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## WORD ROOT

## Word Root sากศัพn์ขอบคำศัพท์




- auto (means self / same) => automobile (snยuci)
 ยุल̄ธSSU)
- bio (means life) => biology (ธีगכ̄nยา)


## COMMON



automobile, automatic, autograph, autotrophy
biography, biology, biodegradable,
biopsy, antibiotic
graph, graphic, graphite, seismograph

barometer, centimeter, diameter, thermometer geology, biology, hydrology
photograph, photocopy, photogenic, photosynthesis
microscope, periscope, stethoscope, telescope
telephone, telescope, telecast, telegram
thermometer, thermos, thermal, thermosphere

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 LATIN ROOTS
audience, auditorium, audible, inaudible, audition
dictate, predict, contradict, verdict, diction
import, export, portable, porter, transport
abrupt, bankrupt, erupt, interrupt, rupture

describe, inscribe, prescribe, scribe, describe, script, transcript, prescription inspect, respect, spectacles, spectator, suspect, perspective
construct, destruct, destruction,
instruct, structure
attract, detract, contract, subtract, traction, tractor
visible, supervise, vision, visionary

## $\because \circ \circ$ <br> - <br> Exercise

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1. If you know in advance that the examination is going to be easy, you have no incentive to study very much.
1) incident
2) motive
3) time
4) interest

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2. When there are severe shortages of fuel, prices soar.
1) tower
2) slow
3) fall
4) rise

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3. Geranium thrive if you transplant them from indoors to your garden in the hot weather.
1) transfer
2) substitute
3) trade
4) dig

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4. Nutritionists believe that vitamins circumvent disease.
1) defeat
2) nourish
3) treat
4) feed

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5. Sometime hyperactive children are given drugs.
1) excessively lively
2) slow-moving
3) very intelligent
4) physically disabled

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6. Manufacturers are dubious about predictions of an economic recovery.
1) dumbfounded
2) delighted
3) driven
4) doubful

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7. Because children are inoculated against measles, there are currently very few cases of the disease in the United States.
1) treated
2) injected
3) isolated
4) subjected

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8. Kevin cannot take elevators because she has claustrophobia.
1) unreasonable fear of heights
2) unreasonable fear of closed spaces
3) unreasonable fear of elevators
4) unreasonable fear of people

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9. The hurricane caused incalculable damage in New England.
1) very great
2) very little
3) very calculating
4) very abusive

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10. Increasingly ominous economic signs, namely rising inflation, the decreasing value of the currency, etc., caused a change in government.
1) noticeable
2) threatening
3) prosperous
4) promising

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11. The Education Ministry plans to franchise about 10 prestigious Bangkok schools next year to alleviate overcrowding.
1) exaggerate
2) envisage
3) lure
4) minimize

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12. The Royal Irrigation Department will review its consumptions in building dams to withstand the most powerful earthquakes that could possibly occur.
1) confront
2) encounter
3) resist
4) persist

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13. The cabinet approved 84 million baht for the Water Resource Development and the Groundwater Resource Department to rehabilitate sources of clean water in areas affected by the droughts.
1) regulate
2) preserve
3) allocate
4) improve

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14. In the 1860s, James Clerk Maxwell a set of equations describing how waves in the lines of force would $\qquad$ across space.
1) founded - connect
2) developed - travel
3) implied - swing
4) invented - explode

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15. The dense cloudy atmosphere of Venus $\qquad$ its
surface from even the most powerful telescope. Only radar can ___ to map the planet's features.
1) disguises - concentrate
2) reveals - deviate
3) conceals - penetrate
4) blankets - interfere

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16. Hobart, Tasmania's capital, was reputed for being hell for English ___ in the early 19th century. However, today it is recognized as a ___ place, with a beautiful harbor front and colonial architecture.
1) settlers - harsh
2) nobles - congested
3) immigrants - vicious
4) prisoners - heavenly
