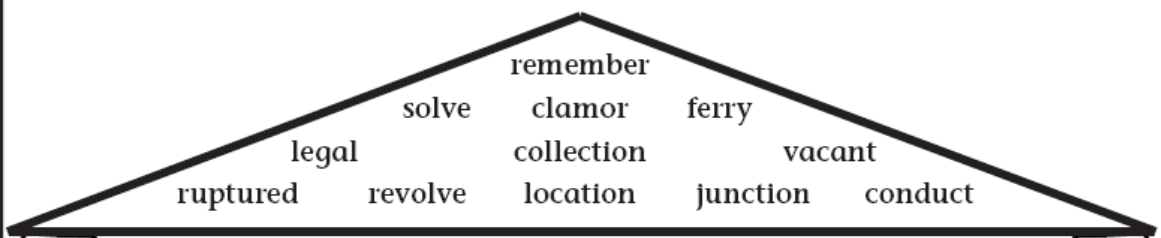


Test 4



You know, this is not just a word game. It's a strategy to help you figure out word meanings.

Directions: Most English words have roots in another language. Many of the words we use come from Latin, the language of the ancient Romans. Read the root word and its meaning. Then write a word to complete the phrase.



Latin Root—Meaning	English Phrase
1. <i>fer</i> —to carry	_____ the cars across the river
2. <i>clam</i> —shout	a noisy _____
3. <i>leg</i> —law	a _____ book
4. <i>rupt</i> —break	a _____ blister
5. <i>mem</i> —recall	a time to _____
6. <i>loc</i> —place	the _____ of the store
7. <i>unct</i> —to join	the _____ of the two roads
8. <i>solv</i> —explain	_____ the answer to the puzzle
9. <i>lect</i> —gather	a stamp _____
10. <i>duct</i> —lead	to _____ the tour
11. <i>vac</i> —empty	the _____ house
12. <i>volv</i> —turn, roll	_____ around the Sun

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Answers

Latin Root—Meaning	English Phrase
1. <i>fer</i> —to carry;	Ferry the cars across the river.
2. <i>clam</i> —shout;	a noisy clamour ;
3. <i>leg</i> —law;	Legal book;
4. <i>rupt</i> —break;	A ruptured blister;
5. <i>mem</i> —recall;	A time to remember ;
6. <i>loc</i> —place;	The location of the store;
7. <i>junct</i> —to join;	The junction of the two roads;
8. <i>solv</i> —explain;	Solve the puzzle;
9. <i>lect</i> —gather;	a stamp collection ;
10. <i>duct</i> —lead;	to conduct the tour;
11. <i>vac</i> —empty;	the vacant house;
12. <i>volv</i> —turn, roll;	revolve around the Sun;