



# Get Off to a Flying Start

A **COMMON PREFIX** (affixed before a word root to add information) to start your game flying (7s then 8s)!  
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## 7s EC- & ECTO- (out of, outside, external)

ECBOLIC	BCCEILO	type of drug [n -S]
ECCRINE	CCEEINR	producing secretions externally [adj]
ECDYSIS	CDEISSY	shedding of outer layer of skin [n -SES, -ES]
ECDYSON	CDENOSY	ecdysone (insect hormone) [n -S]
ECHAPPE	ACEEHPP	moving from closed to open position of feet in ballet [adj]
ECLIPSE	CEEILPS	to obscure (to make obscure) [v -D, -S, -SING]
ECLOGUE	CEEGLOU	pastoral poem [n -S]
ECLOSED	CDEELOS	ECLOSE, to emerge as larva from egg [v]
ECLOSES	CEELOSS	ECLOSE, to emerge as larva from egg [v]
ECSTASY	ACESSTY	state of exaltation [n -SIES]
ECTASIS	ACEISST	lengthening of usually short syllable [n -SES]
ECTATIC	ACCEITT	ECTASIS, lengthening of usually short syllable [adj]
ECTHYMA	ACEHMTY	virus disease [n -TA]
ECTOPIA	ACEIOPT	congenital displacement of parts or organs [n -S]
ECTOPIC	CCEIOPT	ECTOPIA, congenital displacement of parts or organs [adj]
ECTYPAL	ACELPTY	ECTYPE, copy [adj]
ECTYPES	CEEPSTY	ECTYPE, copy [n]
ECZEMAS	ACEEMSZ	ECZEMA, skin disease [n]

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## 8s EC- & ECTO (out of, outside, external)

ECCLESIA	ACCEEILS	assembly in ancient Greece [n -E]
ECDYSIAL	ACDEILSY	ECDYSIS, shedding of outer layer of skin [adj]
ECDYSONE	CDEENOSY	insect hormone [n -S]
ECESISES	CEEEISSS	ECESIS, establishment of plant or animal in new environment [n]
ECLECTIC	CCCEEILT	one who draws his beliefs from various sources [n -S]
ECLIPSED	CDEEILPS	ECLIPSE, to obscure (to make obscure) [v]
ECLIPSER	CEEILPRS	one that eclipses (to obscure (to make obscure)) [n -S]
ECLIPSIS	CEIILPSS	ellipsis (omission of word or words in sentence) [n -SES, -ES]
ECLIPTIC	CCEIILPT	astronomical plane [n -S]
ECLOSING	CEGILNOS	ECLOSE, to emerge as larva from egg [v]
ECLOSION	CEILNOOS	emergence of insect larva from egg [n -S]
ECSTATIC	ACCEISTT	one that is subject to ecstasies [n -S]
ECTODERM	CDEEMORT	outermost germ layer of embryo [n -S]
ECTOGENE	CEEEGNOT	gene involved in development of embryo in artificial conditions [n -S]
ECTOMERE	CEEEMORT	cell that develops into ectoderm [n -S]
ECTOSARC	ACCEORST	outermost layer of protoplasm of certain protozoans [n -S]
ECTOZOAN	ACENOOTZ	ectozoon (parasite on body of animal) [n -S]
ECTOZOON	CENOOTZ	parasite on body of animal [n -OA]