Study the definitions of these roots and the example words. Each week there will be a new set of roots to add to your studying. There will be a quiz on the most recent three lists every Wednesday. Roots will need to be matched to their definitions, but example words will require you to write out definitions that use the root definition(s).

caput/capitis (Latin) – head

capital capitol chapter

captain cabbage

manus (Latin) – hand

manufacture manual manicure

manuscript manacle manager

pes/pedis (Latin) – foot

pedestal pedicure pedestrian

pedal peddle pedometer

bracchium (Latin) – arm

brace embrace

brachiopod bracelet

dens/dentis (Latin) – tooth

dent dentist denture

dandelion indent dental