

Test : Prefix and Suffix

Part A: Complete the correct prefix; mis, un, il, ir, im, dis or un.

1. Tennis umpires often _____pronounced Martina Navratilova's name during the Wimbledon championships.
2. The Queen _____veiled a memorial statue to over 55,000 airmen yesterday.
3. People who can neither read nor write are termed _____literate.
4. Smoking while pregnant is _____responsible and puts the child at risk of illness.
5. In Japan it's considered very _____polite to blow your nose in public.
6. The cyclist was _____qualified from the race after failing a drugs test.
7. Food which cannot be eaten is _____edible.
8. The electrical appliance should be _____connected from the mains supply before the back is removed.
9. If we prove that a theory is wrong, we say that we have _____proved it.
10. Stealing and lying are _____honest things to do.

Part B: Use the word given in the blank to form a word that fits in the gap.

Each year, EV magazine hosts a skyscraper design (1)_____ (compete). Most entrants imagine giant buildings taller than anything under construction today. However, the most (2) _____ (impress) entry this year went the opposite route. Malaysian designer Sarly Adre bin Sarkum's (3)_____ (solve) to the problem of conceiving a different kind of development was to drop his building straight downwards into the sea. He deliberately designed it to contrast with the skyscrapers that make up most of the entries, and to highlight sustainable (4)_____ (architect)

His Self-sufficient 'water-scraper' would be similar in height to the Empire State Building, but with only a couple of storeys above the sea's surface. Wind, solar, and wave power would provide energy and a green space containing forests and (5) _____ (agriculture) areas at the top would provide food and oxygen. Living and work areas would be below the sea's surface. The structure would be kept level by giant tentacles. The tentacles would also generate electricity through ocean (6) _____ (move)

No-one is building anything like this now but it is (7) _____ (possible) to be certain of what our future (8) _____ (accommodate) needs will be. Land will become scarcer as population (9) _____ (grow) accelerates and, since approximately 70% of the Earth's surface is ocean, cities in the sea may one day be a (10) _____ (necessary).