

PREFIX AND SUFFIXES

with Example Word

Word Part	Meaning	Example
nov	new	novice, renovate, novelty
null	none	nullify, nullification, nulliparity
numer	number	numeral, numerical, enumerate, numerous
photo	light	photograph, photogenic, photosynthesis
phyt	plant, to grow	hydrophyte, neophyte
ocu	eye, sight	oculist, binoculars, monocular
omni	all	omnipotent, omniscient, omnivorous
pop	people	population, popular
port	carry	portable, deport, portal
pos	put, place	position, compose, deposit
osteo	bone	osteoporosis, osteoarthritis
ous	having	adventurous, hazardous, nauseous, joyous
out	beyond, surpass, exceed	outgoing, outdoor, outside, outlive
psyche	mind, spirit	psychology, psychic
pugn (pung)	to fight	pugnacious, repugnant, pungent
pul	urge	compulsion, impulsive, expulsion
purg	clean	purge, purgatory, expurgate
pyr	fire	pyromaniac, pyrogen
path	feeling, disease	pathogen, sympathetic, psychopath
pel (puls)	drive, push	dispel, repulse, compel, compulsion
ped	foot, kid	pedestrian, pedometer, pediatrician
re	again	rebuild, renew, restart, reflect
reg	guide, rules	regulate, regular, regent, regime
retro	back, backward	retroactive, retrospect, retrograde