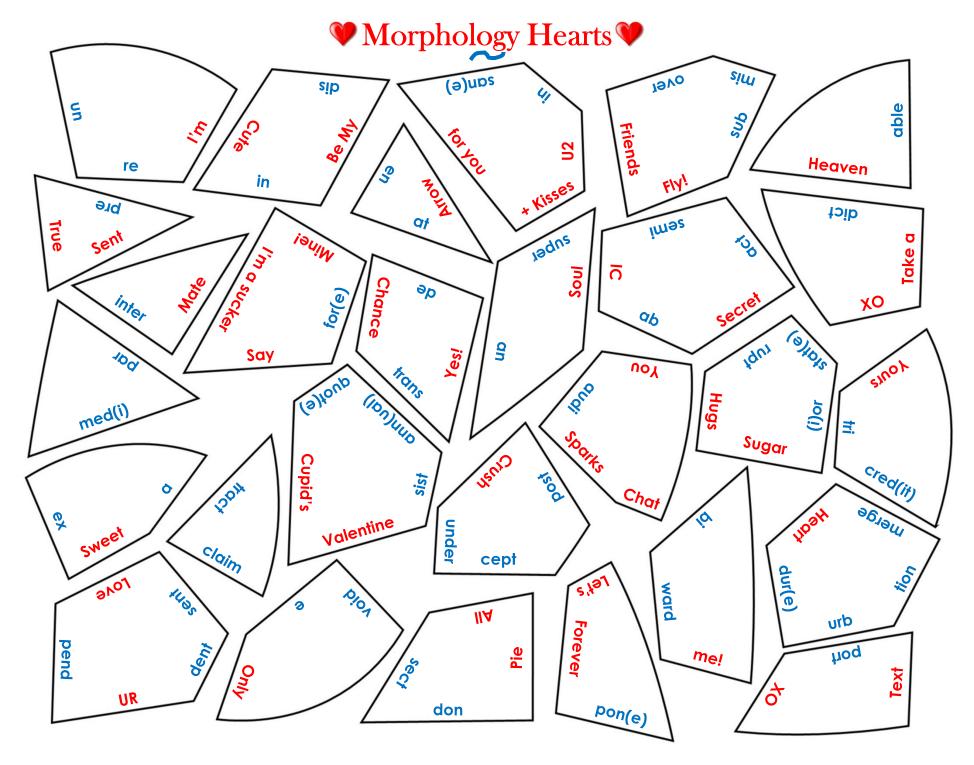


## **Directions**

- 1. Cut out the puzzle pieces, and place them face-up on a desk or table.
- 2. Put together the puzzle pieces to create a heart. Match the blue word parts to form words and the red words to form Valentine messages.
- 3. Write the definitions of the blue word parts on the back to quiz yourself.



## **Comprehensive Vocabulary Grade 4**

## Greek and Latin Word Parts and Definitions: Prefixes, Bases, and Suffixes

un (not) able (to be able to)

re (again) sent (feeling)
in (not) san(e) (health)
dis (away) cred(it) (belief)
en (in) dur(e) (hard)

at (toward) tract (pull or drag)

in (in or into) sist (to stand)

over (too much) act (do)

mis (wrong) quot (refer to)
sub (under) urb (city)
pre (before) dict (say)

inter (between) cept (to take hold)
for(e) (in front of) ward (direction)
de (from) pend (hang)
trans (across) port (carry)

super (higher in quality) or (a person who)

semi (half) ann(ual) (year)
par (equal) don (give)
med(i) (middle) an (relating to)

under (less than or beneath) stat(e) (position) audi (hear) tion (process or result)

tri (three) dent (tooth)
ex (out of) claim (declare)
a (not) void (empty)
post (after) pon(e) (put)
bi (two) sect (cut)

e (out or away) merge (dip or dive)

ab (from or off) rupt (break)

**Notes:** English often includes transition letters, indicated in parentheses, when combining Greek and Latin morphemes. The word parts listed here have been derived from frequency studies: White, Sowell, and Yanagihara (The Reading Teacher, 42, p. 306), Stahl, S.A. and Shiel, T.G., Reading and Writing Quarterly: Overcoming Learning Disabilities, 8, 223-241; Cooper (2000).