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**Prefixes with Opposite Meanings**

*Bene- (good, kind)*

1. **benevolent: (adj): expressing goodwill or a desire to help others**
2. **beneficial: (adj): helpful; favorable; resulting in good; advantageous**

*Mal-: (bad, evil)*

1. **malevolent: (adj): wishing harm on others; showing ill will, evil, harmful**
2. **dismal: (adj): causing gloom or dejection; dreary**

*Ex-: (out of)*

 **5) exclusive: (adj): available only to certain people or a certain group; not shared**

 **6) excerpt: (n): a passage, quote or text that has been taken out of a longer literary work**

*Intr-: (inside, into)*

 **7) introvert: (n): a shy, quiet person who does not find it easy to talk to other people**

 **8) intramural: (adj): type of competition occurring only within the student body of a**

**school or a certain group**

*Pro-: (forward)*

**9) propel: (v): to drive or move forward; to push onward**

**10) prodigy: (n): a person (especially a child) who has extraordinary talent or ability**

*Re-: (go backwards, again)*

**11) revise: (v): to change something that is already written or printed; to make improvements**

**12) recede: (v): to move away from; withdraw; retreat**

*Ab-: (Away from)*

**13) abduct: (v): to carry off or lead away in secret; kidnap**

*Ad- :(towards)*

 **14) adhere: (v) to stay attached; to cling to; to stick fast**

*Pre- :(before)*

**15) prediction: (n): a statement about something that has not yet occurred; something that is told in advance; a prophecy**

 **16) precede: (v) to go or be before; in advance**

*Post-: (after)*

 **17) posthumously: (adj): happing or occurring after one’s death**

 **18) postpone: (v): to put off until a later time**

*Sub-: (under)*

**19) submerge: (v): to sink below the surface of the water, to immerse or dunk underwater**

*Super- (above)*

**20) superior: (adj): above average in quality; better than average; excellent**

Write a GOOD sentences for each vocabulary word.