Greek Roots Example vocabulary Words

Meter, metr	(measure)	baro <u>meter</u>	measure of air pressure
Morph	(form, shape)	a <u>morph</u> ous	formless
Neur	(nerve)	<u>neur</u> itis	inflammation of nerves
Nom, nomy	(law, order, custom)	astro <u>nom</u> er	one who studies order of the stars
Onym, onoma	(name)	an <u>onym</u> ous	nameless
Ortho	(straight)	<u>ortho</u> dontia	teeth straightening
Path	(suffering, feeling)	a <u>path</u> y	lack of feeling
Phan, phen	(show, appear)	<u>phen</u> omenon	something apparent to the senses
Phil	(love)	<u>phil</u> anthropist	a lover of mankind
Phor, pher	(carry, bear)	sema <u>phor</u> e	apparatus for signaling, bearing messages
Phos, phot	(light)	<u>phot</u> ography	producing images by use of light
Pod	(foot)	<u>pod</u> iatrist	foot doctor
Poli	(city)	metro poli s	main city
Psych	(mind)	psych ology	study of the mind
Pyr	(fire)	<u>pyr</u> otechnics	fireworks
Scop	(see)	tele <u>scop</u> e	device for seeing at a distance
Soph	(wise)	soph isticated	worldly-wise
Tax,tac	(arrangement)	<u>tac</u> tics	arranging forces in battle
Techn	(art, skill)	<u>techn</u> ique	method of using skills
Tele	(from afar)	<u>tele</u> metry	measuring from afar
The, theo	(god)	<u>the</u> ist	believer in god
Therm	(heat)	<u>therm</u> ostat	device for regulating heat
Thes, thet	(place, put)	anti thes is	a placing against, contrast of thought
Tom	(cut)	a <u>tom</u>	substance of a cell that cannot be cut or split
Тор	(place)	<u>top</u> ography	description of a place
Trop	(turn)	<u>trop</u> hism	tendency to turn in response to stimulus
Тур	(model, impression)	<u>typ</u> ical	like a model
Zo	(animal)	<u>zo</u> ology	study of animals