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## Prefix Practice: dis-, non-, un-

A **prefix** is a word part attached to the beginning of a word to change the meaning of that word.

Prefixes that mean **not** or **the opposite of**:

**dis** + believe = disbelieve (not believe)

**non** + toxic = nontoxic (not toxic)

**un** + expected = unexpected (not expected)

**Directions:** Add the prefix **dis-**, **non-**, or **un-** to each base word to form a new word. There are some words that can be paired with more than one potential prefix.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ honest
2. \_\_\_\_\_ sense
3. \_\_\_\_\_ infect
4. \_\_\_\_\_ tidy
5. \_\_\_\_\_ happy
6. \_\_\_\_\_ qualified
7. \_\_\_\_\_ obey
8. \_\_\_\_\_ profit
9. \_\_\_\_\_ graceful
10. \_\_\_\_\_ dress