**Teacher Resources: Morphology Lesson Ideas**

The following lessons are further explained on the Monster PI website (www.worddetectives.com). These lesson ideas can help you respond to your student data – specifically the skills with which your students struggled in either full group lessons or small group interventions.

**Skill 1: Students can identify units of meaning**

**Lesson Idea 1: Flip-a-Chip**

*Purpose*: Use poker chops with roots, prefixes and suffixes to mix and match to create new words.

**Lesson Idea 2: BrainPop: Playing with Prefixes and Suffixes**

*Purpose:* Understand the function of root words, prefixes, and suffixes; create new words by adding prefixes and suffixes to root words.

**Skill 2: Students can use suffixes for syntactic information**

**Lesson Idea 1: Cloze Passages**

*Purpose*: Use context clues and grammar to adjust vocabulary words to fit the sentence

**Lesson idea 2: Roots into sentences**

*Purpose*: Help students recognize the syntactic roles of different words with like roots.

**Skill 3: Students an use morphology for meaning**

**Lesson Idea 1: Go Fish**

*Purpose*: Helps students build knowledge of word families/groups

**Lesson Idea 2: Deconstructing difficult words**

*Purpose*: Help students use all the tools available for accessing meaning while reading

**Skill 4: Student can use morphology for spelling and word identification**

**Lesson Idea 1: Where does it come from?**

*Purpose*: to help students learn about the history of words and word roots to better understand and spell words

**Lesson Idea 2: Sort It**

*Purpose*: to help students recognize patterns in spelling or pronunciation for morphologically complex words

This is a really helpful website – with many different lesson ideas, as well as overview of morphology: https://coe.uoregon.edu/cds/files/2011/09/Morphological-Intervention.pdf