



Worksheet A

1 Read out your sentences for your partner to complete.

- 1 When I was young, I used to _____ a lot at school. I was always getting into trouble!
- 2 The history of my country is very _____. It seems nothing exciting has ever happened there!
- 3 In my country there are a lot of _____ organisations which help the poorest people.
- 4 In the future I plan to study for a _____ degree.
- 5 I think a lot of football players these days behave _____ in their private lives. They should set a good example for children both on and off the pitch.
- 6 I think it's very important to be _____ in your work. You can't just wait for opportunities to come about on their own.
- 7 I think that nowadays we _____ the importance of celebrities in society. They're not as important as we make them out to be.
- 8 Many parts of my hometown have started to _____ in recent years – in some places the buildings are falling apart.

2 Which sentences are true for you? Discuss with your partner.

Prefixes

pre- under- non- im-
anti- mal- ir- un-

Words

conformist reversible
eventful polite statement
nutrition government date

Worksheet B

1 Read out your sentences for your partner to complete.

- 1 To say my country has had an interesting history would be an _____. It's had quite a colourful past!
- 2 I think it's important to be _____. You shouldn't just be like everyone else.
- 3 One of the biggest problems in my country these days is _____, mainly because there aren't enough different types of food available.
- 4 Some of the damage we have caused to the world through pollution is _____. We may never be able to go back to how things were in the past.
- 5 There are some very old cities in my country. They even _____ the Roman Empire.
- 6 There have been several _____ protests in my country in recent years.
- 7 My life has been very _____ recently. Nothing worth talking about has happened to me!
- 8 I really hate _____ people. Manners don't hurt, and they don't cost anything!

2 Which sentences are true for you? Discuss with your partner.

Prefixes

ir- un- over- pro- mis-
post- non- de-

Words

behave active governmental
generate interesting
estimate graduate
responsibly