



WORD FORMATION LIST

- access** accessibility, (in)accessible
- act** enact, react, counteract, interact, transact, overact, overreact, (de/re)activate, acting, actor, actress, action, (in)activity, radioactivity, transaction, activist, activism, interaction, (over)reaction, overacting, reactionary, reactor, transactional, active, hyperactive, radioactive, overactive, (in)active(ly)
- adapt** adaptation, adaptor, adaptable
- add** addition, addendum, addenda, additive, additional(ly)
- adequate** (in)adequacy, inadequate, (in)adequately
- adjust** readjust, adjustment, adjustable
- admire** admiration, admirer, admirable, admirably, admiring(ly)
- aggression** aggressiveness, aggressor, aggressive(ly)
- alter** alteration, unalterable, unaltered, alternate, alternative
- analyse** analysis, analyst, analytic(al), analytically
- antique** antiquity, antiquated
- appear** disappear, reappear, (dis/re)appearance, apparition, apparent(ly)
- apply** reapply, misapply, applicant, application, (in)applicability, (in)applicable, (mis)applied
- appreciate** appreciation, appreciable, appreciably, (un)appreciative(ly)
- approve** disapprove, (dis)approval, (dis)approved, (dis)approving(ly)
- architect** architecture, architectural(ly)
- argue** argument, argumentative(ly), (un)arguable, arguably
- arrange** rearrange, (re)arrangement, arranged
- art** arts, artfulness, artificiality, artist, artiste, artistry, artlessness, artwork, artifact/artefact, artifice, arty, artistic(ally), artificial(ly), artful(ly), artless(ly)
- assess** reassess, (re)assessment, assessor, assessed
- associate** dissociate, association, associate, associated
- assume** assumption, assuming, unassuming, assumed
- attach** reattach, attachment, (un)attached
- available** (un)availability, unavailable
- avoid** avoidance, (un)avoidable, unavoidable
- awe** awfulness, awesomeness, awestruck, awful(ly), awesome(ly)
- believe** disbelieve, belief, disbelief, (un)believer, (un)believable, disbelieving, unbelievably
- benefit** beneficiary, beneficial(ly)
- brief** debrief, (de)briefing, brevity, briefs, briefly
- brilliant** brilliance, brilliantly
- broad** broaden, breadth, broadly
- capable** capability, incapable, capably
- cause** causation, causal, causative
- change** exchange, changeover, (un)changing, (un)changeable, interchangeable
- character** characterise, characterisation, (un)characteristic, characterless
- charity** charitableness, (un)charitable, (un)charitably
- choose** chose, chosen, choice, choosy
- class** outclass, (de)classify, classics, classifieds, classification, classlessness, classmate, classroom, classwork, classic, classy, classless, (de)classified, classical(ly)
- collect** collector, collection, collectable, collected, collective(ly)
- come** overcome, comeback, newcomer, outcome, income, coming, oncoming, incoming
- compete** competition, competitor, competitiveness, (un)competitive(ly)
- conceive** conceptualise, concept, conception, conceptual, (in)conceivable, (in)conceivably
- confuse** confusion, confused, confusing(ly)
- connect** disconnect, reconnect, interconnect, connector, (dis/re)connection, (inter)connecting, (un/dis/inter)connected
- conserve** conservation, conservationist, conservatism, conservative(ly)
- consider** consideration, considered, considering, (in)considerable, considerably
- content** (dis)contentment, discontent, (dis)contented
- continue** discontinue, continuity, continuation, continual(ly), continuous(ly)
- convert** conversion, convertible
- convince** conviction, (un)convinced, (un)convincing(ly)
- crime** (de)criminalise, criminal, criminality, criminally
- decide** decision, decider, decisiveness, deciding, (in)decisive(ly)
- declare** declaration, (un)declared
- deep** deepen, depth, deeply
- define** definition, defined, definitive(ly), (in)definite(ly)
- dense** density, densely
- depend** (in)dependence, dependant, dependency, depending, dependable, (in)dependent(ly)
- derive** derivation, derivative
- desire** (un)desirable, desirous, desired, (un)desirably
- destroy** destroyer, destruction, indestructible, destructive(ly)
- distant** (equi)distance, equidistant, (equi)distantly
- do** overdo, outdo, redo, undo, (over/out/re/un)did, (over/out/re/un)done, doing, doings
- dominate** domineer, domination, (pre)dominance, dominant, domineering, dominating, predominant(ly)
- doubt** doubter, doubtful(ly), undoubted(ly), doubtless
- draw** withdraw, withdrew, drew, drawn, withdrawal, drawing, overdraft, overdrawn, withdrawn
- duty** dutiful(ly)
- ecology** ecologist, ecological(ly)
- edit** edition, editor, editorship, (un)edited, editorial(ly)
- effect** (in)effectiveness, (in)effectual, (in)effective(ly)
- electric** electrify, electrician, electricity, electrified, electrifying, electrical(ly)
- elude** elusiveness, elusive(ly)
- employ** (un)employment, underemployment, employer, employee, (un)employed, underemployed, (un)employable
- end** ending, unending, endless(ly)



endure endurance, (un)endurable, enduring	inherit inheritance, heritage, heredity, hereditary
envy (un)envious, (un)enviously, envious(ly)	insist insistence, insistent
erode erosion	instinct instinctive(ly)
erupt eruption	institute institutionalise, institution, institutional, institutionalised
event eventuality, (un)eventful, eventual(ly)	intend intention, (un)intended, (un)intentional(ly)
evolve evolution, evolutionary, evolving	intimate intimacy, intimately
example exemplify, exemplification, exemplary	job jobbing, jobless
exclaim exclamation, exclamatory	judge judg(e)ment, judiciary, judiciousness, judicious, judicial, judg(e)mental, judiciously
expect expectation, expectancy, expectant(ly), (un)expected(ly)	know acknowledge, knowledge, acknowledgement, knowledgeable, acknowledged, (un)known, knowing
explain explanation, explanatory, unexplained, (in)explicable, inexplicably	land landing, landed, landless
express expression, expressiveness, expressionism, expressionist, expressive(ly), expressionless(ly), expressly	large enlarge, enlargement, largely
extend extent, extension, (un)extended, extensive(ly)	last outlast, lasting, everlasting, lastly
extinct extinction	leisure leisured, leisurely
familiar familiarise, (un)familiarity, unfamiliar, familiarly	logic (il)logical(ly)
favour favouritism, favourite, (un)favourable, (un)favourably	long prolong, lengthen, length, longevity, longhand, longing(ly), longwinded, lengthy, prolonged, lengthways, lengthwise
finite infinity, infinitive, infinite(ly), infinitesimal(ly)	lot allot, allotment
flexible (in)flexibility, inflexible	loyal (dis)loyalty, disloyal, (dis)loyally
fold enfold, unfold, folder, (un)folding, foldaway	magnify magnificence, magnification, magnificent(ly), magnifying
fortune misfortune, (un)fortunate(ly), fortuitous(ly)	major majority, majorette
fruit fruitfulness, fruitlessness, fruition, fruitful(ly), fruitless(ly)	manage mismanage, manager, manageress, (mis)management, (un)manageable, mismanaged, managerial, managing
future futurist, futuristic(ally)	manufacture manufacturer, manufacturing
go undergo, underwent, undergone, for(e)go, for(e)went, for(e)gone, ongoing, outgoing	match matchmaker, matchmaking, matchstick, matchwood, matchbook, matchbox, matching, unmatched, matchless
good goods, goodness, goodwill, goody/goodie	material materialise, materialism, materialistic, immaterial, materially
govern misgovern, government, governor, governess, governing, governmental, ungovernable	mature (im)maturity, maturation, immature
hand handle, handler, handling, handout, handover, handful, handmade, underhand, handy	mean meaning, meaninglessness, meaningless, meaningful(ly)
hard harden, hardship, hardness, hardy, hardly	metal metallic, metallurgy
hear overhear, hearing, hearsay	might mighty, mightily
high heighten, highlight, height, Highness, heightened, highbrow, highly	minor minority
history historian, historic, historical(ly)	mobile (im)mobilise, (im)mobility, mobilisation, immobile
house housing, household(er), houseful	modern modernise, modernisation, modernism, modernity, modernist
human humanise, humanity, humanism, humanist, humanities, humanitarian, humane, humanly	moment momentous, momentary, momentarily
ideal idealise, idealism, idealisation, idealist, idealistic, idealised, ideally	moral moralise, demoralise, (im/a)morality, moralist, morale, (im/a)moral, (im/a)morally
illusion disillusion, disillusionment, disillusioned, illusory	motion motionless
imagine imagination, imaginings, imaginary, (un)imaginative(ly)	motive (de)motivate, (de)motivator, (de)motivation, (de)motivating, motivational
imitate imitation, imitator, imitative, inimitable	mount surmount, mountain, mountaineer(ing), (in)surmountable, mountainous
imply implicate, implication, implicit(ly)	move mover, movement, (im)movable, moving
impress impression, (un)impressiveness, impressionism, impressionist, (un)impressed, impressionable, impressionistic, (un)impressive(ly)	mystery mystify, mystification, mysterious(ly)
improve improvement, improvable, improved	neglect negligence, negligible, negligibly, negligent(ly), neglectful(ly)
incident incidence, coincidence, incidental(ly), coincidental(ly)	new renew, renewal, newness, renewable, newly, anew
indicate indication, indicator, indicative	object objective, objection, objectivity, objector, (un)objectionable, objectively
individual individualise, individualisation, individuality, individualist, individually	observe observation, observance, observer, observatory, observable, observant, observably
influence influential	
inhabit inhabitant, habitat, habitation, habitable, (un)inhabitable, (un)inhabited	



obsess obsession, obsessed, obsessive(ly)	rest restlessness, unrest, restive, restful(ly), restless(ly)
occur recur, occurrence, recurrence, recurring, recurrent	result resultant, resulting
office officiate, official(dom), officer, officious, (un)official(ly)	revolt revolutionise, revolution, revolutionary, revolting
opinion opinionated	rhythm rhythmic(al), rhythmically
parent parenting, parentage, parenthood, parental(ly)	rigid rigidity, rigidly
pass passage, (im)passable, passing	risk risky
patient patience, impatient, (im)patiently	round surround, surroundings, roundness, roundabout, surrounding, roundly
pay overpay, underpay, repay, overpayment, underpayment, repayment, payback, payee, payer, payload, payoff, payout, payroll, payslip, overpaid, underpaid, payable	sane (in)sanity, insanel(ly)
perceive perception, perceptiveness, (im)perceptible, (im)perceptibly, perceptive(ly)	satisfy dissatisfy, (un)satisfactory, (dis)satisfied, (un)satisfying(ly), satisfactorily
perfect (im)perfection, perfectionist, perfectionism, perfectible, perfectly, imperfect(ly)	say gainsay, saying, unsaid
period periodical, periodic(ally)	seem seeming(ly)
permit permission, permissiveness, permissible, permissive	select deselect, selection, selective(ly)
persist persistence, persistent(ly)	self (un)selfishness, selflessness, (un)selfish(ly), selfless(ly)
person personalise, impersonate, personality, personnel, interpersonal, personalised, (im)personal(ly)	sense (de)sensitise, sensation, (in)sensitivity, hypersensitivity, sensibility, senseless(ness), sensuality, sensuousness, sensor, hypersensitive, oversensitive, nonsense, sensory, sensible, nonsensical, sensibly, (in)sensitive(ly), (un)sensational(ly), sensual(ly), sensuous(ly)
persuade dissuade, persuasion, persuasiveness, persuasive(ly)	separate separation, (in)separable, separated, separately
phrase rephrase, paraphrase, phrasing, phraseology	shelf shelve, shelves, shelving
place replace, placement, placing, replacement, (ir)replaceable	signify (in)significance, (in)significant(ly)
play replay, overplay, downplay, player, playful(ly)	slip slippage, slippery
portion apportion	soft soften, softener, softly
power empower, overpower, empowerment, powerlessness, powerful(ly), powerless(ly)	solid solidify, solidity
prefer preference, preferable, preferred, preferential, preferably	space spacing, spaciousness, spacious(ly)
prejudice (un)prejudiced, prejudicial	speak spoke, speech, speaker, spokesman/men/woman/women/person/people, outspokenness, (un)spoken, speechless, unspeakable, unspeakably, outspoken(ly)
prevent prevention, preventative, preventive, (un)preventable	speed sped, speeding, speedy, speedily
print reprint, printing, printer, printout, imprint, printed, (un)printable	sport sportsman/woman/person, sportsmanship, sports, sporting, sporty
probable (im)probability, improbable, (im)probably	stable (de)stabilise, (in)stability, destabilisation, stabiliser, (de)stabilising, unstable
process processor, processing, processed	stand withstand, withstood, standing, upstanding, outstanding, notwithstanding
produce producer, product, productivity, production, counterproductive, (un)productive(ly)	state restate, overstate, understate, statement, understatement, overstatement, understated, overstated
progress progression, progressive(ly)	steady unsteady, (un)steadily
provoke provocation, provocative(ly)	stimulate stimulation, stimulant, stimulus, stimuli, stimulating, stimulated
public publicise, publicity, publication, publicist, publicly	strong strengthen, strength, stronghold, strongly
pursue pursuit, pursuer	structure infrastructure, structural(ly), (un)structured
quality qualitative(ly)	substance substantiate, substantiation, unsubstantiated, (in)substantial(ly)
race racism, racist, interracial, racial(ly)	suggest suggestion, suggestibility, suggested, suggestive(ly), suggestible
rapid rapidity, rapidly	sympathy sympathise, sympathiser, (un)sympathetic, (un)sympathetically
rational rationalise, rationalisation, rationalist, rationalism, (ir)rationality, (ir)rational(ly)	talk talker, talkie, talkback, talkative
reason reasoning, reasonableness, (un)reasonable, reasoned, (un)reasonably	tend tendency
regret regrettable, regrettably, regretful(ly)	terror terrorise, terrify, terrorist, terrorism, terrible, terrific, terrifying, terrified, terribly
relate relation, relationship, (un)related, relative(ly)	think thought, thinker, thinking, thoughtfulness, thoughtlessness, (un)thinkable, thoughtful(ly), thoughtless(ly)
relax relaxation, relaxing, relaxed	threat threaten, threatened, threatening(ly)
repair repairman/men, repairer, reparation, repairable, irreparable, irreparably	
reside residence, residency, resident, residing, residential(ly)	
resolve (ir)resolution, resoluteness, (un)resolved, (ir)resolute(ly)	
respond response, respondent, (un)responsive(ly)	



time mistime, timer, timing, overtime, timetable, timelessness, (un)timely, timeless(ly)

transit transition, transitory, transitional, transitionally

type typeset, typecast, typify, typist, typewriter, typeface, typesetting, typesetter, typescript, typewritten, typical(ly)

up upper, uppermost, upright, upward(s), upwardly

use abuse, misuse, reuse, overuse, (ab)user, usefulness, usage, uselessness, (un)used, (un)usable, reusable, abused, abusive(ly), useful(ly), useless(ly)

value revalue, overvalue, evaluate, (re)valuation, evaluation, overvaluation, valuer, valuables, (in)valuable, valueless

weigh weight, weightlifter, weightlifting, weighting, overweight, underweight, weighted, weightless, weighty

wild wilderness, wildlife, wildness, wildly

wise wisdom, (un)wise(ly)

word reword, (re)wording, wordplay, wordy, (re)worded, wordless(ly)

work rework, overwork, worker, works, reworking, workplace, overworked, working, (un)workable

worth worthlessness, worthy, worthless, worthwhile

write rewrite, (re)wrote, (re)written, writing(s), writer, unwritten

young youngster, youth, youthful

zeal zealot, zealous(ly)

