

## Prefix and suffix revision

Complete all the **main challenges** the **Extra challenges** are if you need challenged further.

Remember a **prefix** is added to the **start** of a word to make a new word. Choose from the box to add to each word below. Make sure you know what your new words mean! An example has been done for you.

auto      bi      trans      sub      tele      circum

Example: pilot + auto = autopilot

### Main Challenge:

1. phone .....	7. cycle .....
2. vision .....	8. biography .....
3. way .....	9. navigate .....
4. plant .....	10. marine .....
5. stance .....	11. centenary .....
6. scope .....	12. plane .....

**Extra challenge:** Join each of the words to their definitions. You may need to use a dictionary or an online dictionary to check the meanings.

1. transatlantic	a. ability to communicate without speaking
2. automatic	b. an animal with two feet
3. biennial	c. under the ground
4. transfer	d. to cross the Atlantic Ocean
5. subterranean	e. device operating under its own power
6. biped	f. to move from one thing to another

7. telepathy

g. happening every two years

Look at the following root words and **suffixes**. Remember a suffix is added to the **end** of a word.

What do you notice about the spelling of the new words?

care + less = careless

care + ful = careful

move + ment = movement

late +ly =  
lately

**Main Challenge:** Choose one of the consonant suffixes from the box to add to each word below.

less	ful	ment	ly
1. like .....		5. safe .....	
2. excite .....		6. sense .....	
3. time .....		7. complete .....	
4. achieve .....		8. fulfil .....	

Look at these root words and suffixes. What can you say about the spelling of the new words?

care + er = carer

care + ing = caring

love + able = lovable

move + ed = moved

**Main Challenge:** Choose one of the vowel suffixes from the box to add to each word below.

Be careful!

er	ing	able	ed
1. like .....		5. time .....	
2. drive .....		6. knowledge .....	
3. excite .....		7. manage.....	
4. safe .....			

	8. agree .....
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**Extra challenge:** Choose three suffixes and prefixes (it can be the ones above). Try and make as many words as you can with them. E.g. est = highest, smallest, toughest, shortest

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