Wortschatzspiel Root Files Explained

I. README.md

A. **Purpose:**   Primary entry point.

B. **Use:**   Explains what the project is, how to install it, and how to run it.

C. **Audience:** Humans (reviewers, collaborators, future you).

II. LICENSE

A. **Purpose:**   Legal permissions.

B. **Use:**   States others may reuse, modify, and distribute under MIT terms.

C. **Audience:** Lawyers, publishers, GitHub.

III. CITATION.cff

A. **Purpose:**   Machine-readable citation metadata.

B. **Use:**   Enables automatic citation on GitHub/Zenodo.

C. **Audience:**   Indexing services, researchers.

IV. requirements.txt

A. **Purpose:**   Python dependencies.

B. **Use:**   Run `pip install -r requirements.txt`.

C. **Audience:**   Python environment.

V. docker-compose.yml

A. **Purpose:**   Development environment orchestration.

B. **Use:**   Run `docker-compose up`.

C. **Audience:**   Docker.

VI. .gitignore

A. **Purpose:**   Prevents junk files from being tracked.

B. **Use:**   Automatically applied by Git.

C. **Audience:**   Git.

VII. .env.example

A. **Purpose:** Template for environment variables.

B. **Use:** Copy to `.env` and customize.

C. **Audience:** Developers.

VIII. pyproject.toml

A. **Purpose:** Python package metadata.

B. **Use:** Defines project, dependencies, tooling.

C. **Audience:** Python packaging ecosystem.

IX. Makefile

A. **Purpose:** Shortcut commands.

B. **Use:** Run `make setup`, `make run`.

C. **Audience:** Developers.

X. CHANGELOG.md

A. **Purpose:** Version history.

B. **Use:** Records what changed between releases.

C. **Audience:** Reviewers, users.

XI. CONTRIBUTING.md

A. **Purpose:** Contribution rules.

B. **Use:** Explains how others can contribute.

C. **Audience:** Collaborators.