Roots for DP1 List #6

intro- / intra-

intravenous

(inside a vein)

introvert

(a person who likes being alone)

INTRO- =

(prefix)

intramural

(inside an educational system)

introspection

(self-examination)

inter-

interview

(a series of questions and answers between two people)

INTER- =

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spec- / spect-

viv- / vit-

-ity

**All Roots:**

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| Prefixes | Roots | Suffixes |
| a-/ab- intro-/intra-  in-/im-  inter-  co-/con-/com-  contra-  ob-  pre-  post-  di- | host-/hosp- dub-  dict- cred-  scrib-/scrip- pac-/plac-  trans- viv-/vit-  mal- spec-/spect-  ben-/bene-  cide-  cog- | -er/-or  -ent/-ant  -tion  -ify  -ate  -ious/ous  -ity |

**List #6 Root Vocabulary:**

1. introspection (n) / introspective (adj) : the act of examining yourself

* New Year’s day is a good time for introspection.
* He was an introspective lad and spent hours writing his thoughts in his thick journal.

1. introvert (n) / introversion (n) : someone who likes being alone

* Great careers for introverts include writing, computer programming, and forest ranging.
* After too much socializing over the course of the week, Brad needed some introversion.

1. interject (v) / interjection (n): to cut someone off when speaking

* “But, Oma, I want to---” “Zip the lip!” she interjected.
* Teachers aren’t often fans of random interjections during an important lecture.

1. intermingle (v) : to interact between different parts

* Introverts don’t like to intermingle at parties very much.
* The scientist watched the different chemicals intermingle in the new solution.

1. speculate (v) / speculation (n) : to predict without evidence; guessing

* We often speculate about what the weather will be.
* No one benefits from your speculation. Do you have any evidence to bolster your claims?

1. circumspect (adj) : suspicious; cautious

* He was quite circumspect of passing through the dark alley in a bad neighborhood.
* It is better to be too bold and to be too circumspect.

1. conspicuous (adj) / conspicuousness (n) : obvious

* Carrying around an empty coffee cup all day is an example of conspicuous consumption.
* There was a conspicuous lack of emotion at the man’s funeral.

1. vivacious (adj) : lively

* Jennie is quite vivacious when she sings “Mahna Mahna!”
* The vivacious tour guide charmed everyone throughout the whole three hours.

1. convivial (adj) / conviviality (n) : lively

* Jack Black is known for his convivial roles as outlandish characters.
* The wedding guests were a convivial group and everyone had a wonderful time.

1. revitalize (v) : recharged; brought back to life

* On a hot day I’m revitalized by a cold glass of lemonade.
* The increase in trade revitalized the shipyards.

1. utopia (n) / utopian (adj) : a perfect place (Greek: nowhere)

* Every Korean student’s version of utopia does not include a hagwon.
* The utopian dreams of Marxism was that the government would eventually become unnecessary.

1. dystopia (n) / dystopic (adj) : a flawed version of society

* In many ways, North Korea is a dystopic version of South Korea.
* I feel that the movie “Wall-E” was the scariest dystopic version of the future I’ve ever seen.

1. satire (n) / satiric (adj) : criticize with laughter

* Many people believe that “Gangnam Style” is a satiric look at life in Gangnam.
* The play is a satire that criticizes the upper-class.

1. parody (n) / parody (v) : making fun of something lightheartedly

* “Gag concerts” often involve parodies of mothers, students, and soldiers.
* The spring musical, “Spamlet, Prince of Cyberspace” is a parody of Shakespeare’s “Hamlet.”

1. commentary (n) : the act of explaining or analyzing social events

* X-Men is both a boy’s fantasy of super-powers but also a commentary on discrimination.
* We listened to commentary on the works of art as we went through the museum.

Master List for Teacher

introvert

introspection

intramural

intravenous

spectator

spectacle

spectacular

specter

spectrum

circumspect

inspect

introspection

perspective

respect

retrospective

spectacles

speculate

vivisection

vivacious

revive

survive

revival

vivid

Vivian

convivial

revitalize

vital

vitality

vitamin

interchange

intermingle

interpret

interpark

interview

intersection

intergalactic

interplanetary

interface

Interpol

-ity (condition or quality of being \_\_\_\_\_)

vitality

polarity

formality

humanity

ability

abnormality

accessibility

mentality