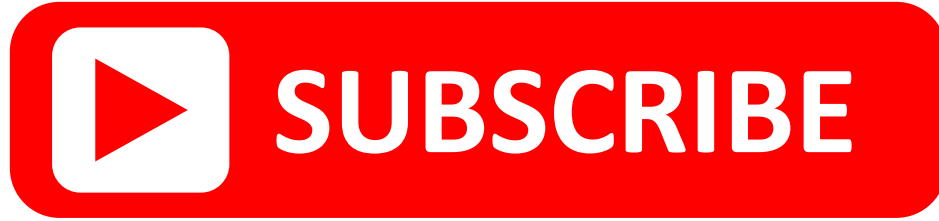


# Prefixes and Suffixes



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# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Affixes

Letters or group of letters that are added to the word to form a new word with new meanings. Affixes may be added to the start of word or in the end of word.

**Teach + er = Teacher**

**Im + Possible = Impossible**

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Prefixes

Letters or group of letters that are added to the beginning of a word to form a new word which usually have different meanings.

**Im** + **Possible** = **Impossible**

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Prefixes

Un, dis, de, pre, re, ir, im, il, in, over, out, up, sub, pro, fore, mis, ante, auto, extra, be, bi, ex, co, inter, tri, anti, under, up, over etc

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Suffixes

Letters or group of letters that are added to the end of a word to form a new word which usually have different meanings.

**Teach + er = Teacher**

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Suffixes

**S, es, d, ed, ing, y, ly, ish, er, est, ness, less, hood, ful, ship, age, dom, ion etc**

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix UN

- un + kind = unkind
- un + pack = unpack
- un + do = undo



# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix DIS

- Dis + honor = dishonor
- Dis + like = dislike
- Dis + agree = disagree

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix DE

- De + grade = degrade
- De + forest = deforest
- De + form = deform

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix IM

- Im + possible = impossible
- Im + mortal = immortal
- Im + proper = improper

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix PRE

- Pre + caution = precaution
- Pre + mature = premature
- Pre + fix = prefix

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix RE

- Re + collect = recollect
- Re + gain = regain
- Re + call = recall

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix IR

- Ir + relevant = irrelevant
- Ir + regular = irregular
- Ir + responsible = irresponsible

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix IN

- In + sane = insane
- In + direct = indirect
- In + door = indoor

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix ILL

- Ill + legal = illegal
- Ill + literate = illiterate
- Ill + legible = illegible



# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix EXTRA

- Extra + ordinary = extraordinary
- Extra + cellular = extracellular
- Extra + galactic = extragalactic

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix BE

- Be + yound = beyond
- Be + cause = because
- Be + long = belong

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix BI

- Bi + cycle = bicycle
- Bi + lingual = bilingual
- Bi + angular = biangular

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix CO

- Co + operate = cooperate
- Co + pilot = copilot
- Co + worker = coworker

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix TRI

- Tri + angle = triangle
- Tri + cycle = tricycle
- Tri + pod = tripod

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Prefixes

### Use of Prefix FORE

- Fore + see = foresee
- Fore + father = forefather
- Fore + shadow = foreshadow

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Suffixes

### Use of Suffix S

- Laptop + s = laptops
- Cow + s = cows
- Cat + s = cats

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Suffixes

### Use of Suffix ES

- Box + s = boxes
- Rich + es = riches
- Loss + es = losses



# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Suffixes

### Use of Suffix D

- Dare + d = dared
- Prove + d = proved
- Face + d = faced

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Suffixes

### Use of Suffix ED

- Work + ed = worked
- Talk + ed = talked
- Play + ed = played

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Suffixes

### Use of Suffix EN

- Beat + en = beaten
- Strength + en = strengthen
- Fast + en = fasten

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Suffixes

### Use of Suffix ING

- Eat + ing = eating
- Work + ing = working
- Do + ing = doing

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Suffixes

### Use of Suffix Y

- Dirt + y = dirty
- Water + y = watery
- Silk + y = silky

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Suffixes

### Use of Suffix LY

- Slow + ly = slowly
- Soft + ly = softly
- Honest + ly = honestly

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Suffixes

### Use of Suffix ER

- Small + er = smaller
- Teach + er = teacher
- Work + er = worker

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Suffixes

### Use of Suffix EST

- Small + est = smallest
- Big + est = biggest
- Tall + est = tallest



# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Suffixes

### Use of Suffix ISH

- Child + ish = childish
- Fool + ish = foolish
- Cold + ish = coldish

# Prefixes and Suffixes

## Examples of Suffixes

### Use of Suffix FULL

- Harm + full = harmful
- Beauty + full = beautiful
- Care + full = careful

# Prefixes Worksheet

Fill in the blanks with **words** formed by adding **Prefixes** to word given in brackets

1. Nayab always.....with whatever anybody else says (Agree)
2. Ahmed.....his suitcase and took out his clothes (Packed)
3. He was so weak that it was.....for him to work more (Possible)
4. We usually refer to a.....thing as "it" (Living)
5. Salim was so nervous that he answered all the questions..... (Correctly)

# Suffixes Worksheet

Fill in the blanks with **words** formed by adding **Suffixes** to word given in brackets

1. You must be.....while crossing road (Care)
2. Mosquito is a.....of many diseases (Carry)
3. Hamid can run.....than Ali (Fast)
4. Fire burnt the whole town and made many people.....(Home)
5. Some snakes are quite..... (Harm)

Thank You