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Prefix and suffix revision

Choose a prefix from the box to add to each word below. An example has been done for you.

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Example: pilot + auto = autopilot

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

Join each of the words to their definitions:

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

Circle the correct word in each pair:

1. imcredible / incredible	6. irregular / iregular	
2. unpolite / impolite	7. inpossible /impossible	
3. unnecessary / unecessary	8. unnormal /abnormal	
4. imature / immature 9. impatient / unpatient		
5. unlegal / illegal	10. unreliable / irreliable	

Look at the following root words and suffixes.

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

care + less = careless care + ful = careful	move + ment = movement	late +ly = lately
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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					
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?

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Choose one of the vowel suffixes from the box to add to each word below. Be careful!

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. 5. time	
6. knowledge	
. 7. manage	
8. agree	
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Choose three of each of the words containing prefixes and suffixes. Now write three sentences containing a prefix and suffix in each one.