

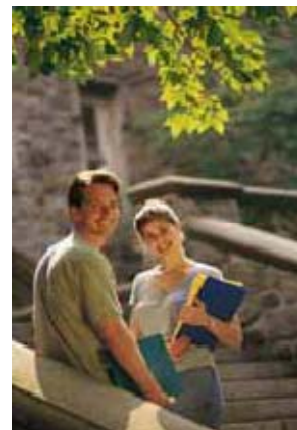


Vocabulary

Develop your vocabulary: prefixes

In STUDY SKILLS Success we focused on suffixes. In this exercise we look at prefixes. First use your dictionary to find the meanings of the prefixes below.

- ante- before in time or position, eg A.M, ante meridiem, before noon
- anti-.....
- bi-.....
- circum-.....
- extra-
- inter-
- intra-
- multi-.....
- syn-, sym- ...
- iso-.....



Hyphen or no hyphen?
You cannot know this for sure except by checking in your dictionary!

Now complete the sentences below using words which include these prefixes.

1. Spectacles with two lenses are called _____focals.
2. Magellan was the first man to _____navigate the world.
3. The _____net can only be accessed by people within the university.
4. The relationship between the water buffalo and the egret is a _____biotic one.
5. An _____metric drawing displays all lines to the same scale in three dimensions.
6. A _____lateral treaty involves more than two nations.
7. Penicillin, the earliest manufactured _____biotic, effectively destroys bacteria.
8. An _____galactic body is one that exists outside this Galaxy.
9. _____natal problems tend to be quite different from those that occur after birth.
10. The _____costal muscles are located between the ribs.

Finally, using the picture in STUDY SKILLS Success, **Learning words in families** as a model, write all the words you can think of which begin with these two prefixes...

