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Listin and Greek are the source of many root words in English. Cit comes from the Latin word meaning "stir," "move," or "rouse." Philiphilis from a Greek word meaning "city."

When combined with a prefix, suffix, or another root word, these root words become common fregish words. For example, the prefix acro- means "end". Combine acro- and polis, and you have the word acropalis. Based on its original meaning, acropalis means "end city" or a fortified area like a fort.

Use the list of prefixes, suffixes, and word endings in the word bank to make five different English words out of air and polis polis.

Use the list of prefixes, suffix, or change the spelling a little if needed. Write a sentence for each word you make and circle the word you made from the root word. Be sure and find words for both air and polis/polis.

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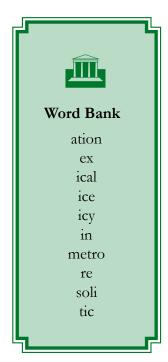
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