

Sybil's WOW

Word of the Week (Root Word Edition)

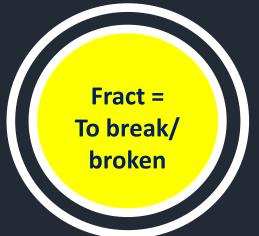


The "root" is the basic part of a word that has meaning and can have a prefix or suffix added to it.

prefix	<u>root</u>	suffix	
Dis	appear	ance	
Un	clear	ly	

If you know the meaning of the Latin and Greek root words then you will be able to understand more words.

This week we will be focusing on words which use the Latin word 'Fract' which means 'to break' or 'broken'



<u>Fraction</u> = A fraction is a part of a whole or a piece of something that is no longer whole.

Fracture = A fracture is a break, usually in a bone.

Refract = To bend a sound wave or a light wave.

In<u>fract</u>ion = A breaking of rules.