

PREFIXES

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|-------------------|---------|-----------------------------|
| 1) outnumber | out - | more than/ many |
| 2) monolingual | mono - | again |
| 3) rebuilt | re - | wrongly |
| 4) ill-treated | ill - | one |
| 5) multitasking | multi- | not enough |
| 6) misunderstood | mis - | above average |
| 7) antivirus | anti - | by yourself, itself |
| 8) deforestation | de - | extremely small |
| 9) upgraded | up - | two/ twice |
| 10) postgraduate | post - | together |
| 11) precondition | pre- | below |
| 12) oversleep | over - | between |
| 13) bilingual | bi - | against |
| 14) coworker | co - | badly |
| 15) subtitled | sub - | remove or reduce |
| 16) international | inter - | after |
| 17) underpaid | under - | before |
| 18) superhuman | super - | too much |
| 19) autograph | auto- | outside/ not inside /bigger |
| 20) microorganism | micro - | higher/ towards the up |

Complete the sentences using prefixes:

- I completely _____ Alan. I thought he was self-centred, but I see I was wrong. **judge**
- This paragraph in your essay is rather unclear. I advise you to _____ it. **write**
- I can't read my doctor's handwriting. It's completely _____. **legible**
- Having to take care of my sister's dogs while she's on holiday is terribly _____. **convenient**
- The police have promised to tackle _____ behaviour in city centres. **social**
- The expedition failed because they were _____. **equip**
- It's going to be an _____ struggle to motivate the team after last week's defeat. **hill**
- Food poisoning from _____ meat can be very serious. **cook**