Word Building

Get ready to spell some words that have more than one morphograph.

1. First word: **thickest**.
   What is the first morphograph in **thickest**? (S) **thick**.
   What is the next morphograph in **thickest**? (S) **est**.
   Spell **thickest**. Get ready. (S)

2. Next word: **sorting**.
   What is the first morphograph in **sorting**? (S) **sort**.
   What is the next morphograph in **sorting**? (S) **ing**.
   Spell **sorting**. Get ready. (S)

3. (For **unpacking**, **report**, **crashing**, **respell**, **unborn**, and **unhappy**, have the students identify each morphograph and spell each entire word.)

4. Find Part B on your worksheet.
   You are going to write some of the words you just spelled.

5. First word: **crashing**. Write it.

6. Next word: **unhappy**. Write it.

7. (Repeat step 6 for **sorting** and **unpacking**.)

8. (Check spellings and have students rewrite any missed words.)