pre-

PREFIX

◀

Means: before

pre + view → preview

pre + dict → predict

pre + pare → prepare



post-

PREFIX

▶

Means: after

post + war → postwar

post + game → postgame

post + pone → postpone



per-

PREFIX

↔

Means: through or completely in some words

per + form → perform

per + sist → persist

per + mit → permit



pro-

PREFIX / WORD PART

↑

Means: forward, or in favour of, in some words

pro + pel → propel

pro + gress → progress

pro + mote → promote



non-

PREFIX

✕

Means: not

non + stop → nonstop

non + fict + ion → nonfiction

non + stick → nonstick



dis-

PREFIX

↩

Means: not, or the opposite of

dis + like → dislike

dis + agree → disagree

dis + able → disable



sub-

PREFIX

↓

Means: under, below or a smaller part

sub + head + ing → subheading

sub + sect + ion → subsection

sub + zero → subzero



super-

PREFIX

★

Means: above, beyond or very great

super + hero → superhero

super + power → superpower

super + sonic → supersonic



inter-

PREFIX

↔

Means: between or among

inter + city → intercity

inter + act → interact

inter + nate + ion + al → international



anti-

PREFIX

∅

Means: against or preventing

anti + soc + ial → antisocial

anti + sept + ic → antiseptic

anti + clock + wise → anticlockwise

auto-

PREFIX

⊙

Means: self or by itself

auto + bio + graph + y → autobiography

auto + pilot → autopilot

auto + graph → autograph

under-

PREFIX

↓

Means: below, or not enough

under + stand → understand

under + cook → undercook

under + weight → underweight

over-

PREFIX

↑

Means: too much, above or beyond

over + cook → overcook

over + heat → overheat

over + react → overreact

extra-

PREFIX

+

Means: outside or beyond

extra + ord + in +ary → extra-ordinary

extra + neous→ extraneous

semi-

PREFIX

◐

Means: half or partly

semi + circle → semicircle

semi + fin + al → semifinal

semi + con+ sci + ous → semiconscious

mid-

PREFIX

◆

Means: middle

mid + night → midnight

mid + point → midpoint

mid + winter → midwinter

equ(i)

BASE

=

Means: equal

equ + al → equal

equ + ate → equate

equi + dist + ant → equidistant

light

BASE

☀

Means: brightness, or not heavy

light + er → lighter

light + est → lightest

day + light → daylight

clean

BASE

✦

Means: not dirty; to remove dirt

clean + ed → cleaned

clean + er → cleaner

un + clean → unclean

break

BASE

ϟ

Means: to split, stop or damage

break + ing → breaking

break + able → breakable

un + break + able → unbreakable

care

BASE

♥

Means: to look after, or to feel concern

care + ing → caring

care + less → careless

care + ful → careful

-age

SUFFIX

Means: a result, amount or collection

drain + age → drainage

store + age → storage

break + age → breakage

-ion

SUFFIX

Means: an action, process or result

act + ion → action

in + vent + ion → invention

com + plete + ion → completion

-ian

SUFFIX

Means: a person connected with a job or subject

music + ian → musician

magic + ian → magician

electric + ian → electrician

-er

SUFFIX

Means: a person who does something

run + er → runner

teach + er → teacher

build + er → builder

-ant

SUFFIX

Means: a person or a describing-word ending

assist + ant → assistant

ob + serve + ant → observant

toler + ant → tolerant

-ent

SUFFIX

Means: a person or a describing-word ending

re + side + ent → resident

obey + ent → obedient

dif + fer + ent → different

-or

SUFFIX

Means: *a person or thing that does something*

act + or → actor

in + vent + or → inventor

con + duct + or → conductor



-ist

SUFFIX

Means: *a person connected with an activity, subject or belief*

art + ist → artist

piano + ist → pianist

novel + ist → novelist



-ure

SUFFIX

Means: the result of.

nate + ure → nature

press + ure → **pressure**

meas + ure → measure

