

Prefixes *over-*, *under-*, *sub-*, *super-*, *out-*

Spelling Words

overlook	underline	subway	subset	supermarket
outlet	underground	overboard	undercurrent	superstar
overtime	supersonic	submarine	undercover	overcast
outfield	output	supernatural	subdivision	subhead

Classifying Write the list word that belongs in each group.

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| 1. city, trains, underground, _____ | 1. _____ |
| 2. sky, clouds, gray, _____ | 2. _____ |
| 3. diamond, mound, infield, _____ | 3. _____ |
| 4. police officer, disguise, _____ | 4. _____ |
| 5. grocery, bakery, butcher, _____ | 5. _____ |
| 6. daydream, forget, omit, _____ | 6. _____ |
| 7. highlight, line, _____ | 7. _____ |
| 8. plane, jet engine, speed of sound, _____ | 8. _____ |
| 9. work, extra hours, _____ | 9. _____ |
| 10. performer, actor, singer, _____ | 10. _____ |

Definitions Write the list word that fits each definition.

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| 11. This is part of a community. | 11. _____ |
| 12. This is the result of production. | 12. _____ |
| 13. This means eerie and ghostly. | 13. _____ |
| 14. This is a small part of a larger group. | 14. _____ |
| 15. This means beneath the earth. | 15. _____ |
| 16. This is a vessel that travels underwater. | 16. _____ |
| 17. This comes under a heading. | 17. _____ |
| 18. This is a pull under the waves. | 18. _____ |
| 19. This means falling off a ship. | 19. _____ |
| 20. This can be a store that offers discounts. | 20. _____ |



Home Activity Your child wrote words with prefixes. Ask your child to name four words and tell you how the prefixes in each word affect its meaning.