



# Greek and Latin Roots

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Grade: Grade 4

## Part A: Fix the Sentence

Each sentence has an error. Rewrite it correctly on the line.

1. Fix the sentence: The root "vis" means "to throw," so visible means something that can be thrown.

Rewrite: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Fix the sentence: A spectator is someone who builds things because "spec" means to build.

Rewrite: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Fix the sentence: The root "ject" means "to listen," so to inject means to listen carefully.

Rewrite: \_\_\_\_\_

## Part B: Fill in the Blank

Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. The root "vis" means to \_\_\_\_\_ .
2. The root "spec" means to \_\_\_\_\_ or observe.
3. The root "ject" means to \_\_\_\_\_ .
4. A project is a plan or task that is \_\_\_\_\_ forward for others to work on.

## Part C: Short Answer

Answer each question in one or two complete sentences.

1. How does the root "spec" help you understand the word inspect?

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2. Use the root "ject" to explain what the word reject means.

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Rewrite: **The root "vis" means "to see," so visible means something that can be seen.**

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2. Fix the sentence: A spectator is someone who builds things because "spec" means to build.

Rewrite: **A spectator is someone who watches things because "spec" means to look or see.**

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3. Fix the sentence: The root "ject" means "to listen," so to inject means to listen carefully.

Rewrite: **The root "ject" means "to throw," so to inject means to throw or push something in.**

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**Part B: Fill in the Blank**

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- The root "vis" means to see .
- The root "spec" means to look or observe.
- The root "ject" means to throw .
- A project is a plan or task that is thrown forward for others to work on.

**Part C: Short Answer**

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Answer each question in one or two complete sentences.

1. How does the root "spec" help you understand the word inspect?

*The prefix "in-" means into and "spec" means to look, so inspect means to look into something closely or examine it carefully.*

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2. Use the root "ject" to explain what the word reject means.

*The prefix "re-" means back and "ject" means to throw, so reject means to throw something back or refuse to accept it.*

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