

Word List: poly-

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Prefix Lesson # 4

Vocabulary

Definitions

polychromatic (adj)	having many different colors
polyclinic (n)	a hospital that treats many different kinds of diseases
polydactyl (adj)	having many fingers or toes (more than the normal number)
polyglot (n)	a person who knows how to speak, read, or write many languages
polygon (n)	a closed plane figure with many straight lines that connect
polygraph (n)	a machine that writes down many different changes in the body while the person answers questions; a lie detector test
polyhedron (n)	a solid figure with many sides, such as a pyramid
polymorphous (adj)	having or assuming many different forms
polysyllabic (adj)	having many syllables
polytheism (n)	the belief in many different gods