

Writing

Textbook
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Interactive
Activity



Get It Right

1. By **adding a prefix**, we can **change the meaning of a word**. We place a prefix **before a word**.
2. To **make words negative**, we add the prefixes **im-** or **dis-** to them.
 - patient (positive) → **impatient** (negative)
 - appear (positive) → **disappear** (negative)

LS 4.2.1,
2.1.5

A. Make these words negative by adding *im-* or *dis-*.

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| 1. perfect | <input type="text"/> | 6. like | <input type="text"/> |
| 2. approve | <input type="text"/> | 7. obey | <input type="text"/> |
| 3. respect | <input type="text"/> | 8. possible | <input type="text"/> |
| 4. polite | <input type="text"/> | 9. moral | <input type="text"/> |
| 5. balance | <input type="text"/> | 10. agree | <input type="text"/> |

B. Fill in the blanks with the answers from Practice A.

1. It is _____ to drive from Kuala Lumpur to Penang in one hour.
2. We must always respect the elderly. We should not _____ them.
3. You must obey the law. If you _____ the law, you would be punished.
4. Stella wants to be a singer, but her parents _____.
5. I _____ eating avocados because they are tasteless to me.
6. 'I am afraid I _____ with you on that point,' said Nadiah.
7. There is an _____ between the number of boys and girls in the class.
8. Someone who steals and cheats is an _____ person.
9. It is _____ to stare at a person.
10. We are _____ in this world. _____ because we make mistakes. Nobody is perfect.