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accident(ally)	early	knowledge	purpose
actual(ly)	earth	learn	quarter
address	eight/eighth	length	question
answer	enough	library	recent
appear	exercise	material	regular
arrive	experience	medicine	reign
believe	experiment	mention	remember
bicycle	extreme	minute	sentence
breath	famous	natural	separate
breathe	favourite	naughty	special
build	February	notice	straight
busy/business	forward(s)	occasion(ally)	strange
calendar	fruit	often	strength
caught	grammar	opposite	suppose
centre	group	ordinary	surprise
century	guard	particular	therefore
certain	guide	peculiar	though/although
circle	heard	perhaps	thought
complete	heart	popular	through
consider	height	position	various
continue	history	possess(ion)	weight
decide	imagine	possible	woman/women
describe	increase	potatoes	
different	important	pressure	
difficult	interest	probably	
disappear	island	promise	

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girls', boys', babies', children's, men's, mice's

(**Note:** singular proper nouns ending in an *s* use the 's suffix e.g. Cyprus's population)

accept/except, affect/effect, ball/bawl, berry/bury, brake/break, fair/fare, grate/great, groan/grown, here/hear, heel/heal/he'll. knot/not, mail/male, main/mane. meat/meet, medal/meddle. missed/mist, peace/piece, plain/plane. rain/rein/reign, scene/seen. weather/whether, whose/who's

forgetting, forgotten, beginning, beginner, prefer, preferred

gardening, gardener, limiting, limited, limitation

dis-: disappoint,
disagree, disobey
mis-: misbehave,
mislead, misspell (mis
+ spell)

in–: inactive, incorrect

illegal, illegible

immature, immortal, impossible, impatient, imperfect

irregular, irrelevant, irresponsible

re-: redo, refresh, return, reappear, redecorate

sub-: subdivide, subheading, submarine, submerge

inter=: interact,
intercity, international,
interrelated (inter +
related)

super–: supermarket, superman, superstar

anti-: antiseptic, anticlockwise, antisocial

auto-: autobiography,
autograph

information, adoration, sensation, preparation, admiration

sadly, completely, usually (usual + ly), finally (final + ly), comically (comical + ly) happily, angrily

gently, simply, humbly, nobly basically, frantically, dramatically

measure, treasure, pleasure, enclosure creature, furniture, picture, nature, adventure

division, invasion, confusion, decision, collision, television

poisonous, dangerous, mountainous, famous, various tremendous, enormous, jealous humorous, glamorous, vigorous courageous,

outrageous

serious, obvious, curious hideous, spontaneous, courteous invention, injection, action, hesitation, completion expression, discussion, confession, permission, admission expansion, extension, comprehension, tension

musician, electrician, magician, politician, mathematician

scheme, chorus, chemist, echo, character

chef, chalet, machine, brochure

league, tongue, antique, unique

science, scene, discipline, fascinate, crescent

vein, weigh, eight, neighbour, they, obey

myth, gym, Egypt, pyramid, mystery

young, touch, double, trouble, country