Root It Out: Word Sort



Directions: Place each word card in the column that shows the meaning of its root. Use a dictionary as reference. **Example:** the word *bicycle* has a root that means two.

ANSWERS

earth	name	feeling	water	ten	keep
geology	nominate	sympathy	dehydrate	decimal	preserve
geography	nominee	empathy	hydrant	decade	conserve
geologist			hydrogen	decathlon	reservation

Directions:

- 1. Cut out the word cards.
- 2. Sort the cards so that each word is placed in the column that matches the meaning of its root word.
- 3. Glue the word cards onto your chart when you have finished sorting.

/	reservation			⊤	hydrogen
nominate	dehydrate	preserve	empathy	conserve	
geography	decimal	│ decade ⊥	geology	│ decathlon ⊥	