

Prefixes

Prefix	Meaning	Example
pre-	before	preschool
over-	too much, excessive	overexcited
re-	again	replay
mis-	wrong	mistake
dis-	not, no	dislike
un-	not	unhappy
non-	no, not	nonsense
bi-	two	bicycle
ex-	out of	export
com-	with, together	composition
in-	no, not, non	incorrect
im-	no, not, non	impatient
con-	with, together	conform
pro-	in support of, acting for	pronoun
ir-	not	irregular
il-	not	illegible
sub-	below, under	submarine
inter-	between	intergalactic
auto-	self	autograph
anti-	against	anticlockwise
super-	above, beyond	superhuman

Suffixes

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-ment	the action of	movement
-able	can be	adorable
-ion	the result of	creation
-ly	in a certain manner	lovely
-less	without	flawless
-ful	full of	painful
-ed	past tense	jumped
-ing	present tense	jumping
-s	plural	flowers
-es	plural	boxes
-ous	full of	nervous
-er	comparative 'more than'	lower
-est	comparative 'most'	lowest
-ness	state or quality	sadness
-ist	involved in	cyclist
-ic	describing a trait	magnetic
-en	to become, made of	woollen
-tion	make an abstract noun	pollution
-sion	make an abstract noun	division