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## **SCIENCE PREFIXES**

DIRECTIONS: Sometimes words in science can be a bit overwhelming since they seem so unfamiliar to us. If we break down the word, we can start to understand its meaning better. We will fill in the actual definition below next to the proper prefix with an example from the regular world as well as the science world. GOOD LUCK!

1. a- or an- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

2.. auto- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

3. bi or di- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

4. bio- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

5. chloro- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

6. con- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

7. cyto- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

8. ecto or exo- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

9. endo- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

10. hetero- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

11. homo- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

12. hypo- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

13. hyper- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

14. inter or intra- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

15. macro- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

16. micro- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

17. mono- or uni- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

18. multi- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

19. photo- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

20. pro- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

21. sub- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

22. hydro- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_

23. therm- : \_\_\_\_\_

Examples: \_\_\_\_\_