

Using the Prefix tele-

Add the correct tele- words to the sentences using the word bank below to help you.

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2. My _____ rang as I was about to leave the house.
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5. I enjoy watching _____ after school.
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Word Bank

telegram	telegraph	teleport	telemarketing
telepathically	telephone	telescope	television

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Rewrite these sentences using the correct spelling of the word from the choices given.

1. **Telimarketing/Tellermarketing/Telemarketing** calls can be annoying to receive.

2. I bought a new **telephone/telephone/telerphone** when mine stopped working.

3. The **teligraph/tellergraph/telegraph** pole was blown down during Storm Doris.

4. Scientists discovered a new planet using a powerful **telescope/teliscope/tellerscope**.

5. I wish that I could **teliport/teleport/tellerport** to another planet.

6. The **telecommunication/telcommunication/tellercommunication** company won many awards.

7. I hope that they **tellervise/televise/telivise** the Olympic Games

8. I watch my favourite shows on the **telavision/telivision/television**.

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Look at the words in the bank below. Add the correctly spelt words into the sentences, crossing them out as you use them. When you have finished, explain why the words in the box have not been used.

1. The football match was shown on the _____.
2. I dropped my mobile _____ and smashed the screen.
3. I keep receiving annoying _____ calls.
4. I hope that they will _____ the Olympic Games.
5. I use my _____ to look at the stars in the night sky.
6. The _____ company provide excellent service.
7. My sister and I sometimes communicate using _____.
8. The scientist asked her assistant to _____ through space.
9. The fallen tree knocked down the _____ post.
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television	tellercommunication	telegraph	tellerport
telagram	teleport	televise	telegram
telepathy	telemarked	tellergraph	
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Accept any explanation regarding the inaccurate spelling of the leftover words in the box. They do not contain the prefix tele-.