



Unit 4

A **prefix** is a word part that comes before a base word or another word part. A prefix changes a word's meaning.

The prefix **fore-** means "before." The prefix **tele-** means "distant."

Add the prefix **fore-** or **tele-** to complete each word. Then complete each sentence with a word from the box. Use a dictionary if necessary.

_____ see	_____ sight	_____ word	_____ thon
_____ vise	_____ vision	_____ caster	_____ warned
_____ head	_____ graph		

1. The weather _____ predicted a sunny weekend.
2. Before the telephone was invented, people used the _____ for long-distance communication.
3. Because of _____, we can see what happens all over the world.
4. The _____ on TV raised over one million dollars.
5. Luckily, Mom had the _____ to bring warm jackets for everyone.
6. A sign _____ us of the dangers we might face on the park's trails.
7. Our local TV station will _____ the high school basketball game.
8. Because you did not study, I _____ you failing the test.
9. This book's _____ explains how the author became interested in rainforest mammals.
10. The soccer player hit the ball with his _____.

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The prefix **sub-** means "under," "below," or "lower than."

The prefix **super-** means "over," "above," "beyond," or "greater than."

Add the prefix **sub-** or **super-** to complete each word or word part. Then complete each sentence with a word from the box. Use a dictionary if necessary.

_____dued _____title _____market _____way _____urb
_____human _____sonic _____marine _____natural _____merge

1. The scientists took a _____ to the ocean floor.
2. Fairy tales sometimes include talking animal characters and human characters with _____, or magical, powers.
3. My grandparents live in a _____ near Phoenix, Arizona.
4. People who swim in Antarctic waters seem to have _____ powers!
5. The police officer finally _____ the vicious dog.
6. The nurse was careful not to _____ the baby's head during his bath.
7. We took the _____, which travels beneath San Francisco Bay.
8. We went to the _____ to buy a special kind of pasta.
9. A _____ jet travels faster than the speed of sound.
10. I read a book entitled *Hot Lava*. Its _____ is *Why Volcanoes Erupt*.