

# Word Pattern Analogies

## Level 2

Words with **prefixes** and **suffixes** follow patterns. These patterns help us figure out the meanings of words. Here are some examples.

angle : **triangle**      A triangle is a shape with *three* angles.

cycle : **tricycle**      A tricycle is a cycle with *three* wheels.



**Directions:** Complete each pattern.

<p>1 eat : overeat do : <u>overdo</u></p>	<p>2 mist : misty thirst : <u>thirsty</u></p>
<p>3 act : actor edit : <u>editor</u></p>	<p>4 cook : undercook estimate : <u>underestimate</u></p>
<p>5 certain : certainly bare : <u>barely</u></p>	<p>6 fiction : nonfiction sense : <u>nonsense</u></p>
<p>7 smooth : smoothness weak : <u>weakness</u></p>	<p>8 pay : prepay arrange : <u>prearrange</u></p>
<p>9 improve : improvement amaze : <u>amazement</u></p>	<p>10 collect : collection invent : <u>invention</u></p>