



# Put Down Roots

Put down on your Scrabble board **WORD ROOTS** that convey a particular description, thought, or meaning (7s then 8s)  
**No new NWL23 words** compiled by Jacob Cohen, Asheville Scrabble Club

## 7s [DIC] & [DIT] (say, speak)

ADDICTS	ACDDIST	ADDICT, to devote or surrender to something habitually or compulsively [v]
DICTATE	ACDEITT	to read aloud for recording [v -D, -TING, -S]
DICTIER	CDEIIRT	DICTY, snobbish (characteristic of snob) [adj]
DICTION	CDIINOT	choice and use of words in speech or writing [n -S]
DICTUMS	CDIMSTU	DICTUM, authoritative statement [n]
EDICTAL	ACDEILT	EDICT, authoritative order having force of law [adj]
ENDITED	DDEEINT	ENDITE, to indite (to write or compose) [v]
ENDITES	DEEINST	ENDITE, to indite (to write or compose) [v]
INDICES	CDEIINS	INDEX, type of reference guide at end of book [n]
INDICIA	ACDIIN	distinctive mark [n -S]
INDICTS	CDIINST	INDICT, to charge with crime [v]
INDITED	DDEIINT	INDITE, to write or compose [v]
INDITER	DEIINRT	one that indites (to write or compose) [n -S]
INDITES	DEIINST	INDITE, to write or compose [v]
PREDICT	CDEIPRT	to tell of or about in advance [v -ED, -ING, -S]
VERDICT	CDEIRTV	decision at end of legal proceeding [n -S]

## 8s [DIC] & [DIT] (say, speak)

ABDICATE	AABCDEIT	to give up formally [v -D, -TING, -S]
ADDICTED	ACDDDEIT	ADDICT, to devote or surrender to something habitually or compulsively [v]
DICTATOR	ACDIORTT	one that dictates (to read aloud for recording) [n -S]
DICTIEST	CDEIISTT	DICTY, snobbish (characteristic of snob) [adj]
ENDITING	DEGIINNT	ENDITE, to indite (to write or compose) [v]
INDICANT	ACDIINNT	something that indicates (to point out) [n -S]
INDICATE	ACDEIINT	to point out [v -D, -TING, -S]
INDICIUM	CDIIMNU	indicia (distinctive mark) [n -S]
INDICTED	CDDEIINT	INDICT, to charge with crime [v]
INDICTEE	CDEEIINT	one that is indicted [n -S]
INDICTER	CDEIINRT	one that indicts (to charge with crime) [n -S]
INDICTOR	CDIINORT	indicter (one that indicts (to charge with crime)) [n -S]
INDITING	DGIINNT	INDITE, to write or compose [v]
MALEDICT	ACDEILMT	to curse (to wish evil upon) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
REINDICT	CDEIINRT	to indict again [v -ED, -TING, -S]