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## Word Structure

### Common Roots

Stem	Meaning	Example
Ac, ag	Do	Agenda, action
Arch	Chief, rule	Archbishop
Agr	Farm	Agriculture, agrarian
Armor	Love	Amicable
Anima	Life, spirit	Animation, animal
Anthrop	Man	Anthropology
Aqua	Water	Aqueous
Aster	Star	Asterisk, astronomy
Auto	Self	Automatic, autobiography
Bio	Life	Biology, biography
Biblio	Book	Bibliophile
Brev	Short	Abbreviate, brevity
Cad, cas	Fall	Cadence, casual
Cant	Sing	Chant
Cap, cep	Take	Captive, accept
Capit	Head	Capital, capitulate
Carn	Flesh	Carnal, carnivorous
Cede, cess	Go	Proceed, access
Celer	Speed	Celerity
Chrome	Color	Chromosome
Chron	Time	Chronology
Cide, cis	Kill, cut	Suicide, incision
Civ	Citizen	Civic, civilian
Clud, clus	Close	Include, inclusion
Corp	Body	Corpse, corporation
Cosmo	World	Cosmic
Crat	Rule	Autocrat
Cred	Believe	Credible, credulous
Cur, curs	Run	Incur, incursion
Dent, dont	Tooth	Dental, indent
Dict	Say	Diction
Duct	Lead	induce

<b>Stem</b>	<b>Meaning</b>	<b>Example</b>
Eu	Well, happy	Eugenics
Fact, fect	Make	Factory, perfect
Fer, lat	Carry	Refer, dilate
Fringe, frac	Break	Infringe, fracture
Frater	Brother	Fraternal
Fund, fus	Pour	Refund, confuse
Gamos	Marriage	Monogamous
Ge	Earth	Geology
Gen	Origin, people	Progenitor
Graph	Write	Graphic
Greg	Group	Gregarious
Gress, grad	Move forward	Progress, degrade
Gyn	Women	Gynecologist
Homo	Man	Homicide
Home	Same	Homogeneous
Hydr	Water	Dehydrate
Ject	Throw	Reject
Jud	Right	Judicial
Junct	Join	Conjunction
Lect, leg	Read, choose	Collect, legend
Logy	Study of	Psychology
Loq, loc	Speak	Loquacious, interlocutory
Manu	Hand	Manuscript
Mand	Order	Remand
Mar	Sea	Maritime
Mater	Mother	Maternal
Med	Middle	Intermediary
Meter	Measure	Thermometer
Micro	Small	Microscope
Min	Lessen	Diminution
Mis, mit	send	Remit, dismiss
Mono	One	Monotony
Mort	Death	Mortician
Mote, mov	Move	Remote, remove

<b>Stem</b>	<b>Meaning</b>	<b>Example</b>
Naut	Sailor	Astronaut
Nom	Name	Nomenclature
Onomy	Science	Astronomy
Onym	Name	Synonym
Pater	Father	Paternity
Pathos	Feeling	Pathology
Ped, pod	Foot	Pedal, podiatrist
Pend	Hang	Depend
Philo	Love	Philosophy
Phobia	Fear	Hydrophobia
Phone	Sound	Telephone
Plic	Fold	Implicate
Port	Carry	Portable
Pos, pon	Put	Depose, component
Pseudo	False	Pseudonym
Psych	Mind	Psychic
Reg, rect	Rule	Regicide, direct
Rupt	Break	Eruption
Scope	See	Telescope
Scrib, scrip	Write	Inscribe, conscription
Sec	Cut	Dissect
Sed	Remain	Sedentary
Sequ	Follow	Sequential
Soph	Wisdom	Sophomore
spect	look	Inspect
spir	breathe	Conspire
stat	stand	Status
tact, tang	touch	Tactile, tangible
tele	far off	Telepathic
ten	hold	Retentive
term	end	terminal
Theo	God	Theology
Thermo	Heat	Thermostat
Vent	Come	Prevent

<b>Stem</b>	<b>Meaning</b>	<b>Example</b>
Vict	Conquer	Evict
Vid, vis	See	Video, revise
Voc	Call	Convocation
volv	roll	involve

### Common Prefixes

<b>Prefix</b>	<b>Meaning</b>	<b>Example</b>
A, ab	Away from	Amoral, absent
Ad, ac, ag, at	To	Advent, aggressive, attract
Ambi	Both	Ambiguous, ambidextrous
An	Without	Anarchy
Ante	Before	Antedate, anticipate
Anti	Against	Antipathy, antisocial
Bene	Well	Beneficent
Bi	Two	Bicameral, bicycle
Circum	Around	Circumspect
Co, col, com, con, cor	Together	Cooperate, concentrate
Contra	Against	Contradict, contraband
De	From, down	Descend, deduct
Dec	Ten	Decade, decimal
Dis, di	Apart, bad, wrong	Distract, divert, disorder
Em, en	To make	Embitter, enjoy
Ex, e	Out, from	Exit, emit
Extra	Beyond, outside	Extracurricular
Il, im, in, ir, un	Not	Incapable, impossible, illicit
Inter	Between, among	Interpose, international
Intra, intro, in	Within	Intramural, introspective
Mal	Bad	Malcontent
Mis	Wrong	Misnomer
Mono, uni	One	Monopoly, unicorn
Non	Not	Nonentity, nonchalant
Ob	against	Obstacle, object
Per	Through	Permeate
Peri	Around	Periscope
Poly	Many	Polytheism, polyglot

<b>Prefix</b>	<b>Meaning</b>	<b>Example</b>
Post	After	Post-mortem, postpone
Pre	Before	Premonition, preview
Pro	Forward	Propose, procession
Re	Again	Review, return
Se	Apart	Seduce
Semi/hemi/demi	Half	Semicircle, hemisphere
Sub	Under	Subconscious, submarine
Super	Above	Superimpose
Sui	Self	Suicide
Trans	across	Transpose
Tri	three	Triple, tripod
Vice	instead of	Vice-president

#### Common Suffixes

<b>Suffix</b>	<b>Meaning</b>	<b>Example</b>
Able, ible	Capable of being	Capable, reversible
Age	State of	Storage
Ance	Relating to	Reliance
Ary	Relating to	Dictionary
Ate	Act	Confiscate
Ation	Action	Radiation
Cy	Quality	Democracy
Ence	Relating to	Confidence
Er	One who	Adviser
Ic	Pertaining to	Democratic
Ious	Full of	Rebellious
Ize	To make like	Harmonize
Ment	Result	Filament
ty	condition	sanity

## Mini-Test

**Directions: Complete each sentence by filling in the blank with the correct word.**

1. The hunters will.....the farmer for shooting his dog. (compensation)
2. After the death of the owner, the company went into.....(bankrupt)
3. With the discovery of oil, the Indian became.....rich. (fantastic)
4. After John broke his arm, he wrote.....for several months. (illegible)
5. The country will try to .....their differences. (reconciliation)
6. Engineers and doctors are.....people. (profession)
7. The city has not reported a single .....this year. (fatal)
8. A surgeon must be.....and sure. (deftness)
9. A librarian's handwriting should be .....(illegible)
10. Wealth is no.....of happiness. (guarantee)

**Directions: The italicized words in the sentences that follow contain the prefixes you have just studied.**

**Figure out the meaning of each word.**

1. Someone with a *subnormal* temperature has a temperature that is.....
  1. not able to be taken
  2. higher than normal
  3. the same as normal
  4. below normal
2. Some ship owners planned *antiunion* measures in an attempt to.....
  1. prevent a union
  2. ignore a union
  3. establish a union
  4. below normal
3. If you *misinterpret* an article you have read, you.....
  1. explain it logically
  2. understand it wrongly
  3. explain it in detail
  4. forget about it
4. A person who is *illogical* is.....
  1. unhealthy
  2. quick to anger
  3. not thinking clearly
  4. cool and convincing
5. Football teams lined up *midfield* are.....
  1. near the end zone
  2. in the center of the playing area
  3. in a vacant lot
  4. just beginning the game
6. An *extralegal* action is one.....
  1. outside the control of the law
  2. done without knowledge of the law
  3. supported by the law
  4. performed by a lawyer

7. To **collocate** all the cans of beans in a storeroom is to.....
1. take an inventory
  2. separate by size
  3. place items side by side
  4. prepare for delivery
8. If your vacation plans need to be **rescheduled**, you must.....
1. arrange for different travel times
  2. be exactly on time
  3. decide where you want to go
  4. call off your trip
9. If you are at disadvantage, you are.....
1. in an unfavorable position
  2. enjoying your good luck
  3. unaware of your difficulties
  4. in extreme danger
10. A premeditated murder is one that.....
1. occurred accidentally
  2. is kept out of the news
  3. actually didn't take place
  4. is planned in advance
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