



# Roots, Prefixes & Suffixes

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Grade: Grade 5

## Part A: Fill in the Blank

Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. The Greek root bio means "life," so \_\_\_\_\_ is the scientific study of living things.
2. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a written account of another person's life story.
3. The Greek root geo means "earth," so \_\_\_\_\_ is the study of Earth's surface and landforms.
4. A \_\_\_\_\_ scientist studies rocks, minerals, and the structure of the earth.
5. The Greek root graph means "write," so an \_\_\_\_\_ is your name written in your own handwriting.
6. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a section of writing made up of related sentences grouped together.
7. The Latin root scrib means "write," so to \_\_\_\_\_ something is to write down what it looks like.
8. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a written text that an author prepares by hand before it is printed.
9. The study of heat and energy deep inside the earth is called \_\_\_\_\_ science.

## Part B: Matching

Match each item on the left to the correct answer on the right.

1. Match each item to its correct answer.

inscription	→ _____	a large community of living things in a climate zone
photograph	→ _____	writing carved or engraved onto a surface
biome	→ _____	a scientist who studies rocks and the earth
geologist	→ _____	an image written by light onto film or a sensor

**Part A: Fill in the Blank**

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Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. The Greek root bio means "life," so biology is the scientific study of living things.
2. A biography is a written account of another person's life story.
3. The Greek root geo means "earth," so geography is the study of Earth's surface and landforms.
4. A geology scientist studies rocks, minerals, and the structure of the earth.
5. The Greek root graph means "write," so an autograph is your name written in your own handwriting.
6. A paragraph is a section of writing made up of related sentences grouped together.
7. The Latin root scrib means "write," so to describe something is to write down what it looks like.
8. A manuscript is a written text that an author prepares by hand before it is printed.
9. The study of heat and energy deep inside the earth is called geothermal science.

**Part B: Matching**

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Match each item on the left to the correct answer on the right.

1. Match each item to its correct answer.

inscription	→ <u>writing carved or engraved onto a surface</u>	a large community of living things in a climate zone
photograph	→ <u>an image written by light onto film or a sensor</u>	writing carved or engraved onto a surface
biome	→ <u>a large community of living things in a climate zone</u>	a scientist who studies rocks and the earth
geologist	→ <u>a scientist who studies rocks and the earth</u>	an image written by light onto film or a sensor