

## **Root Words**

**Topic:** CCSS L.5.4.B - Use common, grade-appropriate Greek and Latin roots as clues to the meaning of a word **Instructions:** Read the definition of each root word and define each example word.

	port – to carry
transport:	portable:
deport:	porter:
	rupt – to break or burst
erupt:	disrupt:
rupture:	bankrupt:
	scrib, script – to write
describe:	prescription:
transcribe:	manuscript:
	dict – to speak or tell
predict:	dictation:
diction:	dictator:
	spect, spec – to see
spectator:	inspect:
spectacles:	retrospect:
Challenge: Make	a list of additional words that use the root words above.

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