Prefix / **Root** /*Suffix*

a, an – not

ab, abs -- away, from

*able, ible* – able, can do

**acou** – hear, sound

**act** – go, do

*acy* – condition of (lunacy)

ad – to toward

**ag** – do, act (agenda)

age – state of

*al* – like, pertaining to

ambi, amphi – both

*an* – related to

*ance, ancy* – state of

**ann, enn** – year

*ant* – one who (assistant)

ant, anti, apo – against

ante – before

**anthro** – man, human being

apo – away, against

**apt – ept** – fit

**aqua, aqui** – water

*ar* – one who (liar)

**arch** – first

*ary* –related to, place where

*ate* – to make

**aud**, audi – hear

**auto** – self

**bell** – war

bene – good

bi – two

Prefix **/ Root /** *Suffix*

**bio** – life

bon – good, well (bonus)

calor – heat (calorie)

**cap, capit** – head, seize

**carn** – body, flesh

cata – down, away from

**caust** – burn

**ced, cede, cess** – go, separate, withdraw

cent – hundred

**cep, cept** – take, receive

**chron** – time

**cid, cis** – cut (scissors, homicide)

cir, circum – around

**clam, claim** – cry out

**clud, clus** – shut (exclude)

co, col, com, con – with together

cogn – know

contra, counter – against

**cor, cour, cord, card** – heart

counter – against

crat, *cracy* – rule, power, government

creat – create

cred – believe

*cule* – very small

**curr, curs** – run, course

**cus, cuse, cause** – cause, motive

**cycl** – circle

Prefix / **Root** / Suffix

**dai, dia** – day

de – away from, down

dec, deci, deca – ten

**dem, demo** – people

**dent, don** – teeth

**dict** – say

dis – away

**doc** – teach

**dom** – rule, power

**dorm** – sleep

du – two

**duc** – lead (educate)

**dyna, dynamo** – power

e, ec, ef – out of, outside

*ee* – one who

*en*, em – in, into, quality of

*ence, ency* – state of

*ent* – one who

epi – beside, among

equi – equal

*er* – one who

*ery* – place where, practice, occupation (stationery)

ex – out of

extra, exter – outside, excessive

**fect, fic, fac** – make

**fed, feder, fid** – faith, trust

**fin** – end

**fix** – attach, fasten

**flam** – fire

**flex, flect** – bend

Prefix **/ Root / Suffix**

**flu** – flow

for – against, away (forbid)

**form** – shape, form

**fort, forc** – strong

**frag, fract** – break, shatter

*ful* – full of

**fum** – smoke

*fy, ify* – to make

**gen**,– birth, origin, kind of

**geo** – land, earth

**gni, gno** – learn (cognition)

**grad, gress** – move forward, step

**graph, gram** – write

**grat** – please

**grav** – heavy, weight

**greg** – group, crowd

**hab** – live

**habit, hibit** – have, hold

hemi – half (hemisphere)

heter – different (heterogeneous)

hexa – six

*hood* – state of

**hosp, host** – guest, host

**hum** – man

holo – whole (holocaust)

hom, homo – same

**hydr** – sea, water

**hypno** – sleep

hyp, hypo – under

*ic* – like

Prefix **/ Root / Suffix**

*ical* – like

**ign** – fire

*il, ile* – capable of being

il, ir – not

in, im – in, into

*ine* – like, pertaining to

**intellect, intellig** – power to know

inter – between, among

intra, intro – in, into

intro – into

*ish* – like, resembling

*ist* – one who

*ity* – state of

**ive** – like

*ize* – make

**jour** – day

**jud, jur, jus** – law, justice

**junct** – join

**ject** – throw

kilo – thousand

**labor** – work

**lav** – wash

**leg** – law (legislate)

*less* – without

**lev** – light

**liber, liver** – free

*ling* – small

**lit, liter, letter** – letter

**loc, logi, loqu** – speak, talk

Prefix **/ Root / Suffix**

**loc** – place

*logy* – see ology

**luc, lum** – light

*ly* – like, resembling

**magn, magni** – great

mal, male – bad

**man** – hand, manual

**mar, mer** – sea, water

**mater, matri** – mother

**maxi** – large, great, long

medi – middle

mega – large, great

**mem** – memory

**mens** – measure

*ment* – state of, act of

meta – change, after, beyond

**meter** – measure

**micro**, min – small

mill – thousand

**migra** – wander (emigrant)

**min** – small

**mis, mit** – send

**mob, mot, mov** – move

**monstr** – show

mono – one

mor, mort, mori – death

multi – many

**nat** – birth

neo, nov – new

*ness* – act of, state of

non – not

**noct** -- night

Prefix **/ Root / Suffix**

**nov**, non – nine

**nunci, nounce** – warn, declare

ob – against

oct, octo – eight

oid – like, resembling

*ology* – study of

*or* – one who

*ory* – place where, related to, quality

*ose, ous* – full of, excessive like, characterized by

**ora** – speak

**orb** – circle

ortho – straight, right (orthodontics)

**oper** – work

omni – all

of – against (offend)

**pac** – peace

pan – all (panorama)

**pater, part** – father

para – beside, beyond

**ped, pod** – foot

pend – hang, weigh

penta – five

ped – child (pedagogy)

**pel, pulse** – move or drive

per – through (perception)

peri – around (perimeter)

**phil** – love

**phon, phono** – sound

Prefix **/ Root / Suffix**

**photo** – light

**pict** – paint

**pli, ply, plex** – fold

plu – more

pre – before

**pri,** proto – first

pro – before, forward

poly – many

**pop** – people

**port** – bring, carry

post – after

**punct** – point

**pyro** – fire

quad, quar – four

**quer, ques, quir, quis** – ask

quint – five

re – back, again

retro – backwards

**rect** – straight

**ridi, risi** – laugh

**rog** – ask, seek

**rot** – turn, wheel

*ry* – stat of

**sat** – enough (satisfy)

**sacer, sacr, sanct** – holy

**sci** – know

**scrib, scrip** – write, writing

scop, **scrut** – see, look

se – back, again (secede)

sec – six

**sect** -- cut

semi – half

Prefix **/ Root / Suffix**

sens – think, feel, perceive

sept, septem – seven

sex – six

**simil, simul** – like

**sist** – stand

*ship* – state of

*sion* – act of, state of

*some* – like, resembling

**somn, spoor** – sleep

**son** – sound

**soph** – wise, wisdom (philosopher)

**spec, spic** – see, look

scope – see, look

spond, spons – answer, pledge

sub – below

**sume, sumpt** – take, receive

**sta, stab, stat** – stand

**struct, stru** – build

super, supr, sur – over

syn, sym – with, together

**tact, tang** – touch

**techni** – skill

**tag, tig** – touch

tele – far distance

**ten, tin, tain** – hold

**temper** – temperature

**tempo** – time

**tend, tens, tent** – stretch

**term** – end

**terr** – land, earth

Prefix **/ Root / Suffix**

**test** – bear witness

**text** – weave

**the, theo** – god

**therm** – heat

*tion* – state of, act of

tri – three

**trib** – pay, bestow

**tort, tors** – twist

**tract** – pull, draw

trans – across, over

**tui, tut** – teach (tutor)

*tude* – condition of

*ure* – condition of

un – not

uni – one

**vac** – empty

**vali, valu** – strength, worth

**ven, vent** – come (advent)

**ver** – true

**vert, vers** – turn

**vinc, vict** – conquer

**vis, vid** – see, look

**vit, viv** – life

**voc, vok** – speak, voice, call

**volcan, vul** – burn

**volu, volv** – turn around (revolve)

**vor** – eat

wel – good

*y* – inclined to, related to