

Latin Roots I

Spelling Words

suspend	pendant	conductor	novel	productive
numeral	reserve	numerous	preserve	pending
pendulum	deduction	novelty	numerator	reservoir
conservatory	appendix	impending	induct	innovative

Missing Words Write two list words to complete each sentence correctly.

You must (1) _____ the (2) _____ from the mechanism of the grandfather clock.

1. _____ 2. _____

This (3) _____ new device is quite a (4) _____.

3. _____ 4. _____

The book's (5) _____ contains (6) _____ important facts.

5. _____ 6. _____

The (7) _____ vote will decide if they (8) _____ the player into the Hall of Fame.

7. _____ 8. _____

I plan to (9) _____ tickets for the (10) _____ concert.

9. _____ 10. _____

The garden (11) _____ is next to the water (12) _____ near the park.

11. _____ 12. _____

Analogies Write list words to complete the analogies.

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| 13. Shirt is to collar as necklace is to _____. | 13. _____ |
| 14. Band is to leader as orchestra is to _____. | 14. _____ |
| 15. Buy is to purchase as number is to _____. | 15. _____ |
| 16. Useless is to futile as effective is to _____. | 16. _____ |
| 17. Waste is to discard as save is to _____. | 17. _____ |
| 18. Bottom is to denominator as top is to _____. | 18. _____ |
| 19. Song is to CD as chapter is to _____. | 19. _____ |
| 20. Addition is to increase as subtraction is to _____. | 20. _____ |



Home Activity Your child wrote words with Latin roots. Say a word from the list and ask your child to identify and define the Latin root.

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Proofread an Article Circle six misspelled words in the article. Write the words correctly. Find a sentence fragment. Write it correctly.

Using the Library

If your library uses a computer database, that's where to start. There are numerous ways to find a book. Be innovative. Most systems will allow you to search by author, title, or subject.

Make a list of as many call numbers on your topic as you can to be most productive. Then find the section in the library that holds the call number of your item. When you find an item on the shelf. Check its appendix and its index for other sources. If a book you need is already taken out, you can reserve it.

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| 1. _____ | 2. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 4. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 6. _____ |
| 7. _____ | |
| _____ | |

- suspend
- pendant
- conductor
- novel
- productive
- numeral
- reserve
- numerous
- preserve
- pending
- pendulum
- deduction
- novelty
- numerator
- reservoir
- conservatory
- appendix
- impending
- induct
- innovative

Frequently Misspelled Words

- it's
- that's

Proofread Words Circle the word that is spelled correctly. Write it.

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| 8. pendulum | pendulun | 8. _____ |
| 9. deduction | deduction | 9. _____ |
| 10. reservoir | resevoir | 10. _____ |
| 11. pendant | pendent | 11. _____ |
| 12. numerous | numerous | 12. _____ |
| 13. suspend | sespend | 13. _____ |
| 14. conductor | conductor | 14. _____ |
| 15. cunservatory | conservatory | 15. _____ |



Home Activity Your child identified misspelled words with Latin roots. Name a Latin root and have your child name and spell list words with that root.

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Word Clues Write the list word that fits each clue.

- This is part of a necklace. 1. _____
- This is a longer piece of literature. 2. _____
- This is a word that expresses a number. 3. _____
- This is extra information at the end of a book. 4. _____
- This describes something new and original. 5. _____
- This is something that is about to happen. 6. _____
- This is the person who directs an orchestra or choir. 7. _____
- This is when you save something for future use. 8. _____
- This is to maintain something in its original condition. 9. _____
- This is another word for "many." 10. _____

Scramble Unscramble the list words and write them on the lines.

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| 11. topveiducr | 11. _____ | 12. nedutdioc | 12. _____ |
| 13. stororyvnea | 13. _____ | 14. rnueatmor | 14. _____ |
| 15. eerrovrsi | 15. _____ | 16. dsespnu | 16. _____ |
| 17. ncudit | 17. _____ | 18. gdnenip | 18. _____ |
| 19. dpneumul | 19. _____ | 20. Inteyov | 20. _____ |



Home Activity Your child has learned to spell words with Latin roots. Name a Latin root (*duct*, *pend*, *nov*, *serv*, *numer*) and have your child spell a word with that root.