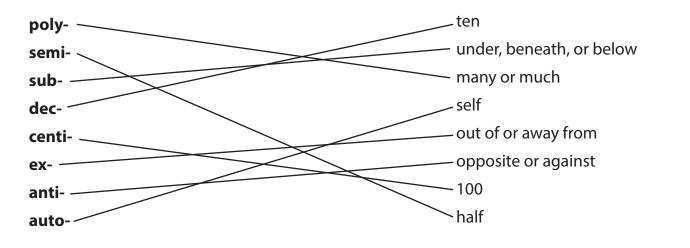# ANSWERS Welcome to the Prefix Party!

Name: _____   Date: _____

A <u>prefix</u> is added to the beginning of a root word to change its meaning.

Draw a line from each prefix to its meaning.
Hint: If you're stuck, think of a word you know that begins with that prefix.

poly-	ten
semi-	under, beneath, or below
sub-	many or much
dec-	self
centi-	out of or away from
ex-	opposite or against
anti-	100
auto-	half

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Add a prefix to each root word to make a word that matches a definition below.

prefixes
auto-   sub-   centi-

root words
meter   mobile   marine

under water _____**submarine**_____

1/100th of a meter _____**centimeter**_____

self-moving _____**automobile**_____

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Write two words that begin with each prefix. Hint: If you're stuck, refer to a dictionary.

ex-	semi-	dec-
1. *extract*	**1.** *semicircle*	**1.** *decimal*
2. *exhale*	**2.** *semicolon*	**2.** *decade*