

Context Signal Words

Type of Clue	Signal Words and Phrases
Example	like, for instance, this, such as, these, for example, other, includes, especially, in this model, as you can see here.
Definition or Restatement	or, which is, in other words, also know as, sometimes called, that is, also called, also referred to as, that is to say
Cause and Effect	therefore, as a result, consequently, because, hence, so, since, for this reason, it follows that, and then, whenever
Comparison	like, as resembling, related to, similar to, also, take after, be akin to
Contrast	but, on the other hand, however, in contrast, unlike, although, rather than, yet

Greek and Latin Roots – Social Studies

Many English words are made up of word parts from other languages, especially Greek and Latin. These word parts are called **roots**. A root cannot stand alone, but knowing its meaning helps you figure out the meaning of the whole word. A group of words with the same root is called a **word family**. Study the chart of **Greek** and **Latin** roots below.

Root	Meaning	Example
theo	god	<u>the</u> ology
ortho	straight, correct	<u>orth</u> odox
dem	people	<u>dem</u> ocracy
geo	earth	<u>ge</u> ology
turb	confusion	dis <u>turb</u>
div	separate	<u>div</u> ide
liber	free	<u>lib</u> erty
ques	ask, seek	<u>ques</u> tion
mort	death	<u>mort</u> al
cede, ceed, cess	go, yield, give away	se <u>cede</u>
form	form or shape	uni <u>form</u>
rupt	break	dis <u>rupt</u>
poli	city	<u>poli</u> ce
cycl	circle, ring	re <u>cycle</u>
mob, mot, mov	move	<u>mov</u> ie
duc, duct	lead	con <u>duct</u>
ven, vent	come	con <u>vent</u> ion
jud	judge	<u>jud</u> gment
loc, locat	place	<u>loc</u> ate