Prefixes with Root Word and Examples

No.	Prefix	Meaning	Root Word	3 Examples
1	Un-	Not	Happy	Unhappy, unfair, unusual
2	Dis-	Opposite/not	Agree	Disagree, dislike, disappear
3	Re-	Again	Write	Rewrite, rebuild, reconsider
4	Mis-	Wrongly	Understand	Misunderstand, misbehave, mislead
5	Pre-	Before	View	Preview, preheat, predict
6	Over-	Too much	Cook	Overcook, overreact, overestimate
7	Under-	Too little/below	Develop	Underdevelop, underestimate, underpaid
8	Inter-	Between	National	International, interact, interconnect
9	Sub-	Below	Marine	Submarine, substandard, subheading
10	Anti-	Against	Social	Antisocial, antibiotic, antiwar
11	Auto-	Self	Biography	Autobiography, automatic, automobile
12	Non-	Not	Fiction	Non-fiction, nonverbal, nonessential
13	De-	Reverse/remove	Activate	Deactivate, defrost, decompose
14	In-	Not	Accurate	Inaccurate, invisible, incomplete
15	Im-	Not	Possible	Impossible, impatient, imperfect
16	Ir-	Not	Regular	Irregular, irrelevant, irresponsible
17	Co-	Together	Operate	Cooperate, coauthor, coexist
18	Trans-	Across	Port	Transport, transfer, transform
19	Bi-	Two	Cycle	Bicycle, bilingual, bilateral
20	Super-	Above/beyond	Human	Superhuman, supernatural, superstar

Suffixes with Root Words and Examples

No.	Suffix	Meaning/Function	Root Word	3 Examples
1	-ful	Full of	Beauty	Beautiful, careful, powerful
2	-less	Without	Hope	Hopeless, careless, fearless
3	-ment	State/action	Develop	Development, achievement, agreement
4	-ness	State/quality	Kind	Kindness, darkness, weakness
5	-able	Can be	Comfort	Comfortable, readable, washable
6	-ible	Capable of	Access	Accessible, flexible, visible
7	-tion	Action/process	Educate	Education, invention, celebration
8	-sion	Action/process	Decide	Decision, confusion, expansion
9	-ity	State/quality	Active	Activity, creativity, equality
10	-ous	Full of	Danger	Dangerous, courageous, poisonous
11	-ive	Having a quality	Create	Creative, active, attractive
12	-ly	In a manner	Quick	Quickly, carefully, honestly
13	-er	A person who	Teach	Teacher, writer, performer
14	-or	A person who	Act	Actor, inventor, visitor
15	-ist	A person who practises	Science	Scientist, artist, journalist
16	-al	Relating to	Nature	Natural, personal, cultural
17	-ic	Relating to	Hero	Heroic, historic, scientific
18	-ize	To make/become	Modern	Modernize, organize, realize
19	-en	To make/become	Strength	Strengthen, widen, sharpen
20	-hood	State/condition	Child	Childhood, neighbourhood, brotherhood