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Prefixes, roots, and suffixes

Prefixes

- Not or without:
  - **a-, an-, in-, non-, un-:** not
  - **dis-:** opposite of
  - **pseudo-:** false
  - **mal-, mis-:** bad, wrong
- Numbers:
  - **mono-, uni-:** one
  - **bi-, di-:** two
  - **tri-:** three
  - **quad-:** four
  - **pent-, quin-:** five
  - **hex-:** six
  - **sept-:** seven
  - **oct-:** eight
  - **deca-:** ten
  - **cent-:** hundred
- Size and amount:
  - **macro-, mega-:** large
  - **micro-, min-:** small
  - **multi-, poly-:** many
  - **omni-, pan-:** all
  - **ambi-, amphi-:** both
  - **hemi-, semi-:** half
  - **hyper-:** excessive, more
  - **hypo-:** less, under
- Position and direction:
  - **anti-, contra-:** against
  - **circum-, peri-:** around
  - **ab-, de-:** away from
  - **ad-:** toward
  - **ante-, fore-, pre-:** before
  - **post-:** after, behind
  - **sub-:** under, below
  - **super-:** above
  - **inter-:** between
  - **intra-:** within
  - **ex-:** out, from
  - **extra-:** outside
  - **em-, en-:** inside
  - **trans-:** across
  - **pro-:** forward
  - **retro-:** backward
  - **para-:** next to
  - **se-:** apart
- Together, same and different:
  - **co-, sym-, syn-:** together
  - **homo-:** same
  - **hetero-:** different
  - **dys-:** abnormal, difficult
- Time and order:
  - **re-:** again, back
  - **neo-:** new
  - **prot-:** first

Suffixes

- People:
  - **-er, -or:** person who does
  - **-ee:** person who receives
  - **-ist:** specialist
  - **-ian:** skilled person
- Qualities:
  - **-able, -ible:** capable of
  - **-ful:** full of
  - **-less:** without
  - **-ous:** having the quality of
  - **-ive:** having the nature of
  - **-al, -ic, -ary:** relating to
  - **-ness, -ity, -tude:** state of
  - **-ly:** in a way
- Actions and results:
  - **-ate:** state or quality of; often a verb
  - **-ify, -ize, -en:** to make, become
  - **-tion, -sion:** act or state of
  - **-ment, -ance:** act or result of
- Fields and beliefs:
  - **-logy:** study of
  - **-ism:** belief
  - **-cracy:** government
  - **-cide:** killing
  - **-itis:** inflammation
  - **-osis:** disease
- Likeness and degree:
  - **-oid, -ish:** resembling
  - **-esque:** in the style of
  - **-er:** more (comparative)
  - **-est:** most

Roots

- People and society:
  - **am, phil:** love
  - **anthro:** human
  - **auto:** self
  - **dem:** people
  - **civ:** citizen
  - **urb, polis:** city
  - **cred, fi:** believe, faith
  - **crat, reg:** rule
  - **jur:** law
  - **culp:** blame
  - **theo:** god
  - **ver:** truth
- Body and senses:
  - **bio, vi, anim:** life
  - **mor:** death
  - **card:** heart
  - **corp:** body
  - **derm:** skin
  - **manu:** hand
  - **ped, pod:** foot
  - **psych:** mind
  - **path:** feeling; disease
  - **spec, vis:** look, see
  - **phon:** sound
  - **dorm, somn:** sleep
- Nature:
  - **aqua, hydr:** water
  - **geo, terr:** earth, land
  - **photo, lum:** light
  - **therm:** heat
  - **pyr:** fire
  - **astro:** star
  - **chrom:** color
  - **tox:** poison
- Time and change:
  - **chron:** time
  - **ann, enn:** year
  - **gen, nat:** birth
  - **morph:** shape
  - **mut:** change
  - **fin:** end
- Movement:
  - **duc:** lead
  - **fer:** bring
  - **port:** carry
  - **ject:** throw
  - **tract:** pull
  - **pel:** drive
  - **mis, mit:** send
  - **vert, volv:** turn
  - **grad:** step
  - **fug:** flee
  - **cap:** take
  - **cur:** run
  - **sta:** stand
  - **ven:** move toward
- Language and knowledge:
  - **dict, loqu, lex:** say, speak
  - **scrib, gram:** write
  - **cogn, gno, sci:** know
  - **voc:** call
  - **log:** reason
  - **doc:** teach
  - **que, rog:** ask
  - **mon:** remind, warn
- Qualities and making:
  - **bene:** good
  - **fort, val:** strength
  - **brev:** short
  - **crypt:** hidden
  - **liber:** free
  - **rect:** straight
  - **fac:** make
  - **struct:** build
  - **frac:** break
  - **tain:** hold
  - **cis:** cut
  - **belli, pug:** war, fight
  - **dur:** hard, lasting
  - **sum:** total
  - **null, nihil:** nothing
  - **ult:** last