

# Lesson 25: More Prefixes That Tell Position

## Spelling Words

1. introduction
2. intramural
3. perfectly
4. circulation
5. perimeter
6. circumstances
7. permanently
8. circumference
9. perception
10. intrastate
11. introvert
12. perspective
13. periodic
14. peripheral
15. persuaded
16. circuit

## Your Own Words

Find other words that begin with these prefixes to add to the lists. You might find *periphery* and *persuade* in an article about the Everglades. Where might you read *circuitous* or *intracity*?

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18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. \_\_\_\_\_
20. \_\_\_\_\_

Each Spelling Word has a prefix that tells a position.

Sort the Spelling Words in a way that will help you remember them. Four example words have been given.

**PERI-**  
**periscope**

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**PER-**  
**perform**

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**INTRA- /**  
**INTRO-**  
**intravenous**

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**CIRCU(M)-**  
**circumvent**

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**Each of the prefixes has a meaning relating to a position. The meanings of the prefixes are as follows:**

- ***peri-*** means "all around"
- ***intra-*** means "within"
- ***intro-*** means "inside"
- ***per-*** means "throughout"
- ***circu(m)-*** means "around"

# Lesson 25: More Prefixes That Tell Position *(continued)*

**SPELLING CLUES: Choosing Correct Spellings** When you proofread, think about how you have seen the word written before. Try spelling the word in different ways. Then decide which spelling looks right.

Look at the words. Write the correct spellings.

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| 1. circulation   | curculation   | cerculation   |
| 2. persuaded     | perswaded     | persuaded     |
| 3. perfectly     | prefectly     | perfectly     |
| 4. permanently   | permanantly   | permenantly   |
| 5. curcumstances | circumstances | circemstances |
| 6. peroidic      | periodic      | perriodic     |

**PROOFREADING** 7–12. Proofread this letter. Circle the misspelled words. Write the correct spelling of each.

Dear Daniel,

*This is the sixth week of my intrasstate backpacking and camping trip. I'm gaining some real prespective on our tribe's legends. Our ancestors' perseption of animals as spirits is fascinating. I have made a circit of the ancient tribal lands and traveled the complete perrimeter of the lakes. My intraduction to the wilderness is certainly providing plenty of exercise. I'm beginning to look forward to returning to "civilization."*

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**FUN WITH WORDS** 13–16. Write Spelling Words.



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# Lesson 26: More Greek Word Parts

## Spelling Words

1. automobiles
2. policy
3. archives
4. scholastic
5. politics
6. sophisticated
7. metropolitan
8. optic
9. scholarship
10. philosopher
11. optical
12. optometrist
13. archaic
14. automatically
15. sophomore
16. archaeologist

## Your Own Words

Look for other words formed from Greek word parts to add to the lists. You might find *metropolis* or *autocratic* in a book about ancient cities. Where might you read about the word *hierarchy* or *optimal*?

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18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. \_\_\_\_\_
20. \_\_\_\_\_

Each Spelling Word is based on a Greek word part. Look at each word. Notice the position of the Greek word part in each one.

Sort the Spelling Words by word part to help you remember them. One example word has been given for each list.

**AUTO-**  
**automation**

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**SCHOL-**  
**scholar**

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**-SOPH-**  
**sophistry**

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**ARCHAE- / ARCH-**  
**archaeology**

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**OPT-**  
**optician**

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**-POLI-**  
**politician**

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**Greek word parts are used to form many English words. Knowing the spelling of these word parts can help you spell the words.**

# Lesson 26: More Greek Word Parts *(continued)*

**SPELLING CLUES: Say It Aloud** When you are writing or proofreading, try saying aloud a word you're having trouble spelling.

Read these groups of words aloud. Write the correct spelling of each word.

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|------------------|--------------|---------------|
| 1. automobiles   | automibles   | automobles    |
| 2. metropoliten  | metrapolitan | metropolitan  |
| 3. politices     | politics     | polotics      |
| 4. optic         | optick       | optich        |
| 5. sophisticated | sofisticated | sophisticated |
| 6. philasopher   | filosopher   | philosopher   |

**PROOFREADING** 7–12. Proofread this school newspaper report. Circle the misspelled words, and write the correct spelling of each.

## CENTRAL HIGH NEWS

Donald Sumac, a sophomore at Central High, was recently chosen the winner of the essay contest. The prize is a four-year scholarship to the university of his choice. Donald is considering several schools, but he hasn't decided on one yet. His mother is an optomitrist, but Donald is not automaticly interested in that field. "The study of arkaic cultures fascinates me," said Donald, when asked to explain his scholastick interests.

**FUN WITH WORDS** Write the Spelling Word that completes each sentence.

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16. \_\_\_\_\_



# Lesson 27: Words from Other Languages

## Spelling Words

1. landscape
2. cargo
3. piano
4. opera
5. carnival
6. chipmunk
7. parakeet
8. monsoon
9. hickory
10. heroic
11. skeleton
12. spaghetti
13. walrus
14. yacht
15. macaroni
16. barbecue

## Your Own Words

As you read and write, look for more words that come from other languages to add to the lists. For example, in a cookbook you might find words like *Parmesan*, *fajitas*, *feta*, and *pumpkin*.

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18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. \_\_\_\_\_
20. \_\_\_\_\_

All of the Spelling Words come from other languages.

Sort the Spelling Words by language to help you remember them. You may need to check a dictionary that gives word origins to help you sort.

### FRENCH AND SPANISH

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### GREEK

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### DUTCH

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### ITALIAN

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### OTHER LANGUAGES

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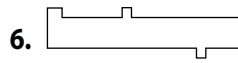
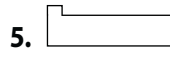
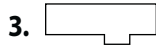
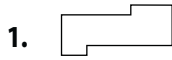
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**Knowing a word's origins can help you become familiar with the word and its spelling.**

# Lesson 27: Words from Other Languages *(continued)*

**SPELLING CLUES: Word Shapes** Sometimes, thinking about the shape of a word can help you remember the correct spelling. Is the whole word long and flat? Does a letter at the beginning of the word drop below the line? Do two letters at the end rise above the others? Keep these shape clues in mind when you write.

Write the Spelling Word that fits each shape.



**PROOFREADING** 7–12. Proofread this paragraph. Circle the misspelled words, and write each one correctly.

It was Jacob's favorite time of year. The carnivil was in town, and he couldn't wait to get on his favorite rides. As he waited in line for the Ferris wheel, he listened to the paino music from a booth nearby. After three or four rides, he was ready to eat, so he followed the smell of spagetti sauce. When he got to the stand that was selling it, he also noticed maccaroni and cheese on the menu. "Hey, Jake!" called his friend Marty. "Come on over to the barbicue stand! Smell those hickery chips burning! This is the best chicken you'll ever get!"

**FUN WITH WORDS** Read each riddle, and write the Spelling Word that tells what is talking.

13. I carry lots of food in my fat cheeks.  
I store enough to last for weeks.
14. I'll sing sweet songs and chirp all day.  
All I ask is that you keep the cats away.
15. I help you stand up straight and tall,  
But I must warn you, I'll break if you fall.
16. A strange creature am I, as fat as can be,  
With oil in my blubber and tusks of ivory.

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# Lesson 28: More Related Words

## Spelling Words

1. supermarket
2. superpower
3. alto
4. altitude
5. geographic
6. astronauts
7. geology
8. geometry
9. supervision
10. nautical
11. navigation
12. odometer
13. asterisk
14. altimeter
15. cosmonauts
16. seismometer

## Your Own Words

Look for other words from these word families to add to the lists. You may read *astronomer* and *geometrician* in a book about careers in science. Where might you find *supernova* or *navigate*?

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18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. \_\_\_\_\_
20. \_\_\_\_\_

Each Spelling Word is related to one or more of the other Spelling Words. Look at the words to see how they are spelled.

Sort the Spelling Words into four groups according to their root. An example for each group has been given.

**ALT- AND -METER-**  
**thermometer**

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**NAV- / -NAUT- AND AST(E)R- / -ASTRO-**  
**asteroid**

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**GEO-**  
**geothermal**

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**SUPER-**  
**superstructure**

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**Knowing the spelling of the common word parts can help you spell many words.**

# Lesson 28: More Related Words *(continued)*

**SPELLING CLUES: Word Parts** When you are writing, notice words that use common word parts like *geo-*, *-meter*, or *super-*. Think about how these word parts are spelled. Write the word part and then the rest of the word. See whether the word looks right. If it doesn't, look it up in a dictionary.

Read each group of words. Write the correct spelling of each word.

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|----------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1. altimeter   | altimeter    | altimetter   |
| 2. supervizion | supervision  | suppervision |
| 3. superpowr   | superppower  | superpower   |
| 4. seismometer | seismomentor | seismomoter  |
| 5. allto       | altow        | alto         |
| 6. odometer    | odommeter    | oddometer    |
| 7. asterick    | astrix       | asterisk     |

**PROOFREADING** 8–12. Proofread this note. Circle the misspelled words. Then write them correctly.

Dear Uncle Morris,

I am writing from an extremely high alltitude. Only cosmonots and astronauts have ever been this high. We're warm but crowded inside the ship. I never thought my interest in geommetry and geoligy would lead to this! When I get back, let's go straight to a suppermarket, because I've really been missing fresh vegetables up here.

Love,  
Janet

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**WORKING WITH MEANING** Write Spelling Words for 14–16.

