



Part A: Meet the Root

Divide and Conquer



Directions: "Divide" words and then "conquer" them by writing the meaning of the prefix, base, and/or suffix in the blanks. Then select the best definition. The Root Bank lists the meanings of prefixes, bases, and suffixes.

| | prefix/ 1 st base means | 2 nd base/ suffix means | definition |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------|
| 1. export | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 2. portable | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 3. inspect | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 4. invoke | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 5. multivocal | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 6. respect | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 7. subtract | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 8. autograph | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 9. visible | _____ | _____ | _____ |

Root Bank

Prefixes: *auto-* = self; *ex-* = out; *in-* = in, on, into; *multi-* = many; *re-* = back, again; *sub-* = under

Bases: *port* = carry; *graph* = write; *spect* = watch, look at; *tract* = pull, draw, drag; *vis* = see; *voc, voke* = call, voice

Suffixes: *-able, -ible* = can or able to be done

Definitions

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| A. to examine; to look into | F. to carry or convey goods out of an area |
| B. a handwritten signature | G. able to be seen |
| C. to deduct; to take one number from another | H. consisting of many voices; choral |
| D. to call on (a deity or a higher power) | I. able to be lifted and carried |
| E. to hold in high regard; to look at with esteem | |

Part B:
Combine and Create

Making Words

Directions: Write one sentence that includes both of these words. Use the Root Bank in "Divide and Conquer" to figure out any words that are new.

1. terrier

spectacles

2. voice

spectator

3. subtract

vocabulary

4. trace

Mediterranean Sea

5. invoke

auditorium
