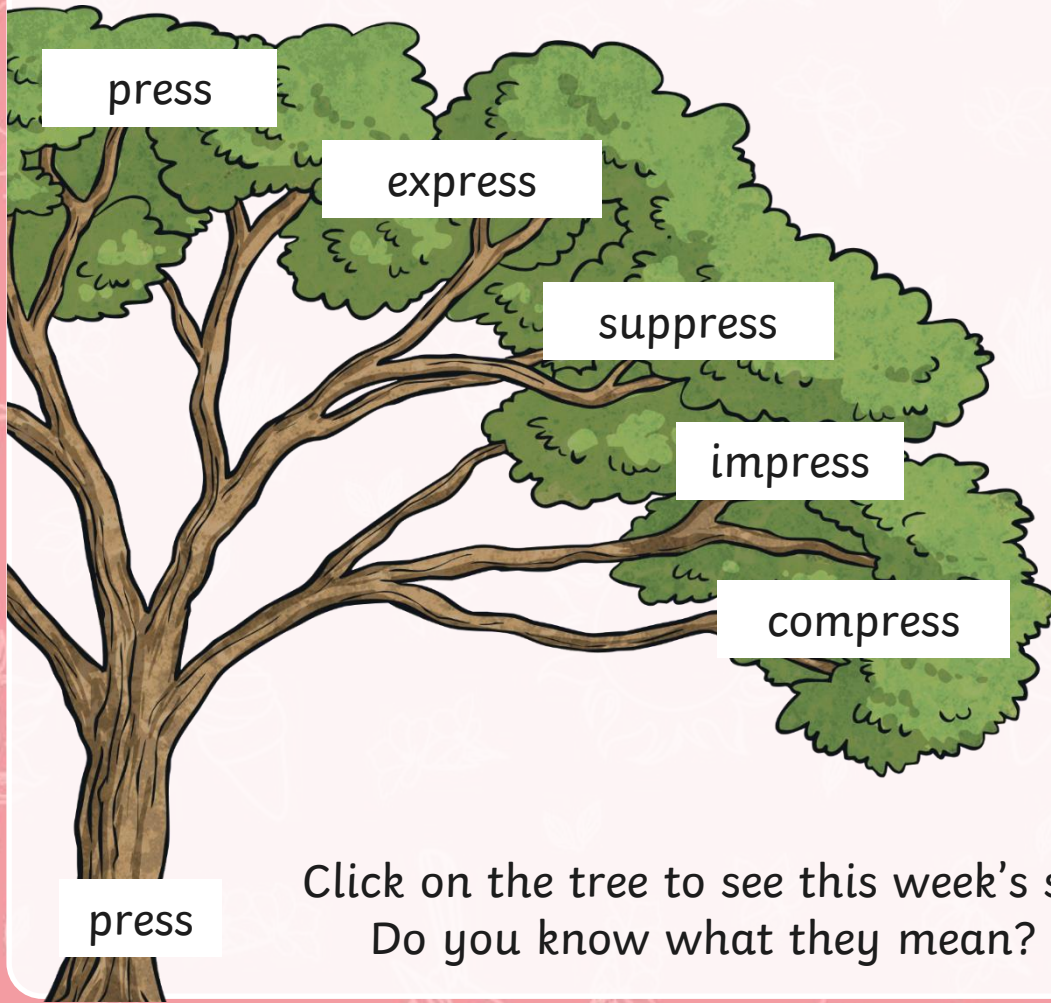
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which is often  
connected to words  
that mean 'press'

**'vent'**

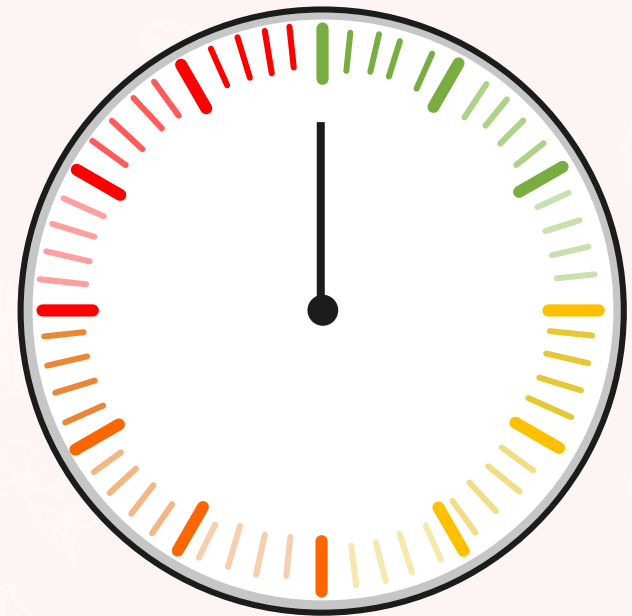
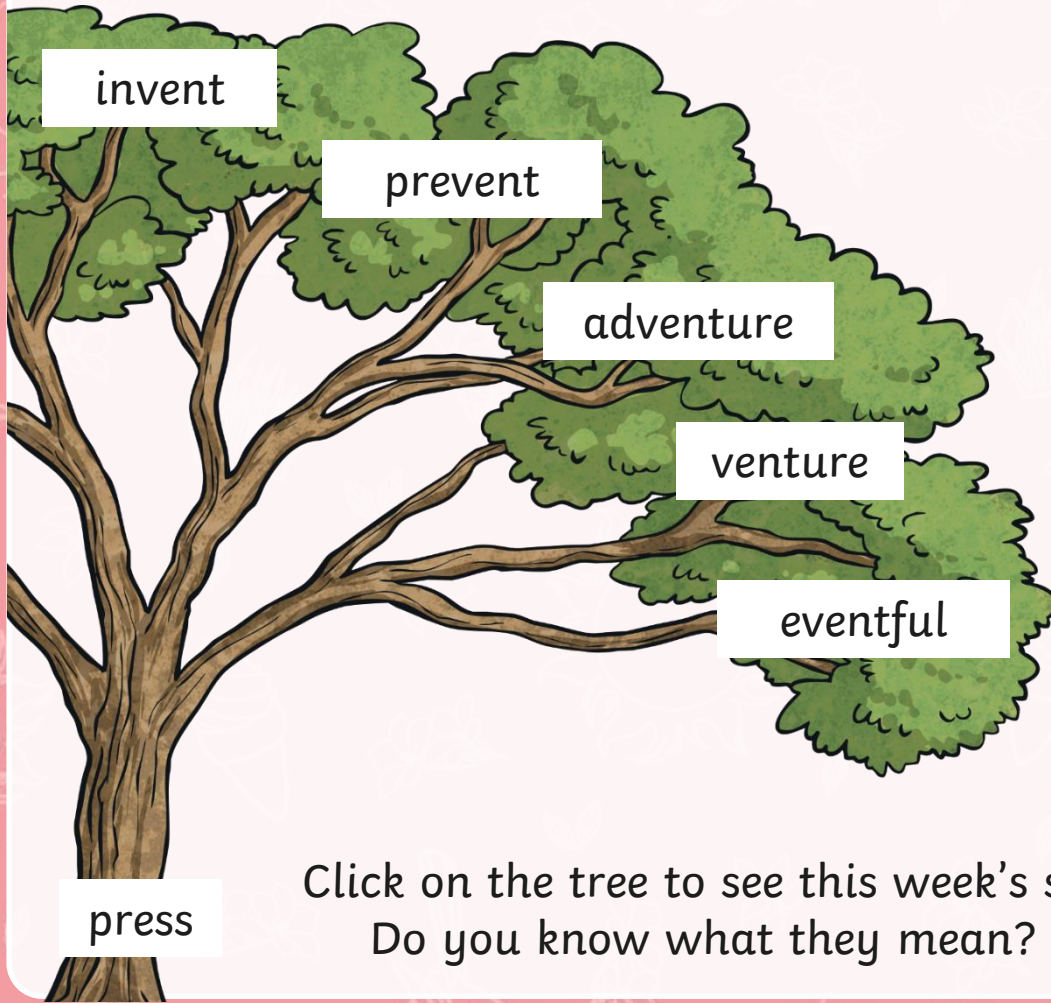
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How many words can you and your partner think of containing the root word '**press**'? You have 3 minutes.



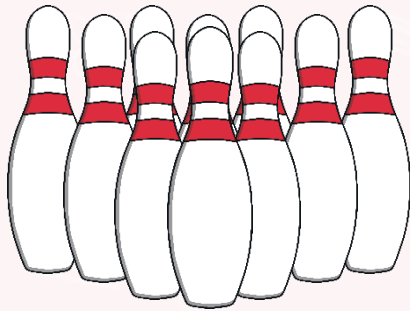
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Do you know what they mean? Use a dictionary to check.

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Let's play 'Ten Strikes and You're Out!' Click on the letters that you think are missing to try to make the contracted word in the sentence. Every time you guess a letter incorrectly, press the 'Uh-oh' button to make a pin disappear! Can you guess all of the missing letters before you strike out?



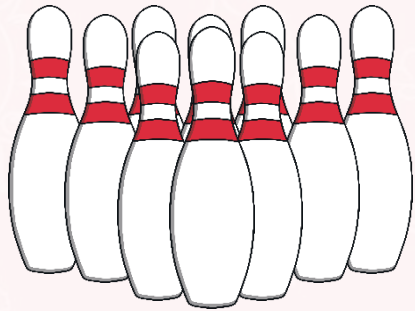
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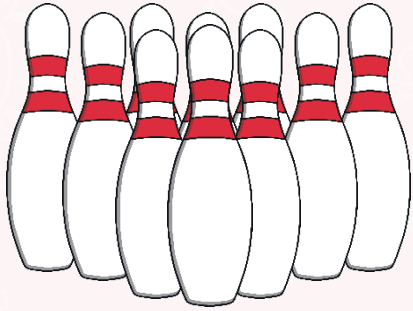


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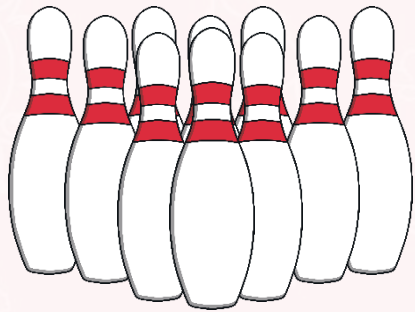


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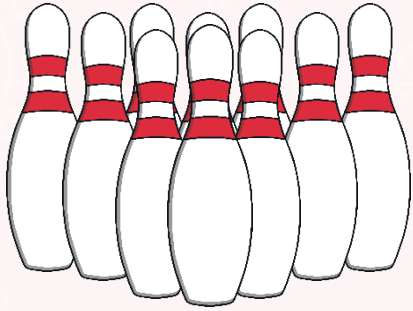
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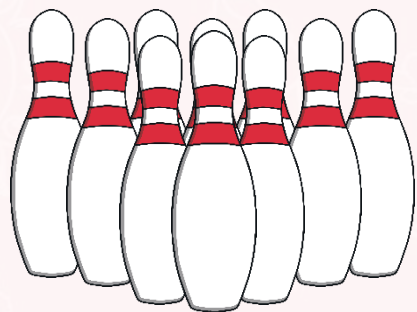


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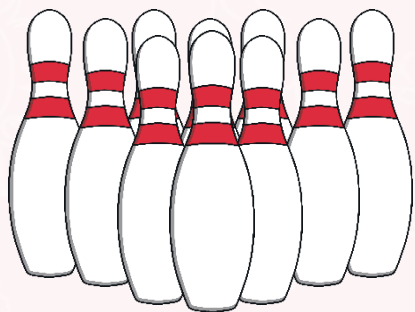


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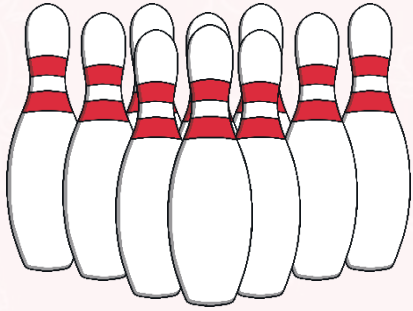


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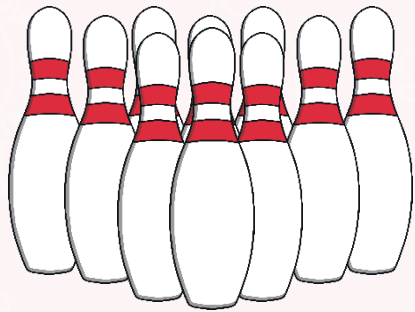


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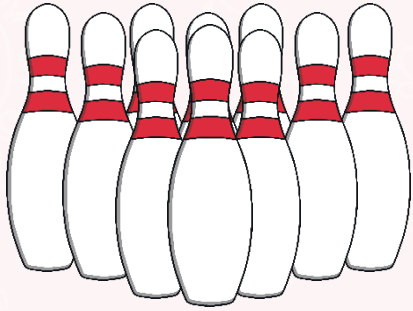


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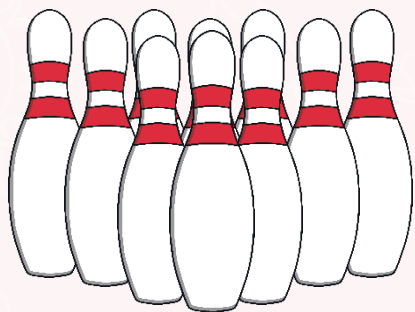


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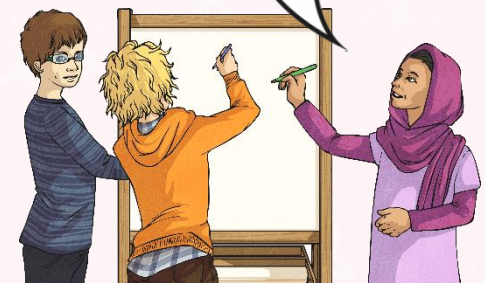
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Think about where the root word comes in each of this week's spelling words. Fill in this table on your own whiteboard. This will help you with this week's activity sheet.


\* The letter 'e' is a shortening of the prefix 'ex' meaning 'out of'.





Here are your spelling words for this week.

Work hard to practise these  
'press' and 'vent' word  
families spellings.



press

compress

impress

suppress

express

venture

adventure

prevent

eventful

invent



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