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KS2 English Quiz - Prefixes (Questions)

This KS2 English quiz challenges you on prefixes. Prefixes are letters placed in front of words. A prefix is a part of a word which comes before a root word, changing its meaning. 'Exhibit', 'expand' and 'extend' all have the prefix 'ex-', which means 'out'. Knowing prefixes can help you to work out the meaning of words you've never seen.

2. The prefix 'semi-' (as in 'semicircle') means

Some prefixes are words in their own right such as 'over'. This little word can be added to lots of other words to create new words. Some examples are overweight, overpriced and overcook. Can you think of any more?

Test your knowledge with this English quiz.

1. The prefix 'un-' (as in 'unhappy') means

] quarter] ready L] before] half] not] two ſ ſ] nearly [] three ſ 3. The prefix 'tri-' (as in 'triangle') means 4. The prefix 'mis-' (as in 'mistake') means quarter] under 1 [] half] over ſ] two] correctly [[] three] wrongly [[

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5. The prefix 'sub-' (as in 'subway') means



- [] under
- [] over
- [] around
- [] behind
- 7. The prefix 'fore-' (as in 'forehead') means



- [] invisible
- [] after
- [] behind
- [] in front or before
- 9. The prefix 'pre-' (as in 'prehistoric') means



- [] before
- [] after [] above

6. The prefix 'inter-' (as in 'international') means



- [] enter
- [] between
- [] around
- [] over
- 8. The prefix 'anti-' (as in 'antibiotic') means



- [] assisting
-] medicinal
- [] against
- [] not
- 10. The prefix 'dis-' (as in 'disagree') means



] to overturn

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] to remove or reverse

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KS2 English Quiz - Prefixes (Answers)

1. The prefix 'un-' (as in 'unhappy') means



] ready

] before

[] nearly

unplug and unpack.

] half

[] two

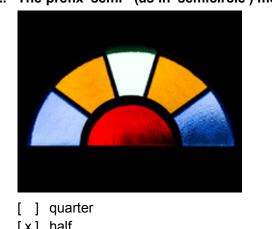
[x] three

triplet and tricycle.

[x] not

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2. The prefix 'semi-' (as in 'semicircle') means



- [x] half
- [] two [] three

Other words beginning with the prefix 'semi-' include: semifinal, semicolon and semiquaver.

3. The prefix 'tri-' (as in 'triangle') means

Other words beginning with the prefix 'un-' include: unlucky,

Other words beginning with the prefix 'tri-' include: triathlon,



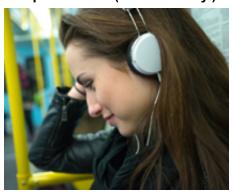
4. The prefix 'mis-' (as in 'mistake') means



- [] under
- [] over
- [] correctly
- [x] wrongly

Other words beginning with the prefix 'mis-' include: misbehave, misadvise and misfit.

5. The prefix 'sub-' (as in 'subway') means 6. The prefix 'inter-' (as in 'international') means



- [x] under
- [] over
- [] around
- [] behind

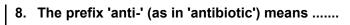
Other words beginning with the prefix 'sub-' include: submarine, subatomic and submit.

- [] enter
- [x] between
- [] around
- [] over

Other words beginning with the prefix 'inter-' include: interact, interchange and interrupt.

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7. The prefix 'fore-' (as in 'forehead') means



 [] invisible [] after [] behind [x] in front or before Other words beginning with the prefix 'fore-' include: forecast, foresee and forearm. 	 [] assisting [] medicinal [x] against [] not Other words beginning with the prefix 'anti-' include: antibacterial, anticlockwise and anti-gravity.
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