

Greek & Latin Roots 6th Grade

Prefix/Suffix	Origin	Meaning	Examples
bon/ben	latin	good, well	beneficial, benefactor
cede	latin	to go, yield, surrender	succeed, proceed, exceed, precede
capit/capt	latin	head	decapitate, capital, captain, caption
cert	latin	sure	certain, certificate, certified, certainly
corp	latin	body	corporation, corpse, corruption
crit	latin	separate, choose	critical, criterion, hypocrite
dia	latin	through, across, between	diameter, diagonal, dialogue, diagnosis
equa	latin	equal	equation, equal, equivalent
fac/fact	latin	do, make	difficult, fashion, feasible, effect
form	latin	shape, resemble	form, format, conform, formulate, perform, formal
grat	latin	pleasing	congratulate, gratuity, grateful, ingrate
grad/gress/gred	latin	to gather, to bring together	grade, degree, progress, gradual, graduate
inter	latin	among, between	international, intercept, interject, intermission, internal
loc	latin	place, area	location, locally, locality, allocate, locomotion
mov/mob/mot	latin	move	motion, remove, mobile, motor
prim/prin	latin	first	primacy, prima donna, primitive, primary, principal
vac	latin	empty	vacate, vacuum, evacuate, vacation, vacant,
vers/vert	latin	turn, change	convert, revert, advertise, invert, convertible, diversion
voc/vok	latin	call	vocation, provoke, revoke, vocal, advocate,
arch	greek	chief, first, rule	architect, monarchy, matriarch
cosm	greek	universe, world	cosmos, microcosm, cosmonaut
dem	greek	people, population	democracy, demography, epidemic
derm	greek	skin, covering	dermatology, hypodermic, taxidermy, epidermis
hemi	greek	half	hemisphere,
log	greek	word, study, speech	catalog, prologue, dialogue, logo
ortho	greek	straight, correct	orthodontist, orthopedic, unorthodox
path	greek	feeling, suffering	pathos, sympathy, apathy, telepathy
poly	greek	many	polygon, politics, acropolis, megalopolis
scope	greek	see, watch	telescope, microscope, periscope, stethoscope
techn/o	greek	skill, art	technology, technician,