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Prefixes

Read each sentence

Determine which prefix is most appropriate ('il,' 'ir,' 'un,' 'mis' and 'dis.')

Remember that most words that start with 'l' usually take the prefix 'il,' while most words that start with 'r' usually take the prefix 'ir.'

1. Mary felt _____ **easy** during her exam.
2. The word _____ **regular** means not regular.
3. Do not try to _____ **lead** my class.
4. I tried to _____ **pick** my hair.
5. When my clothes were clean, I _____ **loaded** them from the washing machine.
6. She is very _____ **lucky**!
7. Your handwriting is quite _____ **legible**.

8. You should not be thinking _____ **rational** thoughts.

9. I am _____ **able** to tie my shoelaces.

10. Gail was _____ **responsive** to the questions posed.

11. John is a _____ **respectful** little boy.

12. Smoking at your age is _____ **legal**.

13. That statement is quite _____ **true**.

14. I will go to the movies, _____ **respective** of what you think.

15. John made an _____ **logical** statement.

16. That decision you made is _____ **wise**.

17. The old lady was very _____ **kind**.

18. The man did a wonderful _____ **lustration** of a forest.

19. Those magic tricks are _____ **real**!

20. I had to _____ **pack** my suitcase.