

WHAT-LIGHTING PARAGRAPH: ANSWER KEY

Name: _____ Hour: _____

With a highlighter (or pencil), highlight (or circle) words that contain a Greek or Latin root from the list you were provided. Draw a line from the word to the margin, and then write the meaning of the word in the margin.

Hint: We've identified 33 words in total. Can you find them all?

Samuel's Big Adventure

Samuel woke up one day and **decided** that his **chronic** boredom could no longer be **pacified** at home. He was an **avid bibliophile** but could no longer sit around and read about other people's **adventures**. He had **plenty** of friends who posted **photographs** regularly of their **different experiences**. They loved having a **large audience** of people on **social media** following them and liking their posts. While, yes, they were **photogenic**, how many **pictures** could they **justify** posting at the **aquarium**, at the **circus**, or of their new **manicure**?

Samuel thought back to his days in **geography** class and how the first **explorers** wanted to **circumnavigate** the **globe**. He decided to set sail for Greece and Rome. He had read every Greek **myth**, **legend**, and **chronicle**. He was ready to see ancient Roman **aqueducts** and **auditoriums**. Samuel wanted to have a great trip. The **jury** was not out; he knew **exactly** what he wanted to do!

Europe, here I come!"

English Word	Meaning	Origin	Roots
Decided	Made a choice	Latin	De-[off]; caedere-[cut]
Chronic	Continuing	Greek	Chronos-[time]
Pacified	Calmed down	Latin	Pax-[peace]
Avid	Enthusiastic	Latin	Av- [desire]
Bibliophile	Book lover	Greek	Biblio- [book]; -phile [love]
Adventures	Risky or unexpected undertakings	Latin	Ven- [come]
Plenty	Many or full	Latin	Plen- [full]
Photographs	Pictures	Greek	Photo- [light]; graph- [write]
Basis	Fixed pattern	Greek	Bas- [step]
Different	Unlike	Latin	Fer- [to bear, carry]
Experiences	Happenings, events	Latin	Ex- [from, out of]
Large	Big	Latin	Larg- [generous]
Audience	Listeners	Latin	Audi- [hearing]
Social	Relating to group interaction	Latin	Soci- [group]
Media	Modes of expression	Latin	Medi- [middle]
Photogenic	Attractive in photos or film	Greek	Photo- [light]
Pictures	Photographs	Latin	Pict- [paint]
Justify	Give a reason for	Latin	Just- [law]
Aquarium	Tank for fish or small animals	Latin	Aqua- [water]
Circus	Carnival or fair with entertainment	Latin	Circ- [round]
Manicure	Trim or polish nails	Latin	Mani- [hand]
Geography	Study of Earth	Greek	Geo- [Earth]
Explorers	Adventurers	Latin	Ex- [from, out of]
Circumnavigate	Circle the world	Latin	Circ- [round]

English Word	Meaning	Origin	Roots
Globe	Planet Earth	Latin	Glob- [sphere]
Myth	Fictional story of the past	Greek	Myth- [story]
Legend	Story of the past	Latin	Leg- [read]
Chronicle	Report or record	Greek	Chron- [time]
Aqueducts	Pipes or channels to transport water	Latin	Aqu- [water]
Auditoriums	Assembly halls	Latin	Audi- [hear]
Jury	Group of peers	Latin	Jur- [law]
Exactly	Precisely, completely	Latin	Ex- [from, out of]
Europe	Continent	Greek	Eur- [wide]