Name _____ **Etymology**

Latin Root Words

DIRECTIONS: Read the clues. Then identify the Latin root.

1. **CLUES**: **Acupuncture** is treatment with needles. We say that something severe or drastic is **acute**. Someone who is very bright and intelligent has **acuity**.

The Latin root for *sharp/pointed* is ___ ___ ___

2. **CLUES**: Something a person does is an **activity**. **React** means to act in response to something. **Interaction** is communication between two or more things.

The Latin root for *do* is ___ ___ ___

3. **CLUES**: An **immigrant** moves to a new country to love. A **migrant** moves from place to place. The process of moving is called **migration**.

The Latin root for *move* is ___ ___ ___ ___

4. **CLUES**: A flesh-eating animal is called **carnivorous**. The word **carnal** means pertaining to the body or flesh. Something is **incarnate** when it is given bodily form.

A Latin root meaning *flesh or mean* is ___ ___ ___ ___

5. **CLUES**: To stop something from moving, you **immobilize** it. Something that can move freely is **mobile**. The ability to move freely is called **mobility**.

The Latin root for *move* is ___ ___ ___

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