

Prefixes — 're' and 'anti'



The prefix 're-' means 'again' or 'back' when you add it to a root word.

reappear → 'reappear' means 'to appear again'

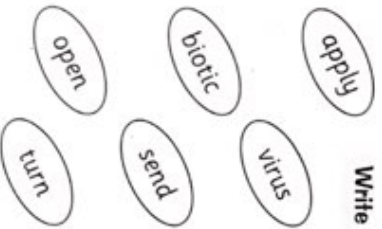
The prefix 'anti' means 'not' or 'against' when you add it to a root word.

'antisocial' means 'not sociable' → antisocial

1 Add re- or anti- to finish each word correctly.

..... clockwise septic charge
 fresh write climax
 create heat design

2 Draw lines from the prefixes to the correct root words.



Write the completed words in the box.

Prefixes — 'sub' and 'super'

The prefix 'sub-' means 'under' when you add it to a root word.

subway → 'subway' means 'under the way'

The prefix 'super' means 'above' or 'more than' when you add it to a root word.

'superstar' means 'a very successful person' → superstar

1 Circle the correct spelling of each word to complete the sentences.

The supermarine / submarine can reach depths of 300 feet.
 Rupert stuck his fingers together with superglue / subglue.
 Eren hates going to the supermarket / submarket on Saturdays.
 We superdivided / subdivided our share of the sweets.

2 Complete the words in these sentences using sub- or super-.

I dropped my sandwich into the river and it began to merge.
 The train whizzed past at sonic speed.
 A man should be able to lift houses and blow down trees.
 Lily didn't understand what each heading meant.

3 Write as many words as you can that start with each of these prefixes.

super-.....
 sub-.....

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1. **anticlockwise, antiseptic, recharge, refresh, rewrite, anticlimax, recreate, reheat, redesign**
2. **reapply, antibiotic, reopen, antivirus, resend, return**

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1. **submarine, superglue, supermarket, subdivided**
2. **submerge, supersonic, superman, subheading**
3. Any correctly spelt words that start with the correct prefixes.

Examples:

**superhero, supersize, superpower, superstar
sublet, sublevel, submerge, subtotal, subtitles**