

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 |

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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 |